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Weaning cities from their “parking addictions”

One consultant recommends a [“tough love” approach](#).

Building a vertical forest

It’s an apartment building in Italy - 27 stories high, covered in air- and dust-controlling trees, and [not quite finished yet](#).

Neighborhoods which feel like... neighborhoods

Why too-small school zones are [signs of neighborhoods in decline](#), and other thoughts on street use and community.

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