



TOWN OF FREEPORT, MAINE

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Christine Wolfe, Town Clerk
FROM: Peter Joseph, Town Manager
CC: Freeport Town Council
DATE: 3/30/20
RE: Suspension of Freeport Ordinance Chapter 55 'Single Use Carryout Bags'

Pursuant to the authority granted to me by Freeport Ordinance Chapter 55, Section 105 I am ordering all stores to be exempted from all provisions of Single Use Carryout Bag Ordinance Chapter 55, until such time as the State of Civil Emergency issued by Governor Mills on 03/15/20 is lifted. I am ordering that this exemption take effect retroactively on 03/01/20.

During the time of this exemption, stores may distribute merchandise in single use carryout bags of their choosing. Additionally, stores may choose not to assess the required \$.05 fee per bag for paper bags provided during this time.