

NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

STOMP OUT LITTER



KEEP NEW YORK CITY CLEAN

TOP 10 WAYS TO STOMP OUT LITTER

- 10 - Participate in neighborhood volunteer clean-up efforts
- 9 - Keep your sidewalk and storefront clean
- 8 - Don't toss litter into the street because when it rains, you don't go to the beach...your litter does.
- 7 - Don't pile candy wrappers or fast-food packaging onto garbage bags awaiting collection
- 6 - Don't throw empty coffee cups or napkins into the street – WAIT FOR THE NEXT LITTER BASKET
- 5 - Use litter baskets only for pedestrian litter, not household or commercial refuse
- 4 - Place garbage out for collection in cans with tightly fitting lids, or heavyweight plastic bags
- 3 - Tell your kids that garbage belongs in the garbage can, not on the street or sidewalk. Better yet, teach them by YOUR example
- 2 - Illegal dumping makes neighborhoods look awful and it's against the law. The best way to STOMP OUT LITTER is ...

1 - NOT TO LITTER IN THE FIRST PLACE!



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