

From: Mayor
Sent: Wednesday, January 4, 2017 8:34 PM
To: Christine Makuch
Subject: Re: Food scrap recycling

Dear Ms Makuch-Simpson -- Thank you for your email and interest in the program. The food composting program as now planned is not limited to 100. Rather, what is planned is a voluntary program in which all interested residents may participate as follows: Special bins into which the food scraps can be deposited will be placed at the recycling center at Secor Road,. It is hoped the bins will be in place next week. Once the bins are in place, residents may bring food scraps to the recycling center to deposit in the bins (the program will not involve Village pick-up of the food scraps at residents' homes).

An Ad Hoc Committee comprised of residents Ron Schulhof and Michelle Sterling has put together kits for use at home to collect food scraps. The kits which can be purchased at cost -- \$20 per kit -- include a counter top pail, a larger storage/transportation bin, and a roll of 25 compostable bags.

We look forward to seeing what the level of community interest in the program is and hope to watch it grow over the months ahead.

Thanks again for your interest.

Very truly yours, Jon Mark

From: Christine Makuch <christinemakuch@yahoo.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 4, 2017 1:38 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: Food scrap recycling

Mayor's office

I just opened my mailer re the Sanitation Dept schedule for 2017, after being away for the holidays. I was a happy and a little surprised that food scrap recycling program is being introduced in Scarsdale. So I promptly went on-line to find out more.

I am very interested in seeing a household composting program succeed within our community, having seen them implemented in other cities in the country and elsewhere. If you have not already filled your 100 household pilot group, please sign our family up.

Best,
Christine Makuch-Simpson
21 Fairview Rd.

