

Barnstable Transfer Station & Recycling Center

Food Waste Composting Operation



Acceptable Items

All Vegetable and Fruit Waste * Paper Towels and Napkins * Baked Goods *
Pasta * Meat and Bone Scraps * Coffee Grounds * Pumpkin & Sunflower Seeds *
Corn Cobs & Husks * Tea Bags * Dairy Products * Tofu & Soy Milk * Egg Shells
Fish * Grains (rice, oats, barley, etc.) * Grease Drippings *
Nut Shells (peanuts & pistachios, NO WALNUT)

Unacceptable Items

Walnut Shells (may be toxic to some plants & animals) * Diseased Plants *
Human or Pet Waste * Kitty Litter * Glass * Plastic * Metal (e.g. twist ties) *
Cardboard * Styrofoam * Rubber Bands * Aluminum Foil