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Dear Honorable Legislative committee members:

I'm writing to express my support for the municipal solid waste scheme.

Hong Kong's waste management is in dire need of modernization. It is sad to see such a prosperous city consumed by waste, with the majority of it currently going to landfill. With our oceans filled with plastic we need to encourage people to think about how they consume. I believe this scheme will help people to be more of a conscious consumer as people will be able to see the waste that their home and businesses generate and hopefully rethink and reduce the amount of waste they produce.

We need to pass this bill so that we can all take responsibility for the waste that we generate. We all enjoy good tax rate, in comparison to other countries, therefore this is a small price to pay to make our city cleaner and safer.

Yours sincerely

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