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P+PB's national sustainability-focused marketing campaign highlights how paper and packaging's sustainable nature, the industry's environmental practices and investment in recycling contributes to a healthier planet.

### **CAMPAIGN HIGHLIGHTS**

## Good Morning America Shares Tips Ahead of Big Game

Ahead of the big game this Sunday, we scored a televised segment on Good Morning America's afternoon show, GMA3, to demystify common concerns game night hosts may have for recycling paper items after the party. We partnered with zero-waste influencer Kathryn Kellogg to highlight the recyclability of pizza boxes and celebrate the use of paper for every occasion. Viewers had the chance to win gift cards for a post-party cleanup – and to feel more confident about what they can recycle!



WATCH the segment now at youtube.com/@GMA

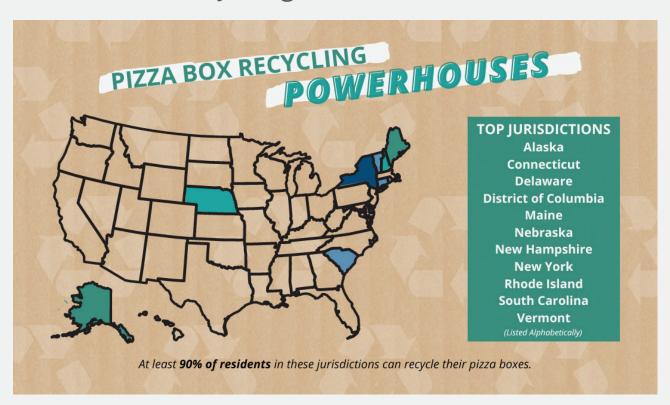
## What Does Your Handwriting Say About You?



The art of analyzing someone's personality through their handwriting dates back centuries, but we put a modern spin on it last month with a two-part series on TikTok. The videos drive consumers to an article on our website where they can take a quiz to find out what their handwriting says about them — and learn about how choosing paper and packaging helps support America's forests!

WATCH the series on TikTok @howlifeunfolds

### U.S Pizza Box Recycling Powerhouses



Capitalizing on the fact that football fans will eat nearly 13 million pizzas during this month's big game, we named the 10 states and the District of Columbia where 90% or more of consumers have the ability to recycle their pizza boxes under local guidelines. Educating that pizza boxes are made to be recycled and to check your local guidelines for acceptance helps to eliminate consumer confusion around this topic and ultimately helps get more fiber into the recycling stream.

**READ** the press release at paperandpackaging.org/industry-resources

## Sustainable Thoughts From P+PB's President, Mary Anne Hansan



# News Flash: Healthy Forests Make for Happy Workers

A couple of weeks ago the Washington Post had a news item that put a big smile on my face. "Envy the lumberjacks" it begins, "for they perform the happiest, most meaningful work on earth." And why not? America's tree farmers and their workforce collectively help ensure that the American forests that bring us paper and packaging products are responsibly managed, protecting against disease, wildfire and invasive species; encouraging sustainable growth and biodiversity; planning long-term for soil, water and air integrity; and growing about twice as much as is harvested each year, on average. That sounds pretty meaningful to me!

READ MORE on my blog at paperandpackaging.org/blog

### **INDUSTRY NEWS**

## Communications Ambassador Summit Returns In-Person This Year

After three years of being held virtually, our annual Communications Ambassadors Summit will be in person this year on May 23 and 24! This is where our Communications Ambassador Program members—individuals in each of our participating companies whose role is to share the excitement of the campaign through their social media and internal communications channels—can connect with each other and learn the latest information about our campaign. We look forward to reconnecting with familiar faces and getting to know some new ones!



### **INNOVATION**

## The Packaging Solutions of Today and Tomorrow





From the packaging itself to the automation that puts it all together—there were plenty of innovations to cover in 2022. To kickoff the new year, we are highlighting three brands that apply an element of sustainability beyond the packaging—thinking inside and outside the box.

**READ** the article at **howlifeunfolds.com/packaging-innovation** 

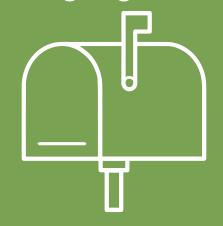
### **DATA TRENDS THAT MATTER**

## Most Consumers Prefer Paper-Based Mailing Bags

PAPER 62%

NO PREFERENCE 24%

PLASTIC 14%



### SOCIAL SPOTLIGHT AND SHARING



Of adults 18+ surveyed. Source: Paper and Packaging Board & Isobar, December 2022

