

Motor vehicles are the primary source of smog and account for almost **50%** our air pollution.

Improve

Air Quality

Keep your engine properly tuned: A **tune-up can improve gas mileage**

by an average of **4%** and **reduce harmful emissions.**



About **17% of vehicles** have gas caps that are



damaged, loose or missing, allowing vapors to escape. This wastes gas and contributes to the formation of smog.

Don't idle excessively.

If you'll be **idle for more than 30-60 seconds,** turn off your vehicle.

Avoid unnecessary driving:

The most effective way to **save fuel and reduce emissions** from your vehicle is to use it less.

Alternatives include



consolidating trips, telecommuting, carpooling, using public transit and biking or walking.