

TOWN OF WALPOLE

FISCAL YEAR 2023 Compost Facility Regulations

THE COMPOST FACILITY IS STRICTLY FOR USE BY RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF WALPOLE. COMMERCIAL, AGRICULTURAL & INDUSTRIAL DISPOSAL IS PROHIBITED.*

THE HOURS OF OPERATION FOR THE COMPOST FACILITY ARE ON THE BACK.

Permits are available from the Treasurer/Collector's Office at Town Hall Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8:00AM to 4:00PM, Tuesday from 8:00AM to 8:00PM, and Friday from 8:00AM to 12:00PM. Upon payment of the required fee and submittal of completed permit application, the resident will be issued a decal(s) that **MUST BE AFIXED TO THE VEHICLE ON THE UPPER LEFT CORNER OF THE WINDSHIELD**. <u>Decals are not at the compost facility.</u>

Each vehicle using the Compost Facility is required to have a decal, **WITH THE EXCEPTION of residents using the facility for paper/cardboard recycling ONLY**. Vehicles without a decal or individuals without a oneday alternative vehicle voucher will not be able to access the facility. If your decal is lost, or you sell your vehicle, you must purchase a replacement decal. These are available at the Treasurer/Collector's Office.

The fee structure for the Fiscal Year is as follows:	
Annual Fee First Registered Vehicle:	\$10.00 valid September 1, 2022 – August 31, 2023
Additional Registered Vehicle Fee: (same address)	\$5.00 per vehicle (after annual fee)
Replacement Decal Fee:	\$5.00
Residents 70 years and older	No Charge

Compost Facility staff monitor all vehicles that use the facility and are instructed to report anyone suspected of violating these regulations. Should it be determined that a violation of these rules & regulations has occurred, the following penalties may be imposed:

1st Offense: Warning 2nd Offense: Forfeiture of Compost Facility Permit with no refund.

The Compost Facility <u>WILL ONLY ACCEPT</u> the following items:

Leaves Grass Clippings Christmas Trees

Brush & Limbs (up to 4-foot sections no greater than 4 inches in diameter)

The Compost Facility Operator will be available to assist with any questions you may have. In an effort to keep traffic flowing, we ask that vehicles do not linger after disposing materials. Also, please keep children under the age of 12 in your vehicle.

* The Town of Walpole is permitted to utilize the facility for collections from municipal properties.