

# BRING YOUR OWN SAC








## SAY "SO LONG" TO SINGLE-USE PLASTIC BAGS

Help Sacramento County go greener by being a part of the reusable bag revolution!

### WHEN AND WHERE WILL THE BAN HAPPEN?

Starting **July 1, 2016**, single-use plastic bags will no longer be available in the unincorporated areas of Sacramento County at

-  **Grocery stores**
-  **Large Pharmacies**
-  **Convenience Stores**
-  **Markets**
-  **Stores that have a grocery or pharmacy as one of their departments (Target, Walmart, etc.)**

### WHY IS THE COUNTY LIMITING USE OF PLASTIC BAGS?

Single-use plastic bags are a major source of litter! They take hundreds of years to degrade and are harmful to our environment and to our children.




By switching to reusable bags, you can help significantly reduce the amount of waste that goes into area landfills.



### KNOW YOUR BAG



### WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR ME?

-  Bring Your Own Sac! Save money and live green by bringing your own reusable bags.
-  You are welcome and encouraged to bring any reusable bag with you to carry out items, even bags from other stores.
-  You can also buy a paper or reusable bag at check-out - stores subject to the ban must make recyclable paper or reusable bags available for purchase for a minimum of \$.10 per bag.

VISIT [BYOS.SACCOUNTY.NET](http://BYOS.SACCOUNTY.NET) FOR MORE INFORMATION AND HELPFUL TIPS.

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