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Sent: Friday, January 22, 2016 3:14 PM
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Subject: Fw: Comments on Composting

FYI. JM

From: Mayor
Sent: Friday, January 22, 2016 3:13 PM
To: Auerbacher John
Subject: Re: Comments on Composting

Dear Mr. Auerbacher -- Thank you for your email.

Very truly yours, Jon Mark

From: Auerbacher John <ja@auerbacher.com>
Sent: Friday, January 22, 2016 2:51 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: Comments on Composting

Mayor Mark:

I wanted to add my voice to the suggestion box.

Composting is an environmentally sensible approach to the waste disposal problem and it is heartening to see how enthusiastically it has been adopted by our elementary schools.

A small step for us, but an important one.

Many cities and countries have been doing this for years and even decades.

Scarsdale should be leading the way in environmental issues, but has been slow to educate its residents and adopt additional measures.

I have followed with interest the mulching question and hope that the town can save \$800,000.00 by requiring this to be done. It is so simple, healthy and easy to accomplish. Once I told my lawn cutter that I would use someone else if he did not use a mulching blade, he showed up at my door the next day confirming that he would use one. He had been refusing for the last 6 years.

The money could be spent in ways that would benefit all of us.

The LED project is impressive, particularly in the slow and deliberate approach.

Thank you for your attention and all that you do.

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