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Dear Mayor Mark,

People are not recycling and it's bad for the Earth. Our garbage is not good for humans or animals. We can make Scarsdale a better place. Here are some reasons why Scarsdale should recycle.

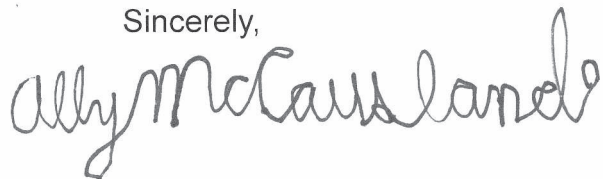
Our garbage is piling up in some places and getting bigger and worse for the Earth. Also the Earth makes 2.6 trillion pounds of garbage per year. Plus the U.S has 3,091 active landfills. That's a lot for one country!

Some other reasons Scarsdale should recycle is that 3.6 million people die from water pollution every year. Plus more than a million animals die from water pollution every year. Garbage also washes up on beaches and birds think it's fish so they eat it and die.

Scientists say that in 2157 the earth will be covered in garbage and humans will be super sick. You want humans to be healthy, right? Also the U.S produces 30 % of the Earth's garbage. Wow that's a lot of garbage. It is getting harder and harder to create new landfills because we are running out of space and no one wants to live near them. You don't want the Earth to be full of garbage, do you.

I know you might say some places don't have enough money, but kids and adults can have fundraisers to raise money like bake sales and car washes.

Sincerely,



Alexandra McCausland

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