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Comments:

The legislation should focus on those not properly disposing of their plastic bags as opposed to retail stores facing potential fines for the bad acts of others. The sale of reusable bags also passes costs onto the customers. If large retail stores are already required to have onsite receptacles the legislation should focus on incentivizing customers to use those and other recycling bins to properly dispose of the plastic bags. Additionally, smaller retail stores and restaurants should be required to have these receptacles.