

WINDSOR LOCKS COMPOST SITE - 2026

(217 Old County Road)

Compost Site Permits for the 2026 season are available at the following locations:

Public Works Office – 6 Stanton Road

M-F 8am-3pm (Closed 12pm-12:30pm)

Town Clerks Office – 50 Church Street

M-W 8am-4pm. Thu 8am-6pm, Fri 8am-1pm

** Permits are NOT issued at the compost site or on Saturdays.*

Compost permits are issued to **RESIDENTS of Windsor Locks ONLY**. ID and a valid vehicle registration for a vehicle registered in the Town of Windsor Locks are required to be presented at the time of applying for a permit. Permits will not be given to unregistered vehicles (such as lawn tractors). The permit sticker must be applied to the vehicle for which it was obtained.

HOURS OF OPERATION: 8am-2pm

Apr 17 – May 3 Fri, Sat, Sun

May 9 – Oct 18 Sat & Sun

Oct 23 – Dec 6 Fri, Sat, Sun

** Schedule Subject
to Change*

BASIC RULES FOR USING THE COMPOST SITE

- A new permit sticker is required every year.
- The permit sticker must be affixed to the inside of the windshield on the lower left driver's side.
- The assigned permit must match the license plate of the vehicle.
- No vehicles may enter the compost site without a permit sticker.
- Please keep children and pets safe by always leaving them in your vehicle.
- The use of chain saws and hand-held blowers at the compost site are not permitted.
- Dirt and wood placed in bins may be taken by residents who have a valid permit to use the compost site.
- Covered trailers may be inspected.
- Site personnel will refuse entry to the site if a permit is not visible on the windshield.
- Please keep your speed down for the safety of others.

ACCEPTED ITEMS

UNACCEPTED ITEMS

Compostable Items:

- Leaves
- Sticks
- Mushrooms
- Pinecones
- Acorns
- Thatch
- Green grass
- Old mulch that's free of rocks & soil

Wood Waste:

- Brush
- Tree limbs
- Branches
- Bushes
- Shrubs with NO ROOT BALLS or STUMPS attached
- Logs no longer than 24 inches

- Stumps
- Root balls from shrubs
- Sod
- Stones
- Pressure-treated wood

- Lumber
- Construction materials
- Household trash
- Food waste

CURBSIDE COLLECTIONS OF BAGGED YARD WASTE BEGINS ON MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2026

All American Waste will begin picking up bagged yard waste on Monday, April 6, 2026. Collections will continue town-wide every Monday, through the final collection date of Monday, December 7, 2026.

- Items must be bagged in brown paper lawn/leaf bags only.
- Place curbside not more than 24 hours in advance.
- Acceptable items include leaves, pine needles, pinecones, acorns, twigs, small branches, dead annuals, perennials, thatch and green grass clippings.
- Do not overfill or place any household trash, including plastic bags and planters, in the bags.

If bagged yard waste is not picked up by 3pm on collection day, please call **All American Waste at 860-289-7850**.



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