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Do:

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Review:

- What do you know now that you did not know before?
- How did you feel before, during and after this experience?
- How did your Patrol manage this project?
- What problems did you encounter, and how did you solve these problems?
- Did you find as much trash as you expected? Why do you think this was the case?
- What else can you do to improve the shoreline?

Safety Note:

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Online Resources:

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