

NO BAG NOVEMBER



TAKING ON THE PLEDGE

This business proudly took the Great Lakes Guardian pledge for **No Bag November**! By reducing plastic bag use, they're helping keep plastic out of our Great Lakes, supporting cleaner water and a sustainable future.

SAY NO TO PLASTIC

- During the holiday season, plastic consumption spikes, with Americans generating 25% more waste than at any other time of the year.
- Each year, an estimated 22 million pounds of plastic, including bags, pollute the Great Lakes.
- Over 85% of the trash collected during Great Lakes beach cleanups is plastic.

TAKE ACTION

Join **No Bag November** and make a difference! Swap single-use plastic bags for reusables—while a plastic bag lasts minutes in your hands, it sits in landfills for years. Get involved by avoiding plastic bags, joining local cleanups, and logging your trash at greatlakeslove.org. Scan the QR code to take action today!

