

“no plastic please”

—a campaign from HUMANE ACTION Pittsburgh to end suffering from single use plastic.

The “no plastic please” Awareness Blitz in Squirrel Hill Saturday, March 9

1 pm — Meet at the Carnegie Library at Forbes & Murray for information sharing/training. **RSVP at the No Plastic Please facebook event; indicate you are “going” to we can conserve materials and prepare space.**

2 to 4 pm — Invite all restaurants along the Forbes and Murray business district to partner with NPP and replace or eliminate single use plastic.

Printed materials provided. A \$5 suggested donation is appreciated. For those who kindly RSVP, we can email a digital copy of the materials in advance for your review prior to March 9. Materials include: Digital Slideshow, Business Terms of Agreement and NPP Cards

The training will cover your discussion with business owners/managers regarding how to reduce plastic, alternative resources and rewards for choosing sustainable practices.

You will simply be introducing “no plastic please” to restaurants for the first time, leaving materials for the manager/owner and then asking for a follow up appointment within 2 weeks so that businesses can give some thought as to what they can commit too. It’s that easy. Follow up in 2 weeks & sign them up.

If a ground swell of ambassadors can gather, we should be able to create a media event. Imagine if 20 people invited only 4 restaurants to partner with us, it shouldn’t take long to cover the entire business district.

As we hone our skills and gather more ambassadors, we plan take on a new neighborhood each month until all of Pittsburgh is saying “no plastic please”.

RSVP needed — Please go to the No Plastic Please facebook event page, click ‘events’, select the **MAR 9 event, click ‘going’.**