

NEVADA GIRLS STATE
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

Memorializes the 2019 session of the Nevada Legislature to enact legislation that will implement a five cent per bag tax on plastic grocery bags, the funds from which will be used to support and promote recycling programs across the state.

WHEREAS, A greater percentage of citizens will be motivated to recycle; and

WHEREAS, The use of plastic grocery bags will be discouraged and thus further protect the environment by preventing potential littering; and

WHEREAS, A greater amount of funds will be reserved for recycling programs which will in turn promote the need to preserve and protect Nevada's natural surroundings; and

WHEREAS, More awareness will be brought to the urgency with which environmental issues must be addressed; therefore be it

RESOLVED BY THE GIRLS STATE OF NEVADA assembled in Carson City on June 30, 2017 that the 2019 session of the Nevada legislature is hereby memorialized to enact the legislation to promote recycling and discourage littering by implementing this regulation in an effort to raise awareness and encourage the absolute necessity of recycling.