Dave Harris, President at Original Bagel Company



At Original Bagel we've reached our goal of making the best bagels in the world. We are equally passionate about making sure our bakery reaches our goal to have zero environmental impacts. We print our environmental goals on every box to remind us each and every day that our work is not done.

When I heard about the new Eco-Lok, which contains up to 20 percent potato starch resins and emits up to 20 percent less carbon, I knew right away it was a great first step toward reducing our carbon emissions and our plastic consumption. We switched over in March 2020. By making this small change with a part of our packaging that is the size of a postage stamp, we have saved enough carbon to drive between New York City and Philadelphia 94 times! Building on this important step, we are rolling out our new 6-pack bags this summer which contain 25 percent recycled plastic and helps our consumer to know that Original Bagel is truly making strides to save the planet!

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