

FEED FiDO

Arlington Public Works' Food Scrap Drop Off Pilot Program, located at

51 Grove Street (DPW) or
422 Summer Street (Ryder St. at the bike path) or
a neighborhood-only site

User Agreement

Direct questions to Charlotte Milan, DPW Recycling Coordinator,
781-316-3108 or cmilan@town.arlington.ma.us

We'll Feed FiDO This

Fruit and vegetables, peelings, pits, seeds, scraps
Eggshells and nutshells
Rice, pasta, bread pastries, cookies, cereal
Coffee grounds, coffee filters, teabags
Cut or dry flowers
Paper napkins, towels, and plates
Cardboard take-out containers
Paper bags and newspaper that are oily or
food-smearred
Wooden coffee stirrers, toothpicks and skewers
BioBags or similarly BPI-certified biodegradable
bags are the only compostable bag brands
accepted

But Not This

Meat, fish, bones
Dairy products
Cheese
Fats, grease, oils
Pet waste
Charcoal or wood coals
Yard waste
Cigarette butts
Dryer lint, dryer sheet
Styrofoam
Plastic bags

These items will make FiDO very sick.
Your care is appreciated.

1. I agree to Feed FiDO only the items listed in this agreement
2. **Added January 2022: I understand that the doors on the container are heavy, metal, and do not stay open by themselves, making them challenging to use for some residents.**
3. I understand that this pilot program depends on my cooperation with this User Agreement, and that placing the wrong items in the food scrap drop off bins is a risk to the program's success
4. This means no plastic bags (except *BioBags* or similarly "BPI-certified" biodegradable bags) or trash of any kind
5. There may be times when the container is marked "FiDo is Full, No Collection at this Time" and I will take my food scraps home again. I will also use common sense and not overfill the containers.
6. I confirm that I am a resident of Arlington, MA.
7. By checking the box on the Registration Form and providing my email address, I am agreeing to follow this User Agreement