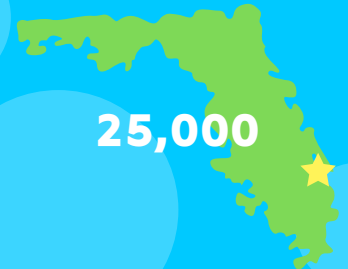




Single-use plastic straws are used in the U.S. every day.



Plastic straws are proportionately used in Stuart daily.

# SKIP THE STRAW

**Help us achieve our zero waste goal!**

**#SkipTheStraw**

## **Before January 1, 2021 (Warnings only)**

- Businesses may NOT automatically distribute plastic straws to customers or provide a display for self-dispensing.
- Single-use straws may ONLY be distributed upon customer request.
- Drive-thru windows may automatically provide plastic straws to customers.

## **Beginning January 1, 2021 (Fines enforced)**

- Businesses may NOT distribute plastic straws to customers.
- Non-plastic straws may NOT be automatically distributed to customers or provided as a display for self-dispensing.
- Drive-thru windows may automatically provide non-plastic straws to customers.

\*Nursing homes, medical, dental, and assisted living facilities, and any pre-packaged, unaltered retail products are exempt.



**PLASTIC STRAW ORDINANCE NO. 2416-2019**

Applies to any business or vendor operating within the City of Stuart that sells or provides food & beverage products.