Using Compost

Soil Amendment
For best results, till 2-3” of SoilBuilder® into sandy soils before planting. Top dress garden with up to ½” a month and lightly mix into soil.

Summer and Winter Mulch
Spread 2-4” SoilBuilder® or Mulch around plants and trees, keeping it away from the base of trunks.

Lawn Top Dressing
Sprinkle about ¼” of BioFine® or ReGrow® over lawn in the spring and fall.

Seed Starter
Sprinkle up to ½” SoilBuilder®, BioFine® or ReGrow® over grass or wildflower seeds to keep moist.

Potting Mix
Mix 1-2 parts SoilBuilder®, BioFine® or ReGrow® over grass or wildflower seeds to keep moist.

Usage Guidelines

How many cubic yards do I need?
Multiply sq. feet to cover by depth of application in inches, and by 0.0031. Example: 2000 square feet x ¼” x 0.0031 = 1.6 cy.

How many square feet will a cy cover?
Divide 324 by depth of application in inches. Example: 1 cy at 1/3” will cover 324/.3333 = 972 square feet.

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1 cubic yard of compost weighs 1000-1200 lbs.

To cover 1000 square feet

Facility Location
Deschutes Recycling’s compost facility is located at Knott Landfill at 61050 SE 27th street in Bend.

Summer Schedule
May 1 – October 31
Monday – Sunday
7:00 am – 5:00 pm
Closed Holidays

Winter Schedule
November 1 - April 30
Monday - Saturday
7:00 am - 4:30 pm

From Hwy 20 East Turn south on 27th street and drive 3 miles to the Knott Landfill entrance.

From the South: Take the Knott Road exit off of Hwy 97. Follow it past Rickard Road and take a right into Knott Landfill.

Additional Locations
High Country Disposal offers bulk and cubic foot bags. Self-haul and delivery available. 1090 NE Hemlock Ave., Redmond. 541-548-4984.

Bend Garbage & Recycling offers cubic foot compost bags. 20835 NE Montana Way, Bend. 541-382-2263.
Locally Produced
Our compost recycles local yard trimmings and food scraps are recycled with yard trimmings. We use the latest methods to ensure high-quality, affordable compost.

Characteristics
Deschutes Recycling is a member of the US Composting Council and meets the quality control standards established by the Seal of Testing Approval program.

Our compost is independently tested by a US Composting Council-approved lab to ensure quality and reliability. Test results are available upon request.

Proven benefits
• Increases soil fertility, saves money on fertilizers
• Conserves water by increasing water-holding capacity of soil
• Promotes plant and root growth
• Increases soil organic matter and beneficial microbes
• Improves soil structure
• Protects plants from climate extremes
• Mulch helps control weeds
• Protects ground and surface waters from leaching and runoff of fertilizers and pesticides
• Provides a fire-resistant ground cover
• Our product ReGrow® has enhanced nutrients derived from food materials used in its production

Convenient Delivery
Convenient delivery available Monday – Friday. For more information, call 541-388-1910.

Equipment Rental
Compost Walk-Behind Spreader:
4 hours .....................................................$15.00
All Day .....................................................$25.00

Plus $50.00 refundable deposit

Yard Debris Recycling
Yard debris and clean wood waste recycling fee: $4.00 per cubic yard. No plastic bags, rocks, dirt, or garbage. The minimum disposal charge is $4.00.

Self Haul Products

ReGrow® Compost (3/8” screen)
Contains food based compost which enhances most nutrients. Good for your garden, lawn, potted plants.
• 1 cubic foot bag ........................................$7.00
• 1+ cubic yards ......................................$32.00/cy

BioFine® Compost (3/8” screen)
High quality, very fine and uniform compost. Perfect potting mixes, top-dressing your lawn to hold moisture and as seed starter for lawns and seedlings. Contains small amount of food-based compost.
• 1 cubic foot bag ........................................$6.00
• 1+ cubic yards ......................................$26.00/cy

SoilBuilder® Compost (5/8” screen)
Use as soil amendment before planting lawn or sod. Also mix with soil in your planting beds and cover plants for winter dormant period. Contains small amount of food-based compost.
• 1 cubic foot bag ........................................$4.00
• 1+ cubic yards ......................................$20.00/cy

Ready Grow Soil
Organically rich soil, blended for an even mix. Provides water retention. Use directly in planting beds, flower pots, and laying sod.
• 1 cubic foot bag ........................................$6.00
• 1+ cubic yards ......................................$22.00/cy

Premium Ground Cover (5/8” screen)
Attractive ground cover comprised of composted wood that’s reground and screened. Provides water retention and weed blocking cover.
• 1+ cubic yards ......................................$24.00/cy

* Discounts available on large volume orders of BioFine or SoilBuilder.