No ifs, ands, or... BUTTS
The truth about cigarette butts

Cigarette butts are the
#1 TRASH ITEM
found on beaches WORLDWIDE

They contain TOXIC CHEMICALS including ARSENIC & NICOTINE that leach into our ocean and can HARM MARINE LIFE

3 OUT OF 4 SMOKERS report they litter their cigarette butts

They aren’t just litter. They’re TOXIC WASTE

98% of all butts are made of PLASTIC which means they take YEARS to DECOMPOSE

Over 4.5 TRILLION butts are thrown away each year

Sources for this document include the Truth Initiative, Santa Cruz Tobacco Education Coalition, and the Ocean Conservancy