



Vote YES on Senate Bill 551

Plastic pollution harms the environment, endangers public health, and is an increasing concern for Americans. To reduce plastic waste, we must limit the disposable products handed to consumers daily and stop producing unnecessary plastic items that are easily replaceable with sustainable alternatives.

Senate Bill 551 would reduce plastic in three ways:

- **Eliminate all plastic film bags at checkout at grocery stores and restaurants starting on January 1, 2027;**
- **Phase out single-use plastic toiletries at lodging establishments with more than 50 rooms starting on January 1, 2027 for all lodging establishments starting on January 1, 2028;**
- **Add utensils and condiments to our existing "straws upon request" law starting on July 1, 2026.**

A February 2025 poll by Oceana shows a majority of Republican, Democrat, and Independent voters are concerned about plastic pollution, including 68% support for phasing out plastic bags and 72% support for phasing out plastic toiletries.

Help reduce plastic pollution and vote YES on Senate Bill 551.