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No Local Plastic Bag Ban

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The Moraga Town Council unanimously rejected the adoption of a local ban on single-use plastic bags Aug. 27. Within two days of the council's vote, a bag ban bill passed both houses of the state legislature and now sits on the governor's desk. Governor Jerry Brown has indicated that he intends to sign into law a statewide ban on disposable plastic bags that would go into effect on July 1, 2015.

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