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22 million pounds of plastic enter the Great Lakes each year, where it can harm wildlife and contaminate our water. Microplastics and the toxic chemicals used in plastic production impact our drinking water and can harm us and our neighbors. We can't recycle our way out of this problem. We must reduce unnecessary single-use plastics before it becomes more pollution.

Keeping our drinks hot or cold for just a few minutes isn't worth polluting our communities for hundreds of years. Please support a full phase-out of polystyrene foam foodware in Illinois.

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