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Tulsa group works to improve air quality

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TULSA - Just as the American Lung Association gave Tulsa an "F" for smog, in its annual State of the Air Report, the Tulsa Area Clean Cities Coalition is showing off the vehicles which could help make that grade rise.

They brought in a Chevy Volt and a Peterbilt Hybrid Tractor, for people near 3rd and South Main Streets to see.

The Coalition also held a meeting with several area business and city leaders to explain the perks behind alternative fuels and vehicles.

Meredith Webber with the Coalition said, "We have air quality issues. We need to be aware of the emissions that our vehicles are emitting. We have price stability issues with fuel. People need to be aware that there are other options other than gasoline."

The Volt is said to get 95 miles per gallon of gasoline.

It will be available for preorder, nationwide, by the end of the year.

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