

Foam Containers Prohibited City of South Portland Foam Ban Effective March 1, 2016

Beginning on this date, the use of polystyrene foam packaging is prohibited in the City of South Portland. This includes food service materials such as cups, plates, bowls, clamshell take out boxes, and other items used to contain prepared food.

This ordinance covers all establishments who prepare and/or package food for retail sale including but not limited to restaurants, convenience stores, food trucks, cafeterias, pubs, caterers, coffee shops, and grocery stores.

For more information, please visit www.southportland.org/so.