

City Council Ordinance 6-21 'Prohibition of Single Use Plastic Bags and Disposable Food Containers

Guidance Document in Reference to Section 6-21.2.4.1 & 6-21.2.4.2 (Straws)

No retail food establishment shall dispense, distribute, or sell a beverage straw in conjunction with a sale, except upon request.

All food establishments shall maintain a sufficient supply of single-use compostable straws AND plastic straws. If a person specifically requests a plastic straw, the establishment shall provide one free of charge and shall make no inquiry into the reason for the request.

Businesses shall post a sign, at the place where food is ordered, stating "straws available upon request"

OR

Businesses shall provide dispensers containing single-use plastic straws and compostable straws. Dispensers must be clearly visible, accessible to customers, and labeled.



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