

Composting workshop

Learn how to start composting successfully with your new backyard compost bin at an upcoming workshop.

When: Saturday, June 7 from 3-4 p.m.

Where: Hennepin County Northeast Library
Meeting Room – 2200 Old Central Ave., Mpls

Presented by: Master Gardener Jessica Rush

RSVP to Katie Alexander at katie.alexander@hennepin.us.

Bins are built by Sentencing to Service (STS) Homes crews. STS Homes is an on-the-job carpenter training program for incarcerated men and women. The program is a joint venture between Hennepin County and the State of Minnesota Department of Corrections. STS Homes provides a comprehensive plan for inmates' release that includes a positive support system, a safe place to live and training when they return to the community.



Hennepin County
Public Works

Environmental Services

612-348-3777

www.hennepin.us/composting

Start composting in your backyard

Recycle

your food and yard waste
into nutrient-rich
compost.



There are two options for purchasing a bin:

1. Pre-order online to pick up during a sale event.

Bin pickup will be available on the following days and locations:

- **Saturday, May 31**

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Urban Farm Fair, hosted by
Project Sweetie Pie
Humboldt Ave N and Dowling Ave N
Minneapolis

- **Saturday, May 31**

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Better Futures Minnesota
6100 Olson Memorial Highway
Golden Valley

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You must pre-order a bin and select a pick up date and location when ordering.

2. Purchase a bin at the Hennepin County Drop-off Facility in Brooklyn Park – 8100 Jefferson Hwy, Brooklyn Park

Pay at the facility; no pre-order needed. Bins are for sale during regular drop-off facility hours:

- Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10 a.m.- 6 p.m.
- Wednesday. 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
- Saturday. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Closed Sunday and Monday



About the bins

The bins are 3' x 3' x 3'.

Bins are sold as a kit with all materials, hardware, and assembly and composting instructions included; some assembly required.



**Purchase a
compost
bin**

Cost
\$45
per bin