Students,

This is Harri Wallace, and I am working alongside Jackson Lee and Kendrick McCarty. We are seniors in the stem program here at SVGS. For our midterm project in Environmental Science this year, we have set up a plastic bottle and bag recycling around the main gov school area.

There will be collection bins near the vending machine, exit, and Physics platform. The bottles that are collected will be sent to a company called Replenysh. They return the collected bottles to the big companies that created them to be reused. Before placing your bottles from the vending machine in the bins, we are asking you to please rinse out the bottle with water from the sink.

For plastic bag recycling, we have placed bins around the SVGS grid next to the plastic bottle bins. The recycled bags will be sent to a recycling company known as Trex for a recycling contest among organizations across the U.S. To help in the recycling efforts for the program, please recycle your plastic bags in the appropriately labeled bin and avoid putting other non-plastic bag trash in the bins. The specifications for recycled items accepted are included below.

Thanks for your time,



Plastic bag recycling Infographic



Plastic bottle recycling bins



Plastic bag recycling bin