



Marine Debris Sort Report

April 2025



During the month of April, local volunteers conducted beach cleanups in Juno beach. 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.



733

volunteers



11

cleanups



337.7

pounds (total weight)



14,553

pieces of debris (25%)



TOP 5 ITEMS COLLECTED

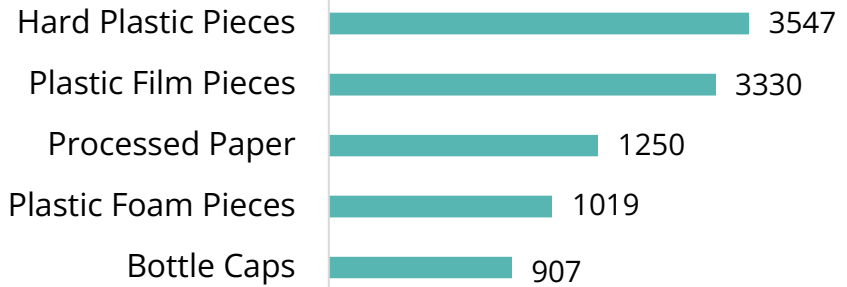



Figure 2. Top 5 items collected in April 2025.


Figure 1. Conservation team with collected marine debris from the Great American Cleanup.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

 Ditch single-use plastic water bottles by purchasing and using a reusable one!

Say no to Styrofoam! Instead, request for leftover food to be wrapped in aluminum foil when dining out.



 Refuse disposable plastic utensils when ordering takeout or delivery. Try utensil sets made from sustainable materials, like bamboo, as an alternative.

■ Plastic ■ Other

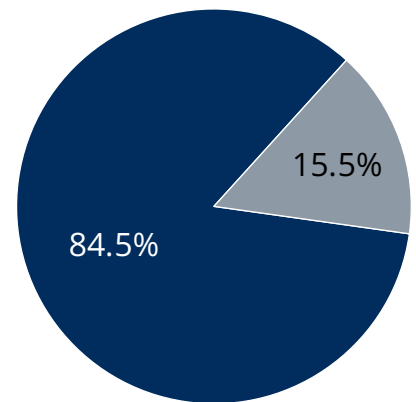


Figure 3. 84.5% of all debris removed was plastic.

