

Written Comment Template for Coronado

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by 12:00pm on Tuesday, April 16th

For the Subject Line:

In support of Item 12a (Review and Analysis of City Policies and Ordinances Regarding the Use of Single Use Plastic Products)

For the Body:

Dear Honorable Mayor Bailey and Council Members,

As (someone or as a South County resident or as a Coronado resident) who enjoys the natural beauty that surrounds us, I would like to express my full support for directing staff to review and analyze single-use plastic policies that can be used to inform the development of a comprehensive ordinance for Coronado.

Please direct staff to develop a report that includes the following:

- Single-use plastic reduction policies currently in place in Coronado
- Single-use plastic ordinances adopted by other cities in San Diego County
- California legislation regarding statewide single-use plastic reduction measures

Unfortunately, disposable plastics are consistently among the top ten items found during community and beach cleanups. For example, Styrofoam™ (EPS foam), fragments from foodware consistently rank as one of the top three items found during Surfrider San Diego's beach cleanups countywide. In fact, foam fragments were the most commonly collected item in 2023 with San Diego Chapter volunteers removing 43,109 pieces of foam from San Diego County beaches.

Thank you for addressing the plastic pollution crisis affecting the environment and human health by taking this first step. I also urge the Council to direct staff to draft a comprehensive single-use plastic reduction ordinance when the report is presented to the Council and will look forward to supporting the ordinance that will be developed using the information provided in the staff report.

With appreciation,

Add your name

Add Coronado Resident if you live in Coronado