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Express your view on polystyrene ban

Sunnyvale has been holding community outreach meetings to decide if it should join a growing number of Bay Area cities in banning the use of expanded polystyrene, (also known as EPS or Styrofoam) takeout food containers. For more information about both sides of the debate, see the Web page created by the Sunnyvale related to this topic at <http://nofoam.insunnyvale.com>. There are many good reasons why it makes sense to ban EPS takeout food containers, including reducing litter, and protecting our marine environment better.

If you feel EPS takeout food containers should be banned in Sunnyvale, please let our City Council members know so they vote to ban it. You can email your comments to the City Council on the city's website <http://ecityhall.sunnyvale.ca.gov/contact/contact.aspx?ap=council>. You can attend the Dec. 18 City Council meeting when a vote on the issue is planned. You can call the City Council and let them know how you want them to vote ([408-730-7473](tel:408-730-7473)).

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