

I represent the building owner and am Property Manager for a Retail shopping center off 122nd Ave., about half a mile from the Glisan Bottle Drop.

On a daily basis, every trash enclosure is broken into with individuals looking for cans and bottles. Not only is this a safety issue for the stores employees but customers are deterred from shopping. This also costs the tenants to clean up or repair trash enclosures after these individuals.

After individuals have received funds from the Bottle Drop, the drug activity disperses throughout the city. This causes a serious safety issue though out properties and is decreasing customer sales and leasing activity.

If there is going to be a Bottle Bill, this needs to address the serious issues bottle return brings. This Bottle Bill does not and could bring different issues.