



## Materials Accepted at Cold Creek Compost in the Green Cart

- Agricultural Materials, including from livestock operations
- Food Materials
  - All fruits and vegetables (including peelings, pits, and shells)
  - Bread, grains, pasta, and rice
  - Coffee grounds and tea leaves
  - Dairy products
  - Eggshells and eggs
  - Food leftovers and spoiled food (packaging removed)
  - Meat including bones
  - Seafood including shellfish and shells
- Green Materials
  - All plant debris and landscape prunings including flowers, leaves, and weeds
  - Tree trimmings including branches, stumps, and trunks (make sure lid closes completely)
- Soiled Paper Products
  - Greasy pizza boxes and paper bags
  - Paper coffee filters and tea bags
  - Paper napkins and paper towels
  - Paper plates (non-coated)
  - Paper take-out boxes and containers (non-coated)
- Other Materials
  - Cooking grease: small amounts soaked up with a paper towel
  - Cotton balls and cotton swabs with paper stems
  - Hair (non-synthetic/non-colored)
  - Unpainted sheet rock
  - Wood ashes (cold)
  - Wood chips
  - Wood materials: small pieces of clean wood/sawdust (no plywood/painted/stained/treated wood)
  - Wooden chopsticks, coffee stirrers, and toothpicks

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## Materials NOT Accepted At Cold Creek Compost

- Aluminum foil or trays
- Biodegradable or compostable plastic
- Carpet
- Ceramic dishware or glassware
- Concrete or rocks
- Diapers
- Flower pots or trays
- Foil-backed or plastic-backed plastic
- Garbage
- Glass
- Household hazardous waste
- Insulation
- Medical waste including needles and sharps
- Metal
- Plastic products including bags, bottles, containers, and wrap
- Recyclables
- Styrofoam
- Wood – plywood, press board, painted, stained, or treated wood

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