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CRP's Monthly Newsletter

Tuesday 16th August 2022





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Delivering London's Future Together



Interested in learning more about ESGs and sustainability in business?

CRP's Connect 4 Series: Session 8

ESG and the Evolution of the Workplace

Thursday 18th August:
4pm - 4:45pm










Join CRP for our next online event '[ESG and the Evolution of the Workplace](#)', taking place on Thursday 18th August, 4pm – 4:45pm. We will be hearing from Caroline Williams at [June](#) and Maggie Berry OBE at [Heart of the City](#) on the circular economy and how to engage the workforce. [CRP](#) Project Manager Kate Fenton will be presenting on [CRP's river freight pilot](#), which aims to assess how goods delivered by the river and handled at Woods Quay, located at Embankment, can be incorporated within urban logistics.

For more information, please email CRP Communications Manager Rachael Aldridge: rachaelaldrige@crossriverpartnership.org.

Register for the event here!

Project Intervention Highlights

The articles below focus on the [Clean Air Logistics for London \(CALL\)](#) and [Clean Air Freight \(CAF\)](#) projects. The focus of CALL is to expand river freight in London as an alternative to road, whereas CAF aims to reduce road deliveries through rail freight trials and zero-emission last-mile logistics.

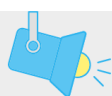




CALL Intervention: Electric Vehicles, Vessels and Infrastructure



CAF Intervention – Micro Hub Trials



Spotlight on: Cargo Bike and Cycle Training



Cycling any form of bike, adapted cycle or cargo bike in London may seem daunting at first. Fortunately there are loads of great options for those who want a bit of extra help to get out and about and experience the air quality, wellbeing and time-saving benefits that it brings.

This month, through the [Defra-funded Clean Air Villages 4](#) project, several staff members from [Lewisham Council](#) and [Lewisham Homes](#) received a half-day of training from [Bikeworks](#) staff with their brand-new cargo bike. During the training, the participants, some of whom hadn't cycled before, learnt about pedalling, turning, using the electric assist and finally went out on the roads of Ladywell!

[CRP](#) has made a video case study on the training which can be found [here](#) – detailing how others can get involved, and we've also recently launched our [Business Cargo Bike Guide](#) with loads of useful information for organisations who have a cargo bike or are looking to get one.

"I was hoping that when residents get to see that the staff are taking on this active travel method and maybe they will call for something similar that they can rent in the borough"
(Jenny Chaplin, Lewisham Homes)

For more information on cargo bikes and cycle training in general, please contact CRP Project Officer Dave Ebbrell: daveebrell@crossriverpartnership.org. To book in training with Bikeworks, please contact George Hurford: george.hurford@bikeworks.org.uk



**Zero Carbon Farms now on
Clean Air Villages Directory**



Totally Thames 2022

HORIZON Funding Bids



[CRP](#) has been invited to take part in a number of trans-national funding bids to the [HORIZON](#) European funding source. The call closes on 6th September 2022, so we've been extremely busy getting our thoughts entered into keyboards!

The bid(s) will be all about continuing to help London's streets work well for all users, as well as supporting freight on its sustainability journey.

Contributing to one or more of these funding bids potentially gives CRP and its partners the chance to increase the amount and length of activity that we can deliver via London projects, such as the [Defra](#)-funded [Clean Air Logistics London](#) programme and the [Impact on Urban Health Clean Air Freight](#) project.

Thank you to [Westminster City Council](#) for playing the lead partner role in CRP's funding

bids, and thank you to [Transport for London](#) for providing extremely helpful support letters.

Pre-Brexit CRP lead many successful European-funded programmes, including [FREVIEW](#) (Freight Electric Vehicles in Urban Europe), [Freight TAILS](#) (Tailored and Innovative Logistics Solutions), [LaMiLo](#) (Last Mile Logistics).

Good luck to everyone applying for HORIZON funding!

For further information contact CRP Director Susannah Wilks: susannahwilks@crossriverpartnership.org



Dates for your Diary



Thursday 18th August. 4pm - 4:45pm. [CRP's Connect 4 Series - Session 8. ESG and the Evolution of the Workplace.](#)

September. [Totally Thames 2022](#). Thames Festival Trust.

Tuesday 6th September. 10:30am - 11:30am. [COVID-19's Impact on Commercial Spaces: Understanding your Lease, Rent Negotiation & Business Rates.](#)

Wednesday 21st September. [Zero Emissions Day.](#)

Thursday 22nd September. 4pm - 4:45pm. [Car Free Day.](#) Living Streets.

Saturday 24th September. 7.15pm - 9pm. ['Reflections' Pageant along the River Thames.](#) Westminster Riverside.

Thursday 29th September. 4pm - 4:45pm. CRP's Connect 4 Series - Session 9. Good Parks for London Launch. Hybrid - Online/Westminster City Hall.

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