

# Community Garden Compost

## Spring Compost Details



Thank you for your interest in the City of Minneapolis' Community Garden Compost Program, managed by the Division of Solid Waste and Recycling.

### Availability

Spring compost is available May 1 through September 30 each year.

*Requests for Spring compost must be received **by the third Friday in April.***

### Community Garden Requirements for Participation

- Community Garden must be located within the City of Minneapolis

### Community Garden Requirements for Delivery

- All low-cost compost and/or low-cost compost delivery fees must be paid before the delivery.
- A community garden representative must be there to accept delivery.
- The delivery area must be clearly marked with stakes, flags, and/or other type of marker.
- The delivery area must be accessible by a large truck, and be free of low-hanging wires or other obstructions.

### Cost

#### *No-cost Option*

- Amount: 400 cubic yards of no-cost compost is available for Spring delivery.
- Delivery: 30 no-cost deliveries are available for Spring compost.

Once no-cost compost and/or deliveries run out, community gardens will be contacted regarding low-cost options, or referred to local retailers for their compost needs.

#### *Low-Cost Option*

- Amount: 1,000 cubic yards of low-cost compost is available for Spring delivery, at a rate of \$11.00 per cubic yard.
- Delivery: 75 low-cost deliveries are available, at rate of \$120 per delivery.
- Authorization to bill charges through a Minneapolis Utility Billing account is required.

Once low-cost compost runs out, community gardens will be referred to local retailers for their compost needs.

### Delivery Schedule

- Deliveries are available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Saturday from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Compost deliveries are not available during the following holidays:
  - **Memorial Day:** No delivery, Monday – Saturday, the week of Memorial Day
  - **Independence Day:** No delivery, Monday – Saturday, the week of Independence Day.
  - **Labor Day:** No delivery, Monday – Saturday, the week of Labor Day

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## Spring / Summer Compost Request



**Requests for Spring / Summer compost must be received by the third Friday in April**

### Community Garden Information

- Name of Community Garden: \_\_\_\_\_
- Street address of Community Garden: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_
- Is on-site composting available? YES  Number of Compost Bins \_\_\_\_ NO
- Number of gardening plots? \_\_\_\_\_ Garden date of establishment \_\_\_\_\_
- Have you received compost through this program in the past? YES , what year \_\_\_\_\_ NO
- Are you willing to pay for delivery and/or compost, should complimentary supplies be exhausted?  YES  NO
- How do you rate your soil? Poor  Good  Very Good  Excellent

### Organizer's Contact Information

- Organizer's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_
- Organizer's Daytime Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
- Organizer's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_
- Organizers Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

### Alternate's Contact Information

- Alternate's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_
- Alternate's Daytime Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
- Alternate's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

### Delivery Details

- Number of Cubic Yards of Compost Requested \_\_\_\_\_
- Delivery Date (date ranges will not be accepted) and Time (provide a 2-hour window)
  - First Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM to \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM  
Date Time Time
  - Second Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM to \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM  
Date Time Time
  - Third Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM to \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM  
Date Time Time
- Description of Designated area for Compost \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Delivery Instructions (i.e. Low Hanging Wires, Narrow Access, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Mail Completed Applications to:** Minneapolis Solid Waste & Recycling Division  
Attention: Clean City Programs  
309 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue South, Room 210  
Minneapolis, MN 55401-2281

**Fax Completed Applications to:** 612-673-2250

**Email Completed Applications to:**  
Michelle.Howard@MinneapolisMn.gov

-Or-

<b>Office Use Only:</b> Date and Time Received: _____ Registered Community Garden: _____
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