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EDITORIAL

LETTERS

Smoking stinks up the beach

To the Editor:

Please try to put a limit on the use of tobacco products on the Narragansett Town Beach or at least on chairs 1, 2 and 3, for the wind (and the smell) always blows down there.

There seem to be more and more smokers on the beach every year, especially when there are fireworks.

The smell is very strong, and it is affecting not only the smoker's health but also everyone else on the beach, trying to enjoy the fresh air.

For another thing, the cigarette

butts and chewing tobacco are clogging up the beach and ruining the environment.

Although smokers currently have a right to smoke, the right was given to them by humans, not animals, which are affected just as much, if not more, than humans.

Finally, cigarettes can cause fires.

In conclusion, limiting the use of tobacco products on the beach would be a huge help to the society, the environment and the smokers themselves.

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