

#StreetSpaceForGlasgow

Dear

Last week we launched our Street Space for Glasgow campaign, calling for pop up cycle lanes across the city. This is crucial for physical distancing as we move out of lockdown, but it's also urgently needed to tackle the Climate Emergency and to make our city a cleaner and safer place to live.

We would love for you to join the campaign and tell us about streets near you which would benefit from more space for walking, wheeling and cycling.

You can either post a selfie with the hashtag #StreetSpaceForGlasgow or reply to this email with your suggestion and we will add it to the list of streets we are calling on Glasgow City Council to change.

Tell us your ideas

This week we are continuing the campaign with five key asks for Glasgow City Council:

1. Urgently build pop up cycle lanes on arterial routes to let people of all ages move safely around the city for work and leisure.
2. Accelerate cycle projects already planned to make the most of the change in travel patterns now rather than waiting ten years.
3. Implement the Green budget win of school bike libraries, providing a bike for every child to use, with storage and maintenance assistance.
4. Expand the number of car-free zones around schools so that streets are safer and cleaner for children when they return in August.
5. Roll out a bike storage scheme for tenements because lack of safe storage space is one of the biggest obstacles to owning a bike in Glasgow.

You can help us build the campaign by following us on social media then liking and sharing these stories throughout the week. Together we can build a better Glasgow.

Kind regards

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