

PS Bans vs. Curbside Collection

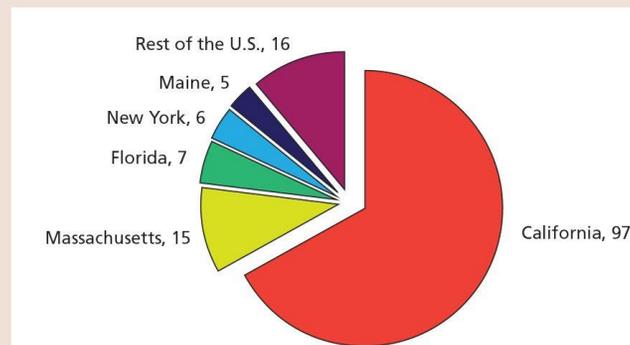
- Nearly 300 Drop Off Locations
- 82 Curbside Programs
- More than 50 Special Collection Events/Year
- 20 National Mail Back Locations
- 146 local governments – counties, cities and towns – in 15 states, including the District of Columbia, that have adopted ordinances to reduce or eliminate the consumption of food-service EPS. These ordinances covered 6.8 percent of the U.S. population.

Reference: <https://resource-recycling.com/plastics/2016/12/08/rise-eps-ordinances/>

EPS Packaging Efficiency

- You expect your products to arrive safely, and EPS helps make that happen!
- Durable, snug fit absorbs shocks, resists moisture and greatly reduces damage.
- Light weight saves fuel during shipping.
- Recycled already to reduce waste and save energy.
- As the recycled content of EPS packaging increases (10% recycled content is typical; up to 20% is possible), energy use decreases 3% to 13%.
- Recyclable again to create new foam packaging or other polystyrene products such as video cassettes, toys, office supplies and packing peanuts.

THE FIVE STATES WITH THE MOST EPS ORDINANCES

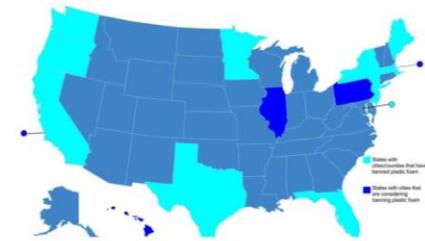


Source: Travis P. Wagner

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Plastic Foam Bans Across the US



Foam Ban map, as of June 2015

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