



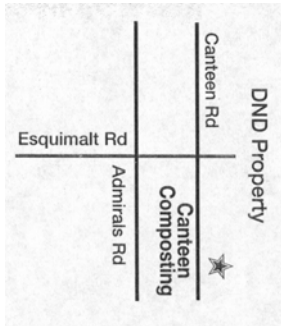
TOWN OF VIEW ROYAL

CANTEEN COMPOSTING



LOCATION:

The facility, located at 605 Canteen Road (westerly end of Esquimalt Road), allows residents of View Royal and Esquimalt to drop off yard and garden waste for composting. There is no user fee at the gate for residents of the two municipalities (see definition of "resident" below), and the operator will accept materials from non-residents and businesses for a fee.



"Resident" means a person or persons residing within the boundaries of either View Royal or Esquimalt, who is permitted drop-off of compostable yard and garden waste at the Canteen Road facility, with no user fee at the gate.

Proof of residency may be requested at any time by the operator, and a valid driver's license or picture ID showing residency in the municipality will be required. For those residents who use the facility regularly, Town decals are available at the facility.

The following persons will be charged a fee at the gate if they choose to use the facility:

- Non-resident property owners hauling from a residential or commercial property within the subject municipality
- Residents of the municipality that operate a commercial hauling or lawn and garden business

Should a resident require assistance with hauling materials from their residence to the facility, they must accompany the person dropping off the materials so that they may show their proof of residency at the facility. Notes or letters identifying materials as being from View Royal or Esquimalt properties will not be accepted.

MATERIALS ALLOWED:

All lawn and garden waste is permitted. Branches and brambles to a maximum diameter of 3 inches may also be dropped off.

Rocks, concrete and soils are not permitted. Small amounts of sod may be accepted for a fee.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

The facility is open six days per week (Monday-Saturday) from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. It is closed for municipal Statutory Holidays and may close or have reduced hours of operation during inclement weather, such as snow or extreme cold events.

This facility is operated by DL's Bins Ltd. under contract to Esquimalt. For any enquiries, View Royal residents may contact the facility at 386-3343 or the Town Hall at 479-6800.

CRD LANDFILL BAN:

The Capital Regional District has recently approved a ban of all yard and garden waste in garbage that goes to the Hartland Road Landfill. This is now in effect. Residential garbage collectors are ensuring that these materials are not present in refuse receptacles, and will not pick up any garbage that contains these materials. For more information on the landfill ban, please visit the CRD website at www.crd.bc.ca/es or contact the CRD Hotline at 360-3030.