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Submission in support of the drink container refund bill

The Hamilton Field Naturalists Club has, for many years, encouraged and supported petitions into a nation wide adoption of a drink container refund approach.

The club would like to express its full support for the adoption of a Drink Container Recycling Act that includes a deposit and refund system.

Having been involved in studying and looking after the environment for over 50 years, the club has often cleaned up litter spoiling the experience one should have during a visit to the natural environment.

The swift adoption of this drink container deposit and refund system is crucial to achieve sustainable living in our affluent society; we owe it to the world.

With kind regards
Hamilton Field Naturalists Club

Reto Zollinger
President

