

Please avoid vehicle idling when parked* - for our health, our planet, and your wallet!

THE PRICE OF IDLING WHEN PARKED:

money out the tailpipe, polluting the air we breathe, CO₂ emitted, energy wasted.



JUST 10 SECONDS OF IDLING

wastes more fuel than shutting off and restarting the engine.



UPS PRACTICES NO-IDLING, saving

\$\$\$ by shutting off and restarting engines all day long. If they can do it, so can you!

AVOID DRIVE-THRUS:

park the vehicle, shut it off, and walk into the place of business.

Full hybrids & alternative fuel vehicles excepted.



CALIFORNIA restricts idling of heavy-duty vehicles.

Also, if leaving a vehicle unattended on a highway, it must be shut off.

15 MINUTES OF PARKED IDLING daily at \$3.00 a gallon can cost \$65 to more than \$200 annually, depending on engine size.



VEHICLE EXHAUST is a known asthma trigger. Protect child and adult health by shutting off engines at schools.



WARM-UPS ARE UNNEEDED

unless below freezing; driving gently is the best way to warm up.



NOTE: 30 seconds suffices down to 10 degrees - check windshield defrosting.



For more facts on vehicle idling, visit idlefreecalifornia.org

*includes delays at railroad crossings, construction zones and border crossings; not advisable to turn engines off at traffic lights