

January



Every breath you take..... A Citizen Science project measuring air quality in Manchester

2nd September 2015

On Saturday 31st January, Manchester Friends of the Earth hosted the [How Clean is My Air?](#) workshop run by Andrew from the [Network for Clean Air](#). The workshop helped provide 12 people with the skills to undertake a '[citizen science](#)' study of the air quality/ air pollution in their own neighbourhoods, how to plan the project, what equipment to use, how to create an air quality map and how to interpret the results.



The workshop participants learnt about the two air pollutants of most concern – microscopic airborne particles, known as 'PM10s' as well as nitrogen dioxide (NO₂).

In most cities and urban areas, pollution from road traffic, and particularly diesel fumes, is the most significant cause of poor air quality.

February





March

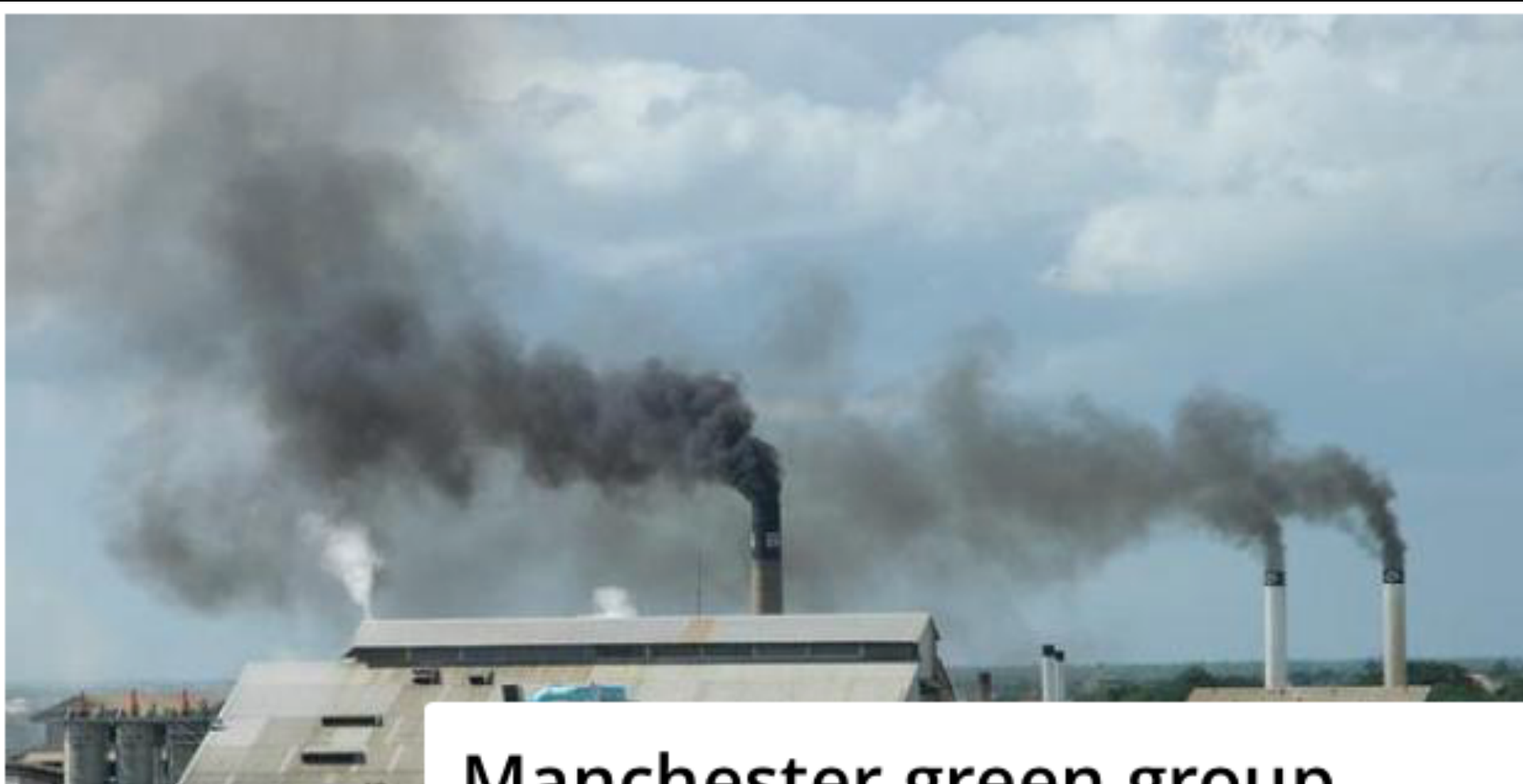




April



May



Manchester green group challenge prospective councillors and MPs to reveal their eco views

04 May 2015 - 06:02AM | [By Matt Mallinson](#)



'It's time to tackle air pollution': Manchester group back Supreme Court order



Toxic smog in Manchester shows gov't must act on air pollution, warn Greens

Manchester Friends of the Earth are urging local council and parliamentary candidates to let voters know their views on environmental issues.

The environmental organisation invited all local council candidates and prospective parliamentary candidates to take part in surveys which asked for their opinion on issues such as climate change such as air pollution, fracking and solar energy for schools.

June









July

Cycle hubs

- In early 2013 Bumblebee undertook a joint venture with TfGM to open the first of the city's cycle hubs



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Metrolink must make tram routes safer for cyclists 'before someone dies', say campaigners

15:04, 30 SEP 2015 | UPDATED 15:04, 30 SEP 2015 | BY CHARLOTTE COX

Love Your Bike survey reveals 278 cyclists out of 317 had experienced problems but many accidents go unreported



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