



PREVENT PLASTIC WASTE IN LONG ISLAND SOUND

When disposable plastic bags, bottles, straws, and other plastics end up on shoreline habitats and in the water they pose a threat to Long Island Sound's wildlife.

The Long Island Sound Study's #DontTrashLISound #ProtectOurWildlife campaign looks at preventing plastic waste in Long Island Sound by encouraging people to bring reusable bags and bottles to Long Island Sound beaches, parks, and Stewardship Areas!

The Long Island Sound Study's "Protect Our Wildlife" sticker series features many different creatures, all found in the Long Island Sound.

Click or tap bit.ly/DontTrashLISound to view the entire Protect Our Wildlife animal series. These



stickers help to highlight our social media campaign to break the single-use plastic habit.





Fish make up about 99% of the osprey's diet, so it's no wonder that this majestic bird is also known as the fish hawk! The osprey was close to extinction in the 1970s, but their numbers rebounded after DDT was banned in North America. Scientists believe that the toxic effect of the pesticide was reducing the bird's ability to reproduce.



COLOR YOUR OWN OSPREY!



DRAW YOUR OWN LONG ISLAND SOUND ANIMAL!
Use this blank sticker to draw your own osprey,
or choose other Long Island Sound animals from our
Protect Our Wildlife series at bit.ly/DontTrashLISound.