

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED UNDER LBMCC8.63

FOODWARE

Prohibits the use of prepared food to be served in the following container materials:

- **Expanded Polystyrene Foam** (Styrofoam™)
- **Rigid Polystyrene** (Plastic #6)



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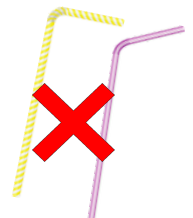
Prohibits the sale and distribution of the following polystyrene items:

- **Foodware Containers**
- **Packing Material**
 - Including, but not limited to, foam or packing peanuts, popcorn or noodles
- **Meat, Fish or Produce Trays and Egg Cartons**
- **Ice Chests, Toy Filler, Bean Bags, and Craft Beads**



STRAWS

- **Straws must not be Plastic or Bioplastic and must be given only upon request**
 - A Plastic Straw may be given if needed to comply with ADA requirements



STATE LAW AB 1276

State law defines single-use foodware accessories as utensils, chopsticks, condiment cups & packets, straws, stirrers, splash sticks, and cocktail sticks

- **All disposable foodware accessories must be given only upon request**
- **Only provide single-use accessories required to eat the ready-to-eat food**
- **Retail food facilities may not bundle single-use foodware items**
- **Third-party delivery platforms for takeout and delivery orders shall provide consumers the option to request single-use food items from their menu**



RESOURCES & MORE INFORMATION

- **Work With Your Current Vendor** to find acceptable alternatives for Expanded Polystyrene Foam packaging
- **LB Reuses** is a coalition of businesses & organizations within Long Beach that encourages residents to bring their own reusable items for to-go food and drinks. Become a participating business by accepting reusables and email **LBReuses@gmail.com** to receive a window sticker.
- For more information on local and state laws related to your business please visit our website at **Longbeach.gov/FFLB**