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Absolutely we must take measures now to reduce/eliminate plastic waste. Banning plastic bags is a first step! Fast food chains are another major polluter in single use plastic and coffee cups that are not recyclable! Maybe adding a service charge for their non recyclable waste or not accepting this waste from them? Also getting the message out that grocery stores will fill up your own container at the deli and subtract it's weight for you. Why can't they have cardboard containers for use rather than plastic? We need to lobby Canadian grocery stores to change their packaging as they have done successfully in the U.K.

Thank you,

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