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Subject: Paper or Plastic?

Honorable Members of our City Council,

It would be lovely if we didn't have to hear that question anymore. It makes me cringe to realize how many hundreds of thousands of plastic bags are used by grocery stores each day in our county.

Personally, I have seen baggers use five or six bags for my groceries when one or two would do just fine.....that was before I started remembering to bring my re-usable bags to the store.

I urge you to vote yes on the ban on these bags, and would love to see styrofoam also banned in our city! You are getting lots of opposition, and I don't purport to represent the boaters, but without exception, the boaters with whom I have spoken are all in favor of a ban!

I hope you will courageously take this important step towards a greener planet!

Cordially,
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