

I urge the passage of SB-581.

We for too long has had aspirational recycling that was a propaganda operation by the plastics industry in particular that items are "recyclable" with the chasing arrows.

Yet very little is actually ever recycled. I urge the support of SB-581, and hope the committee will not water down the bill in anyway.

The business community can cope with changing packaging to being more recyclable or properly label things.

The bill is important to modernize the waste stream and cope with China's anti waste dumping posture.

We need to clean up our act and set a good example as well as create demand ACTUALLY for recyclable packaging and products.

The market solutions haven't worked they've lead to a system that never worked as intended and aspiration-based recycling.

For the future of our state and the planet we need to get this bill passed. Do not let it get watered down or weakened.