

Response to Grand Jury Report Form

Report Title: *Holding the Bag*

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FINDINGS

I (we) agree with the findings numbered: F1, F2, F3, F4

RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommendations numbered have been implemented

Recommendations numbered R2 have not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future.

R2. This will be implemented once the Marin Hazardous and Solid Waste Joint Powers Authority (JPA) develops standardized materials for JPA agencies to use in communicating to the public on this matter.


Recommendations numbered R1 and R3 require further analysis.

R1. The Town will want to see the draft model Marin Hazardous and Solid Waste Joint Powers Authority (JPA) ordinance before agreeing to adopt the ordinance.

R3. Again we will want to see the model ordinance language before agreeing to adopt the ordinance. Ross has only one grocery store which already does not use plastic bags. We have no convenience or other retail outlets that use plastic bags.

Recommendations numbered will not be implemented because they are not warranted or are not reasonable.

Date: 5.7.13

Signed: 
Town Manager
Town of Ross

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