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Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling Offering Compost Bins for \$50

The Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling section of the Public Works Department is offering a limited supply of 96-gallon (12.8 cubic feet) compost bins for \$50 each. These bins, which typically cost \$109 each, come with a 10-year warranty and were made from recycled materials. The County received the bins as part of a grant program funded by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control aimed at promoting the many benefits of composting, including waste reduction and soil enrichment. The compost bins can be ordered by sending an email to ccarter@bcgov.net. For more information, see the flyer below or call 843-255-2745.

Get a compost bin dirt cheap.



HURRY! They are selling fast! Order your bin today!

Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling is now offering a limited supply of compost bins dirt cheap – **only \$50 per container**. These high-quality bins normally cost \$109 each.

How can you get a compost bin?

Order your compost bin now by emailing ccarter@bcgov.net.

The pickup location will be emailed to you with the confirmation of your purchase. Training and educational materials about composting also will be available.

These 96-gallon (12.8 cubic feet) compost bins will fit in most cars and are easy to assemble without tools. In addition to being made from recycled material, they feature a twist lid, are ventilated and come with a 10-year warranty. They make the perfect gift for your garden!



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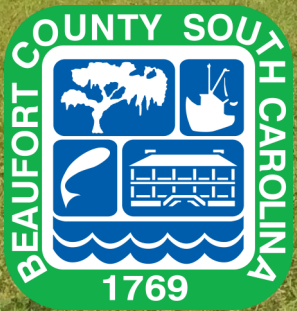


NOTES: You may purchase more than one compost bin. Bins are provided at this discounted price through a grant from the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control.

Benefits of Backyard Composting

There are many benefits to backyard composting.

- You make less waste.
- You reduce the need for chemical fertilizers and pesticides.
- You buy fewer bags for garbage or leaves.
- You buy less compost from retailers because you make your own at home.
- Compost is rich in nutrients and can be used in your garden, on your lawn or in your flower beds.



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Pictured delivering a compost bin to Whale Branch Early College High School are staff from the Beaufort County Public Works Department: Ashley Jenkins, Recycling Coordinator and Jim Minor, Director of Solid Waste and Recycling