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# CRP's Monthly Newsletter

## Wednesday 31st May

CRP is a Climate Emergency Champion



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### Northbank Business Engagement Event

Monday 12th June, 2pm - 2.45pm

River Freight Pilot Part Two



### Smarter Greener Logistics



### CRP's Retrofit on the Thames

## Carol's Retiring Early!



It is with sadness in our hearts that we are letting you all know that CRP's fantastic Operations Manager, Carol Quamina, is retiring early.

Carol has achieved 39 years working in Local Government, spending the last 9 years at [Westminster City Council](#) leading CRP's Operations functions and delegating for CRP's Director [Susannah Wilks](#). Carol will be sorely missed! Carol leaves behind her an impressive track record for the CRP team and partners to continue to build upon. Under Carol's guidance, CRP has never failed a single audit.

Carol has overseen an enormous range of projects that have transformed central London, including the Millennium Bridge (during her time at the [London Borough of Southwark](#)), [Recruit London](#) supporting 3,000 workless Londoners into sustained jobs, as well as all sorts of Air Quality-improving initiatives including [Westminster City Council's](#) Micro Logistics Hub, [The Fitzrovia Partnership's](#) Walking Freight Trial and the [Mayor of London's](#) [Healthy Streets Everyday](#) programme.

Carol has taught everyone in the [CRP Team](#) different parts of her job, so there is no doubt at all that the good ship CRP will continue sailing strongly in her absence.

Thank you for everything you have done for CRP and for Local Government generally over the years Carol, and enjoy your retirement to the full!

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## CRP's Summer Event



CRP is holding a celebration at Somerset House on Thursday 29th June, from 6:30pm onwards. For this year's annual summer event, CRP will be launching the exciting new [Smarter Greener Logistics](#) (SGL) project and celebrating the successes of the [Clean Air Logistics for London](#) (CALL) programme.

If you would like to apply for ticket, please contact CRP Communications Project Manager Rachael Aldridge - [rachaelaldridge@crossriverpartnership.org](mailto:rachaelaldridge@crossriverpartnership.org)

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## Clean Air Day: Thursday 15th June



Clean Air Day, the UK's largest campaign on air pollution, is happening on [Thursday 15th June 2023](#). The theme is - "Clean up our air to look after your mind this #CleanAirDay".

Every year, air pollution causes up to 36,000 deaths in the UK. A [new report](#) from INSPIRE highlights that people who breathe polluted air are more likely to develop mental health and brain conditions.

Clean Air Day is encouraging local authorities, schools, health professionals, campaign and community groups and individuals to get involved through campaigning, raising awareness and individual actions. Find out more by visiting the [Clean Air Day website](#).

Over the coming weeks, CRP will be highlighting our range of projects, delivered in collaboration with project partners, that aim to improve London's air quality and supporting CRP's vision to make London a better place to live, work and visit.

Visit the [CRP website](#) and projects page to find out more:

- [Clean Air Logistics for London](#)
- [Clean Air Freight](#)
- [Smarter Greener Logistics](#)

[Check out CRP's Twitter this #CleanAirDay](#)

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## Clean Air Logistics for London: Penultimate Month Complete!



With one month to go on CRP's [Clean Air Logistics for London](#) Programme, CRP and partners have been extremely busy!

From implementing walking freight and river freight trials, to launching online tools and resources, click the button below to read more about what we've been up to this month.

If you would like to find out more about CALL, or any of the initiatives mentioned above, please contact CRP Programme Manager Fiona Coull - [fionacoull@crossriverpartnership.org](mailto:fionacoull@crossriverpartnership.org)

[Read our CALL May Update](#)

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## World Environment Day



On Monday 5th June 2023, [World Environment Day 2023](#) returns as a reminder to care for our planet. And this year, the focus is on ensuring that **people's actions on plastic pollution matters**. The steps governments and businesses are taking to tackle plastic pollution are the consequence of this action.

This World Environment Day, #BeatPlasticPollution and share ways that you are reducing your environmental impact of plastic and your ideas for transitioning to a circular economy.

For more information about CRP's environmental work, please email CRP Sustainable Transport Manager Ross Phillips - [rossphillips@crossriverpartnership.org](mailto:rossphillips@crossriverpartnership.org)

[Find out about CRP's circular economy learnings](#)

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5th - 11th June, [Bike Week 100](#), Cycling UK.

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10th - 11th June, [London Open Gardens](#), London Parks & Gardens.

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Monday 12th June, [River Freight Pilot Park Two: Northbank Business Engagement Event](#), CRP and The Northbank BID.

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Thursday 15th June, [Clean Air Day](#).

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Thursday 15th June, [1st Annual Black Child Clean Air Conference](#), Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.

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17th - 8th June, [The Great Exhibition Road Festival](#), Imperial College London.

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21st - 22nd June, [Move 2023](#), Terrapinn.

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Wednesday 28th June, [Property X-Change Summer Celebration](#).

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