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Dear Manager, Some important, major reform or change in history has not come about through government policy or decision making, it has been achieved by passionate and unrelenting people power and action.

In regards to plastic bag use reduction/ elimination, the general public are intentionally or otherwise, ignorant to their responsibility for creating our plastic pollution woes.

It will be solely and wholly up to we consumers to cease the production of plastic bags by simply ceasing the demand. Government can play an effective role in this by a saturated education media program, if it is really serious and not influenced by big business pressures.

The turtle, bird or dolphin that excruciatingly chokes to death on a plastic bag will care not, whether we ignorant, uncaring consumers chose to pay more for a plastic bag as a supposed penalty, rather than be environmentally conscious.

It's not like we don't have a choice and resources to be humane. Fifty years after successfully walking on our moon, we still struggle to walk the collective path of our earth care. Today, we are intrinsically lazy and throw away in our psyche, but then, we managed to live our consumer lives without plastic bags.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely, Russell Black

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