

Composting Equipment Sale



The Bennington County Solid Waste Alliance is selling composting equipment for residents of the Towns of Arlington, Bennington, Dorset, Glastenbury, Manchester, Rupert, Pownal, Sandgate, Searsburg, Shaftsbury, Stamford, Sunderland and Woodford

Soil Saver Composters for \$55.78 (tax included). These provide an easy way to convert common yard and food waste into fertilizer that you can use in your garden, flowerbeds or to fertilize trees. The Soil Saver is 28" wide by 28" deep by 32" high and can serve a household of up to five people. The locking lid helps to keep animals out of the compost. There are two sliding doors for easy removal of compost and a self-watering lid feature.

Busch Kitchen Composter for \$11.80. This can be used to store food scraps in the kitchen until you can take them to your back-yard composter. It has a filter for eliminating odors and a capacity of 2.0 gallons.



Green Cone for \$136.34. Originally developed in the UK for breaking down and composting food waste, this in-ground, solar digester uses heat from the sun to generate high internal temperatures for faster microbial activity. The air chamber created by the dual cones allows for passive convection currents to continually move fresh air through the system, providing the necessary oxygen to maintain aerobic conditions thereby reducing odors. The underground basket is difficult for critters to access, but easy to empty when filled with finished compost. The system provides sufficient capacity to digest 1.5-2 lbs. of food waste per day (scraps from 3-5 adults). You can find more information at: <http://www.greenconeusa.com/green-cone-solar-food-waste-digester.html>

3.5-Gallon Pales with A Screw Top Lid for \$15.57. These are great for storing more than the kitchen composter, especially if you bring your food scraps to your local transfer station instead of composting at home.



All prices include Vermont State Sales Tax.

Orders must be picked up on Wednesday, September 23, 2020 at the Shaftsbury Town Hall, 61 Buck Hill from 4:00 to 6:00 PM

Those picking up their orders should wear masks, maintain social distancing, leave pets at home, and remain in their cars until asked to pick up their items. Please also make sure you have room in your vehicles for the items, which may take up a back seat or large portion of a trunk or hatchback.

To order, visit: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FG3H29M>