

Consumerism & Waste — Green (Gr) dots 1st priority, Yellow (Ye) dots 2nd priority

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Personal actions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • promote buy local, buy less (Edu) • focus on re-use and repair, rather than new (Edu) • promote repurposing items — waste as a resource, not a problem (Edu) • increase opportunities for sharing rather than buying (N) ▲ • shift to outlets that reuse containers — refilleries, Nature Spirit Earth Market, etc. (Edu, CA) • bring your own cloth bags (Edu) 	1 1 1	1 1	Also with Economic Change
Shift to a maker culture through: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • education (Edu) • cross-generational sharing (Edu, N) • Fix-It Fairs (CA), the Art Demos (Art) • learning Indigenous ways of living, using what is available in nature 		1 3	
Lobby to Change Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To accept only re-useable plastic in packaging • Mandate eco-fees on packaging • Advocate for manufacturer’s responsibility for life cycle of product • Community Composting 	1 2	1 2 2	Also with Agriculture