

Tobacco Littering: Not just "someone else's" problem

Hazardous and toxic

If cigarette butts are the most littered item in America and even after they are smoked they remain hazardous.



Littering on public land

When cigarette butts are littered on public land governments are forced to clean them up which means higher taxes to fix other people's problems

Littering on private land

When cigarette butts are littered on someone else's private land it forces them to clean up another smoker's mess.



Community impact

When cigarette butts are littered it makes communities less attractive to live and work in. This can drive away residents and hurt small businesses

Wildfires

Every year in California there are dozens of wildfires started by smoking.* These fires put entire communities at risk



An Issue for Everyone

Littering cigarette butts is NOT just an individual's problem. It forces governments to pay for clean-ups, pollutes other people's land, makes communities less attractive, and raises the risk of wildfires. This is an issue for everyone.