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FILE: AP_6/4/11 **TO:** SPREP National Focal Points
DATE: 21 September 2021
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SUBJECT: Pacific Regional Declaration on the Prevention of Marine Litter and Plastic Pollution and its Impacts

Dear Members,

The Secretariat is pleased to provide you with the *Pacific Regional Declaration on the Prevention of Marine Litter and Plastic Pollution and its Impacts* that was presented at the Environment Ministers' High-Level Talanoa on the 10th of September which is now available for voluntary endorsement until the 25 November 2021.

<https://www.sprep.org/sites/default/files/30-SPREP-Meeting/Ministerial%20Meeting/Eng/SPREP-Ministers-High-Level-Talanoa-2021-Declaration-on-Plastics-Eng.pdf>

Members are invited to affirm their country or territory endorsement by way of a written note to the Secretariat. The following sample draft would be acceptable:

On behalf of the [Hon. Minister] of [Country] I would like to confirm that [Country] is pleased to endorse the "*Pacific Regional Declaration on the Prevention of Marine Litter and Plastic Pollution and its Impacts*"

Please contact Anthony Talouli, A/Director WMPC Programme anthonyt@sprep.org for further information.

Yours sincerely,

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