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Hudson Plastic Bag Ban

Dear Hudson Business Owners and Residents,

As of Friday July 10, Governor Baker has lifted the freeze on plastic bag ban bylaws as well as the ban on reusable bags. In order to give business owners time to make the transition away from plastic bags, the Hudson Single-Use Plastic Bag Ban Bylaw will take effect on September 10, 2020. Although there will be a 2 month grace period before the ban is enforced, we encourage businesses to make the transition as soon as possible.

Please take notice that after September 10, 2020 no single use plastic checkout bags may be distributed at point of sale for any business. Recycled paper bags or reusable bags as defined in the bylaw may be provided for free or sold at checkout.

Our hope is for an increasing number of customers to bring re-usable bags when shopping. We strongly encourage all Hudson residents to start using re-usable bags for all of their shopping trips.

The bylaw text is available at

https://www.townofhudson.org/sites/g/files/vyhlf3281/f/uploads/single-use_bag_ban_bylaw.pdf.

Please call or email with any questions:

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Thank you for your cooperation in making Hudson a cleaner and more environmentally friendly place to live and work!