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Subject: Don't waste our future

RE: INQUIRY INTO RECYCLING AND WASTE MANAGEMENT

We desperately need Victorian jobs and industry based on recycling. It is appalling that so much paper and cardboard are not being recycled, and yet old growth forests are logged for paper. A Victorian paper recycling industry, and association clean waste paper collection system must be of the highest priority. Legislation to prevent single use plastic products is urgently needed. Glass and plastic recycling industries are also urgently needed. We need sea bins in all appropriate harbours, and bins for plastic collection on all beaches, collection bags could also be provided so that people walking on the beach can always pick up waste they see to progeny it going into the ocean. Recycling plants could be social enterprises. Waste could also be sorted at plants for use by artists and art classes in schools.

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I'm happy for my submission and details to be made public.