



List of Municipalities that Restrict Smoking in Outdoor Dining Areas

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According to the U.S. Surgeon General, secondhand smoke exposure is harmful at any level. Therefore, many cities and counties in California have taken steps to protect residents from this danger. Local communities led the way on smokefree indoor workplace laws and are leading the way once again with local laws to protect residents from secondhand smoke exposure in outdoor dining areas. California state law only prohibits smoking in indoor areas of restaurants and bars, and municipalities are not preempted from passing a stronger law to prohibit smoking within outdoor dining areas of bars and restaurants.

There are 119 municipalities in California that have passed ordinances to restrict smoking in at least some outdoor dining areas. The table below lists all of these cities and counties and divides the policies into two categories:

1. Municipalities that restrict smoking in all outdoor dining areas

There are 73 municipalities that restrict smoking in all outdoor dining areas and these policies ensure that all workers and customers are protected from secondhand smoke exposure.

2. Municipalities that restrict smoking in outdoor dining areas but have exemptions for bars or allow for designated smoking areas

There are 46 municipalities that have policies with exemptions for certain types of outdoor dining areas. While these policies provide important protections from secondhand smoke, some workers and customers will continue to be exposed to secondhand smoke.

For more information about smokefree outdoor dining areas and other restrictions on smoking in outdoor areas, visit www.Center4TobaccoPolicy.org/smokefree-outdoor-areas. These resources include information on the need for and benefits of these policies, a list of cities and counties that have adopted comprehensive outdoor secondhand smoke ordinances and answers to tough questions about smokefree outdoor policies.

| County | Restricts Smoking in all Outdoor Dining Areas | | | Restricts Smoking in Outdoor Dining But Allow Exemptions |
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| Alameda County | Alameda County Berkeley Dublin Emeryville | Fremont Hayward Newark Oakland | Pleasanton San Leandro Union City | Alameda Albany Livermore |
| Butte County | | | | Chico |
| Contra Costa County | Contra Costa County Lafayette | Martinez Pinole Richmond | San Ramon Walnut Creek | Concord Pleasant Hill |
| Fresno County | | | | Reedley |

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| Glenn County | Orland | | | | |
| Humboldt County | | | | Arcata Blue Lake | Eureka |
| Imperial County | Calexico | | | | |
| Los Angeles County | Baldwin Park Beverly Hills Calabasas Carson Compton Hermosa Beach | Huntington Park Malibu Monterey Park Pasadena San Fernando | Santa Monica Sierra Madre South Pasadena Temple City | Burbank Culver City Gardena Glendale | Long Beach Los Angeles West Hollywood |
| Marin County | Larkspur Mill Valley | San Anselmo San Rafael | Sausalito Tiburon | Belvedere Fairfax Marin County | Novato Ross |
| Mono County | Mammoth Lakes | | | | |
| Orange County | Laguna Hills | | | Laguna Beach | Laguna Woods |
| Riverside County | Murrieta | Palm Desert | | Temecula | |
| San Bernardino County | Loma Linda | | | | |
| San Diego County | Carlsbad Chula Vista Del Mar | El Cajon Encinitas | National City Solana Beach | Coronado San Diego | |
| San Francisco County | | | | San Francisco | |
| San Joaquin | | | | Stockton | |
| San Luis Obispo County | Morro Bay | | | San Luis Obispo | |
| San Mateo County | Belmont Daly City | San Mateo | | South San Francisco Menlo Park | |
| Santa Barbara County | Carpinteria | | | Buellton Santa Barbara Santa Barbara County | |
| Santa Clara County | Campbell Los Gatos | Mountain View San Jose | Santa Clara County | Gilroy Morgan Hill | Palo Alto Sunnyvale |
| Santa Cruz County | | | | Capitola | Santa Cruz |
| Shasta County | | | | Redding | |
| Solano County | | | | Fairfield | |
| Sonoma County | Healdsburg Petaluma Rohnert Park | Santa Rosa Sebastopol | Sonoma County Windsor | | |
| Tuolumne County | | | | Tuolumne County | |
| Ventura County | Camarillo | Moorpark | | Ojai | Thousand Oaks |
| Yolo County | Davis | | | | |