

"A community partnership building GOOD PEOPLE who DO GOOD things."

APYS PLASTIC FREE RESTAURANT TOOL

Use this tool to ACTIVATE YOUR LOCAL RESTAURANTS! Feel free to print a copy or just bring it up on a phone or tablet by clicking onto APYS Addy's Activation Page, initiative #3 when you approach the owner/manager of the restaurant you & your family & friends are visiting!

Hi! My name is **[YOUR NAME]**. I enjoy visiting your restaurant **[name of restaurant]**, but I'm concerned that plastic pollution is making its way to our plates through the food chain and I noticed your restaurant uses **[plastic cups, lids, straws, bags, to-go items]**. I know as a restaurant **[owner or manager]** your impact on plastic pollution likely concerns you too, since plastic never biodegrades, only 9% of plastic is recycled within current systems, whole ecosystems are being wiped out and *single use* plastics like cups, lids, straws, bags and to-go items are a huge contributing problem.

That's why it's exciting to let you know you can contribute to sustainable solutions! The <u>Plastic</u> <u>Pollution Coalition Easy Guide to Plastic Free Eats</u> has everything you need to help your restaurant activate sustainable solutions!!

If you wouldn't mind sharing your email, I'd love to send you a link to this guide! Your participation will help save the planet I'm going to inherit, thank you!!

FOLLOW UP:

Now, with your mentor, FOLLOW UP by sending an email to the restaurant manager/owner you spoke with. You can EDIT THIS TOOL TEMPLATE into an e-LETTER, & remember to thank the manager/owner for their interest and dedication to activating sustainable solutions that will improve your community. This template has a link embedded under the copy: *Plastic Pollution Coalition Easy Guide to Plastic Free Eats*, be sure your e-letter hyperlinks to this page, or you can download the PPC tool & attach it (available on APYS Addyson's page, initiative #3) AND please POST AN IMAGE OF YOUR ACTIVATION EXPERIENCE #AddyPresInspires and @addypresIfstyle

GOOD WORK YOUNG STEWARD! Your contribution is putting sustainable solutions in ACTION!!