



# City of Tacoma

747 Market Street, First  
Floor, Tacoma WA 98402

## Legislation Text

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An ordinance amending Chapter 12.09 of the Municipal Code, by adding a new Section 12.09.215, entitled Bring Your Own Bag; prohibiting the use of carryout bags except recycled paper and reusable carryout bags; requiring retail establishments to collect a pass-through charge from customers requesting recycled paper and reusable carryout bags; providing for reporting of the aggregate number of recycled paper carryout bags annually distributed; establishing penalties; providing for outreach and study of the impacts of the requirements of the new Section; and establishing an effective date.

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