

Did You Know:

- Reusing a bag meant for just one use has a big impact. A sturdy, reusable bag needs only be used 11 times to have a lower environmental impact than using 11 disposable plastic bags.
- In New York City alone, one less grocery bag per person per year would reduce waste by 109 tons and save \$11,000 in disposal costs.
- Plastic bags carry 80% of the nation's groceries, up from 5% in 1982.
- When 1 ton of paper bags is reused or recycled, 3 cubic meters of landfill space is saved and 13 - 17 trees are spared! In 1997, 955,000 tons of paper bags were used in the United States.
- When 1 ton of plastic bags is reused or recycled, the energy equivalent of 11 barrels of oil are saved.

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Chico Bag

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