



**NEIGHBORHOOD ENHANCEMENT DEPARTMENT  
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DIVISION**

July 31, 2019

Dear Mobile Food Unit Owner/Operator:

In May 2019, the City of San Marcos updated the food ordinance regulating mobile food units operating in the City. Section 18.105 of the City of San Marcos Food Ordinance requires that single service items must be composed of recyclable or compostable material and that the use of Styrofoam material is strictly prohibited. These requirements apply to all mobile food units operating in the City of San Marcos.

Although the requirements above became effective in May 2019, the Environmental Health Division will not begin enforcement of these requirements until January 1, 2020. **Please begin preparations to purchase and utilize drinking straws, forks, spoons, knives, plates, and other single service items that are either composed of recyclable or compostable materials.** Additionally, **no styrofoam cups or containers** will be allowed on mobile food units beginning on January 1, 2020.

If you have any questions regarding these requirements, please feel free to contact me at 512-393-8442. Thank you for your time and assistance.

Sincerely,

Stacy Wright, MS, RS, REM  
Environmental Health Manager  
City of San Marcos

I, the undersigned, have received a copy of this notice.

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Print Name

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Signature

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Date