



## Mandatory Compost Program Exemption Application

My residence is applying for an exemption from the Town's mandatory curbside composting program. Please check the following exemption:

- Backyard Composter, enclosed is a photo of my compost operation. (Your application will be considered only if there is an accompanying photo.)
- Commercial Exemption
- Other, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and submit by mail to DPW Office, P.O. Box 429, Hamilton, MA 01936, or by email to [compostprogram@hamiltonma.gov](mailto:compostprogram@hamiltonma.gov). The DPW may be in touch to schedule a visit to see your backyard compost site or request additional information. If you choose not to allow a visit or provide this information, your request may be denied.

If your application is approved, the DPW Office will mail you an Exemption Sticker that you should place on the front of your Town issued black trash barrel under the barrel number as pictured to the right. This will signify to the Casella haulers that they can empty your black bin even though your green bin is not curbside.

The town anticipates that it will be necessary to renew the exemption stickers from time to time. As such a log of all exemption stickers issued will be maintained and you may from time to time be contacted to renew your sticker. It is the homeowner's responsibility to ensure that their sticker is valid and can be seen and recognized by the hauler.



If you have any questions about this application or the use of the Exemption Sticker, please contact Hamilton DPW at 978-626-5227.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Approved By:

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Signature

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Date