

Food Scraps Recycling



Food scraps recycling is the collection of organic material for composting. Saint Paul residents can collect food scraps in their home and take them to a drop-off site to be composted. Accepted materials and drop-off locations are listed below.



- **All food scraps:** Vegetables, fruits, meats (including fats, oils, and grease), poultry, fish, bones, grains, dairy, coffee grounds and filters, tea bags, etc.
- **Non-recyclable paper:** Greasy pizza boxes, paper towels, tissues, dirty paper bags, tissue paper.
- **BPI Certified Compostable Products:** Accepted products will be labeled with the BPI logo.



Ramsey County Food Scraps Only Drop-off Sites *Open 24/7*

COMO PARK

1115 Beulah Lane, Saint Paul



HIGHLAND PARK

800 Snelling Ave S, Saint Paul



UNION PARK

Corner of Carroll Ave & Griggs St N, Saint Paul



MACALESTER GROVELAND

Sign-up on their site at macgrove.org



Ramsey County has additional 24/7 food scraps drop-off sites outside of Saint Paul. For the full list, visit

RamseyRecycles.com/FoodScraps

Ramsey County Food Scraps and Yard Waste Drop-off Locations



Accepts
Trees & Shrubs



Accepts
Grass & Leaves



Accepts
Food Scraps

ARDEN HILLS

3530 Hudson Ave., Arden Hills



BATTLE CREEK

389 S. Winthrop St., Saint Paul



FRANK AND SIMS

1150 Sims Ave., Saint Paul



MIDWAY

1943 Pierce Butler Route, Saint Paul



MOUNDS VIEW

8307 Long Lake Rd., Mounds View



SUMMIT HILL

870 Pleasant Ave., Saint Paul



WHITE BEAR TOWNSHIP

5900 Sherwood Rd., White Bear Township



Yard Waste Site Hours of Operation

APRIL - NOVEMBER

Mon., Wed., Fri.
11 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Saturday
9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday
11 a.m. – 5 p.m.

DECEMBER - MARCH

Saturday
9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday
11 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Food Scraps Recycling Tips



- Use compostable bags only; no plastic.
- To contain spills and leaks, store and transport compostable bags in a reusable container.
- If you're concerned about odors, store bags in the freezer until drop-off.
- If you're worried about pests, use a container with a tight seal or latch.
- Take your food scraps to a drop-off site at least weekly to avoid odors and pests.



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