

PE5 Action – Organic Waste Program for Government Buildings Memo
March 2022 Village of Bronxville

Organic Waste

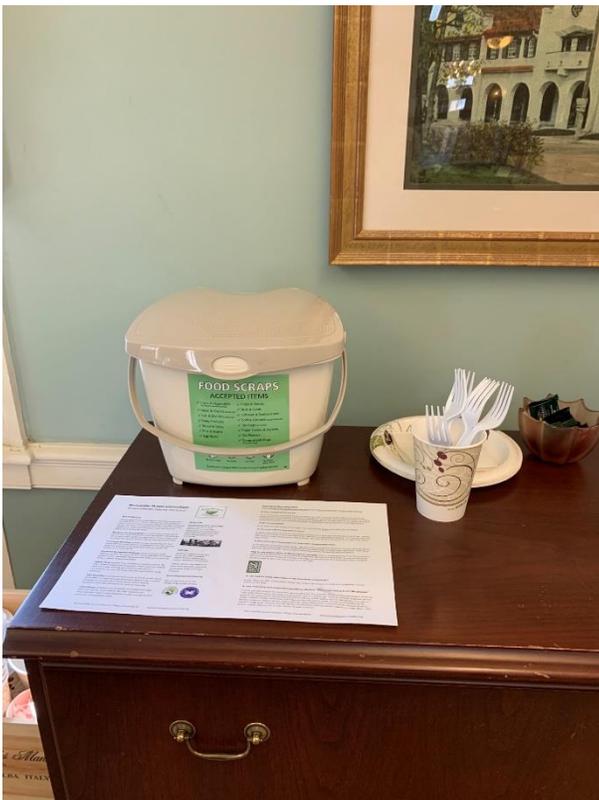
In December 2021, the Village of Bronxville launched a food scrap collection program for residents. The food scrap collection site is located in the Village Hall employee parking lot at the rear of our building on Palumbo Place. This site is serviced by a Westchester-based carter, Suburban Carting, which hauls the food scraps to the Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency in Kingston, NY, a commercial composting facility.

The program has proven to be an incredibly popular service and, beginning in March 2022, food scrap bins have been setup within Village Hall to allow staff to participate. Village Hall consists of 20,500 sq. feet or 41% of our overall property (the Village owns a total of 50,000 sq. feet including Village Hall, Public Works, and Library).

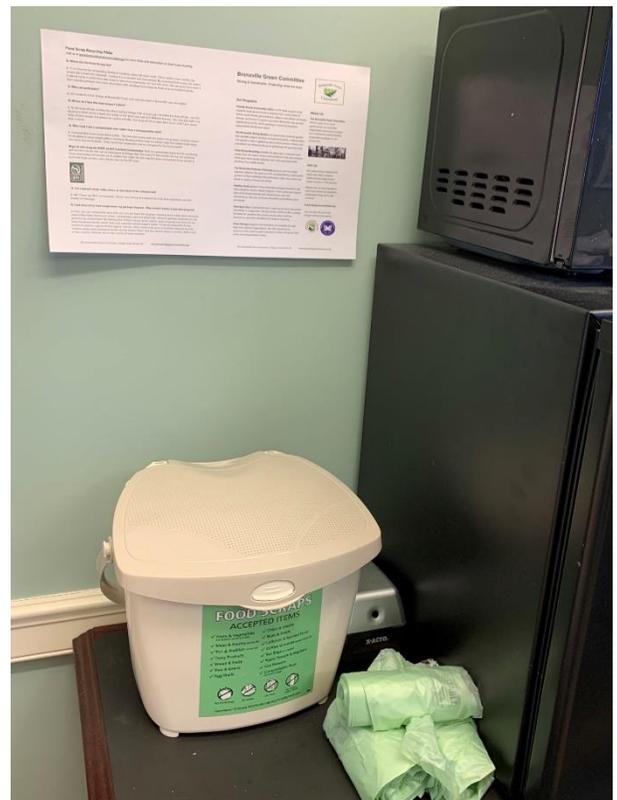
Staff have been trained and educated on composting procedures as well as what is to be composted and how the materials are handled. The Village of Bronxville’s Climate Smart Communities Coordinator and Asst. Village Administrator, Stephen Shallo, manages the collection of the food scrap bins in Village Hall and disposes of them at the Food Scrap site behind the building.

Below are photos of bins throughout Village Hall.

Photos



1st Floor Village Hall



2nd Floor Village Hall



Food Scrap Collection Site (behind Village Hall)