

Marine Debris Sort Report

April 2024



During the month of April, local volunteers participated in beach cleanups in Juno Beach, Florida. Following each beach and underwater cleanup, LMC's Conservation Department sorts and analyzes 25% of 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.



732

volunteers



19

cleanups



341.76

pounds (total weight)



16,105

pieces of debris (25%)



Figure 1. Blue Friends volunteers helping with Saturday beach clean-up.

TOP 5 ITEMS COLLECTED

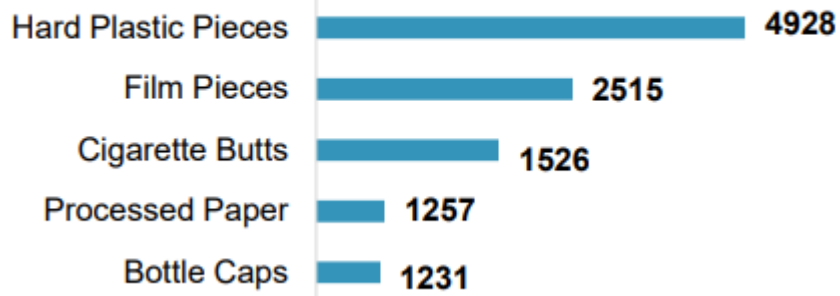


Figure 2. Top 5 items collected in April 2024.

ANYONE MISSING THEIR SHOES?



17 left shoes

18 right shoes

Found during March beach clean-ups

■ Plastic ■ Other

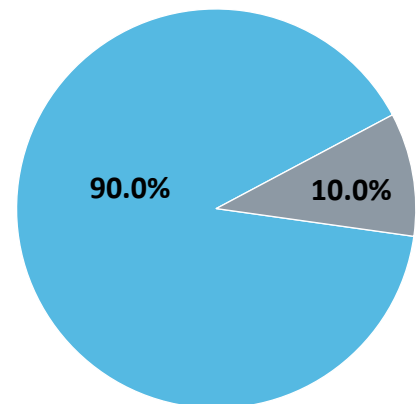


Figure 3. 90.0% of all debris removed was plastic.