



MEETING DATE: March 13, 2023

SUBJECT: Single-use Plastics Ordinance / AB 1276

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BACKGROUND

Assembly Bill (AB) 1276 regulates the distribution of single-use foodware accessories and condiments to consumers. AB 1276 prohibits food facilities from distributing single-use foodware accessories and standard condiments to customers unless requested by the customer. Additionally, the law restricts these items from being bundled to avoid customers taking items they do not need. Moreover, it requires a city to authorize an enforcement agency to enforce these requirements.

In order to be in compliance with AB 1276, staff will introduce the Single-use Foodware Accessories and Condiments Ordinance to the City Council on March 28, 2023. If it passes, a second reading will be scheduled to adopt the ordinance on April 11, 2023.

DISCUSSION

The Commission will discuss a Single-use Plastics Ordinance per CAAP action item 3.1B. Which single-use plastics would the Commission like to recommend the City Council consider eliminating?