



# This is the only green the Deposit Repeal advocates are interested in.

**F**or more than 30 years beverage industry leaders – Coke, Pepsi and Anheuser-Busch – have waged war on beverage container deposits, from Oregon where the first deposit law was adopted in 1971, to Hawaii, which stands poised today to adopt a bottle bill.

Columbia's voters have rejected previous attempts to repeal the 5¢ deposit law. But now beverage and grocery giants are back again with Prop 1, pretending to support recycling.

Companies leading the war on deposit laws profit from pollution, litter and waste – all the result of

making new bottles and cans to replace more than 100 billion beverage containers thrown away every year in the United States.

**Don't be fooled, a vote for Prop 1 is a vote for litter and waste.** The beverage and food industries have spent hundreds of millions of dollars trying to avoid responsibility for their throwaway bottles and cans. **Let's send a message from the voters again – corporate money can't buy this election.**

**Columbia's Deposit Ordinance – Too Good to Throw Away!**

## ON APRIL 2, VOTE "NO" ON PROP 1



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