



Please support the city of Stamford's reusable bag drive

As of May 3rd, 2019 retailers in Stamford are no longer allowed to provide plastic checkout bags for free. Instead they can provide recyclable paper bags against a \$0.10 charge. This ordinance is to encourage the consumer to bring their own reusable bags.

BYO Stamford and Women on Watch are helping the City to organize a bag drive that would provide reusable bags to anyone that needs one. We have teamed up with Person to Person (an organization that provides food and goods to those in need in Stamford) to accept monetary donations and to organize this bag drive.

Please **consider providing reusable bags** to the City. Contact us at info@byostamford.org (we can pick up the bags and drop them off at the City Transfer Station, 101 Harborview Ave).

Or **consider making a tax-exempt contribution** of any amount to Person to Person. These funds will be used for the purchase of reusable bags. For contributions larger than \$500.- we will be able to place your logo on the purchased reusable bags (next to other logos). Please make out a check to P2P Stamford (add 'Stamford bag drive in the subject line') and send it to P2P, attn: Elizabeth Finn, COO, 425 Fairfield Ave, Stamford CT 06902.

Person to Person, our groups and the City are coordinating the purchase and distribution of the bags with the goal that any Stamford resident that needs reusable bags can obtain one.

Thank you for helping our environment!

