

Garbage to Garden expands to Cape Elizabeth, brings curbside composting to 8th town in Southern Maine

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PORTLAND — July 17, 2015 — Garbage to Garden today announced that they will begin accepting sign ups from households in Cape Elizabeth on July 25th, at Cape Elizabeth's annual Night At The Light celebration. Cape Elizabeth will be the 8th town in Southern Maine to be offered curbside composting by Garbage to Garden, currently servicing Brunswick, Portland, South Portland, Westbrook, Yarmouth, Falmouth and Cumberland.

Garbage to Garden President and Founder Tyler Frank, "We are excited to be able to expand our geographical reach to Cape Elizabeth. Our mission is to get everyone to compost and we're another town closer to that goal."

Founded in 2012, Garbage to Garden, Portland, ME's beloved curbside composting program, continues to spearhead efforts to keep food waste out of landfills to mitigate the effects of climate change and regenerate local soils.

For \$14 dollars a month (free for volunteers) Garbage to Garden provides households with an easy to open bucket for food scraps (including meat, dairy and bones) that is picked up on garbage day each week, and left in its place is a clean bucket and finished compost (upon request). In Portland, 1 in 6 households choose to participate, as well as over a hundred schools, hotels and restaurants. Thanks to the efforts of the Portland area community, Garbage to Garden diverts up to 50 tons of food from landfills every week.

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Garbage to Garden now accepting registrations

Garbage to Garden is now accepting registrations in Cape Elizabeth.

It is the eighth town in southern Maine to be served by Garbage to Garden, which also does curbside pickups in Brunswick, Portland, South Portland, Westbrook, Yarmouth, Falmouth and Cumberland.

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For more information and to sign up, go to www.garbagetogarden.org.