## **Donna Conkling**

From: Mayor

Sent: Monday, January 18, 2016 7:46 PM

**To:** Donna Conkling

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**Subject:** Fw: In support of the "Food Scrap Recycling Pilot Program"

## FYI. JM

From: Mayor

Sent: Monday, January 18, 2016 7:42 PM

To: Melissa Attar

Subject: Re: In support of the "Food Scrap Recycling Pilot Program"

Dear Ms. Attar -- Thank you for your email.

Very truly yours, Jon Mark

From: Melissa Attar <melissaattar@yahoo.com>

Sent: Monday, January 18, 2016 6:22 PM

To: Mayor

Subject: In support of the "Food Scrap Recycling Pilot Program"

Dear Mr. Mayor,

I am writing this letter in support of Scarsdale's proposed composting initiative, the "Food Scrap Recycling Pilot Program." Composting helps address two major problems we face: excessive trash creation and the growth of produce for an increasingly large population without the overuse of potentially harmful pesticides. Composting requires a changing of habits, that, after an initial period, should not be so difficult. Additionally, the current and growing popularity of ideas such as this make it an excellent time to show the community how composting can simply integrate into our lives. Scarsdale is in an excellent position to be at the forefront of this movement. I have read the proposal, and I believe Scarsdale should move forward with the pilot program.

Respectfully submitted, Melissa Attar