THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED UNDER LBMC 8.63

FOODWARE as of 12/03/2019
Prohibits the use of Non-Recyclable or Non-Compostable Foodware for prepared food.

- Expanded Polystyrene foam (Styrofoam™)
- Rigid Polystyrene (Plastic #6)
- All other Non-Recyclable or Non-Compostable Materials

RETAIL as of 12/03/2019
Prohibits the sale and distribution of the following polystyrene items:

- Foam Ice Chests
- Toy Filler, Bean Bags, and Craft Beads

STRAW AND UTENSILS as of 03/28/2020

- All disposable straws and utensils must be given only upon request at all food establishments.
- Straws must not be Plastic or Bioplastic.
  - A Plastic Straw may be given if needed to comply with ADA requirements.
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RETAIL as of 10/01/2020

No person, vendor, business, or event promoter in the City of Long Beach may sell, rent, distribute, or provide:

- **Polystyrene Foodware Containers**
  - Including, but not limited to, cups, cup lids, condiment cups, food trays, plates, bowls, clamshells and other products primarily for food service use.

- **Polystyrene Packing Material**
  - Including, but not limited to, foam peanuts, packing peanuts, foam popcorn or packing noodles.

- **Polystyrene Fish Trays, Produce Trays, Meat Trays**

- **Polystyrene Egg Cartons**

**ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVES:**

- **Reusable Materials**
- **Paper/Chipboard/Fiber**
- **Recyclable Plastics #1, #2, #5**
- **Aluminum Foil/Trays**

*Compostable Plastic or Bioplastic is not recommended as it is not compostable or recyclable in the City's waste streams.*

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