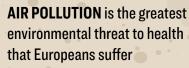


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LOW-EMISSION ZONES TO REDUCE AIR POLLUTION

ISSUE







In 2021, 97% of urban residents in Europe were exposed to levels of fine particulate matter above the World Health Organization's guidelines Nitrogen oxides (NOx) and fine particular matter (PM2.5) are pollutants linked to

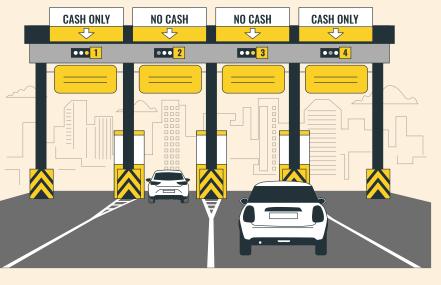


premature death and morbidity, with potential of affecting nearly every system of the body



London introduced the world's first 24 hour Ultra Low Emission Zone (ULEZ), which charges high polluting vehicles £12.50 daily to enter the zone



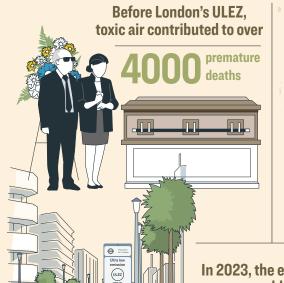


OUTCOME

Low emission zones (LEZs)

consistently show positive health
outcomes from reduced air pollution





Over four million people are breathing cleaner air



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In 2023, the expansion of the zone could increase life years for Londoners by 20%



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