

Marine Debris Sort Report

2025



In 2025, local volunteers conducted beach cleanups in Juno Beach, FL. Following each beach and underwater cleanup, LMC's conservation department sorts and analyzes 25% the debris collected. The debris removed during the cleanup was sorted and data collected in alignment with best practices as outlined by our partners at NOAA and the Ocean Conservancy.



5,704

volunteers



95

cleanups



3,522.2

pounds (total weight)



115,019

pieces of debris (25%)

UNUSUAL ITEMS FOUND

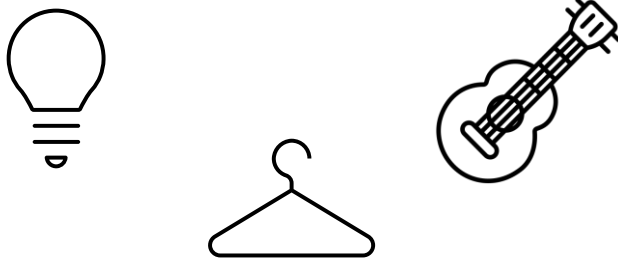


Figure 1. Some unusual items found during 2025 included 2 lightbulbs, 26 clothes hangers, and a ukulele!

TOP 10 ITEMS COLLECTED

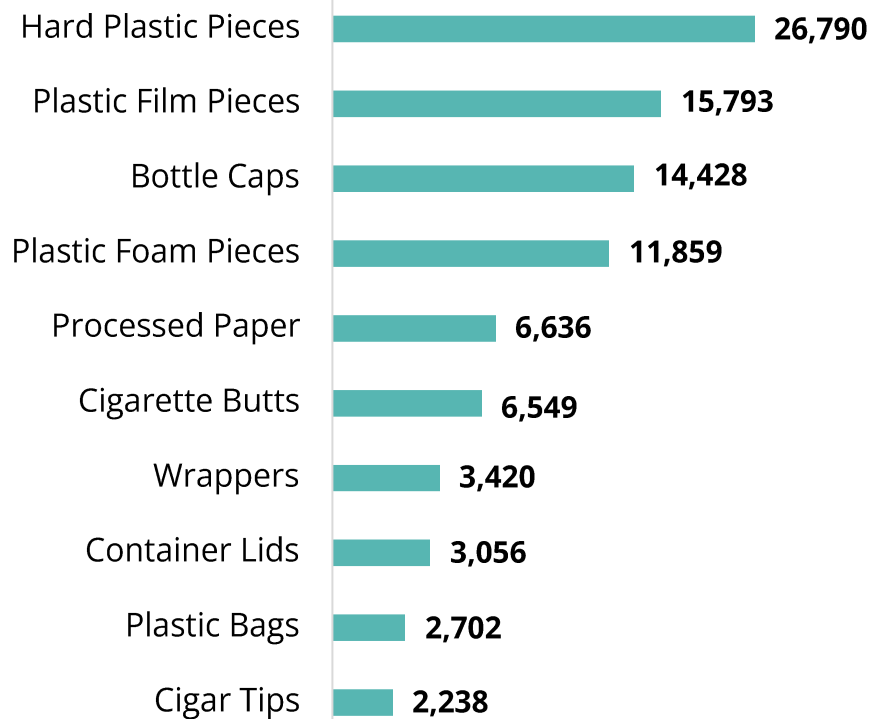


Figure 3. Top 10 items collected during marine debris removal efforts in 2025.

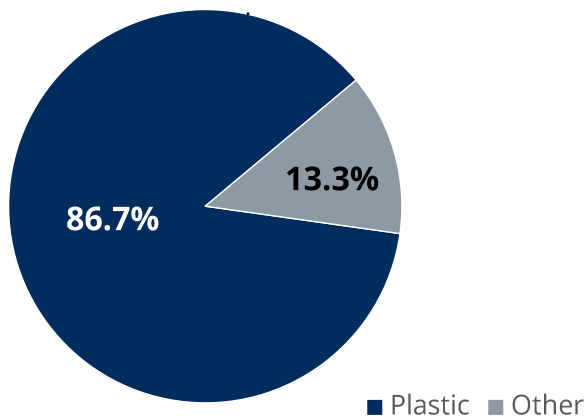


Figure 2. 86.7% of all debris removed was plastic.