

Marine Debris Sort Report

December 2024



During the month of December, 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.



191

volunteers



10

cleanups



247

pounds (total weight)



9,718

pieces of debris (25%)

TOP 5 ITEMS COLLECTED

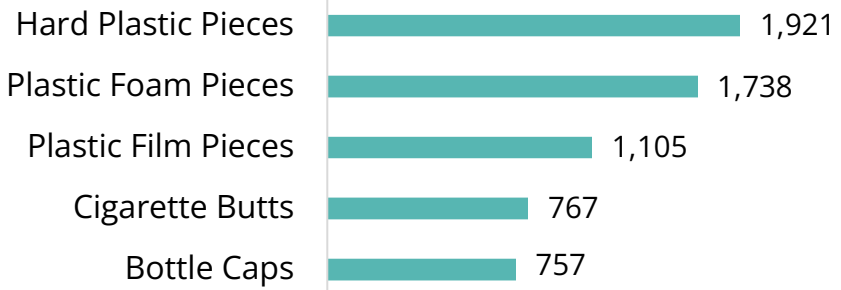


Figure 2. Top 5 items collected during December 2024.

UNUSUAL ITEMS

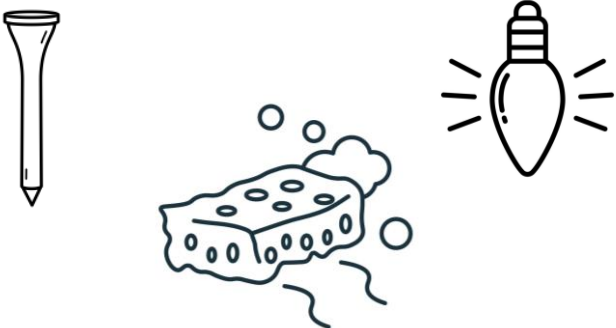


Figure 3. Unusual items found during December 2024 include a golf tee, a kitchen sponge, and Christmas lights!

■ Plastic ■ Other

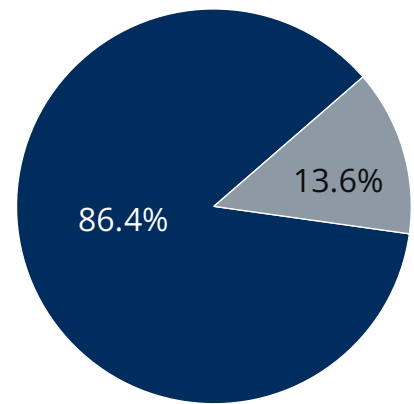


Figure 4. 86.4% of all debris removed was plastic.