



City of Yellowknife • Summer 2011

Backyard Composter Sale

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Did you know that 40% of what Yellowknife households send to the landfill consists of organic materials such as food and yard waste?

By setting up a composter, citizens can convert these organic materials into compost- a valuable soil amendment that can be used to help gardens and lawns grow!



Backyard Composter Sale

The City of Yellowknife is pleased to offer backyard composters at a subsidized rate of \$35.00 / composter. To register for a composter, please choose one of the following:

- On-line: Fill out an application form and pay on-line at www.yellowknife.ca
- In person: Visit the reception desk at City hall to register and pay for your composter.



Once you have paid for your composter, **the composter will be delivered to your home along with an education package.**

Backyard Composting Workshops

In partnership with the City, Ecology North will be presenting free backyard composting workshops in neighbourhoods throughout the City this summer. You are more than welcome to drop in!

- **Wednesday, June 22, 2011** 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Community Garden on the Weledeh school grounds
- **Thursday, July 21, 2011** 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Community Garden at corner of Kam Lake Rd. & Woolgar Ave.
- **Monday, August 15, 2011** 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Range Lake North School grounds

Questions? Call the Ecology North office at (867) 873-6019 for more information

Don't have a backyard, but would still like to compost?

You can participate in the City's centralized composting program! Please call 873-6019 for more details, or visit www.yellowknife.ca under the Public Works & Engineering page.