

SB 545 will allow consumers to use self-provided carryout containers in restaurants after OHA develops rules. This is good but. The unresolved issue in self-use containers and bags is the contamination liability. Oregon has a hodge podge of answers to this question. Various agencies have set rules on how to handle food contamination liability. Given lawyers, the State needs to establish a single liability policy on all types of self or reusable containers. I encourage the House to attempt to address the liability issue to prevent lawyer free for all in the future.