Dear NAME OF SCHOOL students,

As part of our commitment to sustainability SCHOOL NAME is asking that all drivers **refrain from idling vehicles on or around school property**. This will not only create a healthier environment around our school but will also improve the air quality for everyone in the Missoula valley.

* **It’s good for the planet:** Idling vehicles are a major contributor of air pollution. Eliminating unnecessary idling comparable to taking 6 million vehicles off the road.
* **It’s good for your health:** Idling vehicles emit harmful toxins into the air we breathe. It increases health risks like asthma, allergies, lung disease, and cancer.
* **It’s good for your wallet:** Refraining from idling will save you money. If you are idling for more than 10 seconds, it is more fuel efficient to turn off and restart your vehicle. Plus, unnecessary idling can cause damage to your engine.

**More information including myths and facts about vehicle idling can be found at** [**missoulainmotion.com/noidling**](https://www.missoulainmotion.com/noidling)

By simply choosing to turn off your engine when your car is in park, we can make a real difference. Thank you for your cooperation in this request.

Sincerely,

YOUR NAME