

# MILWAUKEE COMPOST WORKSHOP

JUNE 24TH  
10AM-2PM

GROWING POWER  
5550 W SILVER SPRING RD

## WORKSHOP AGENDA

**(10 - 10:20 AM) Registration/ Introductions**

RYAN SCHONE, UW EXTENSION

JOEL RISSMAN, GROWING POWER

**(10:20 - 10:45 AM) What supplies do you need to start composting?**

MELISSA TASHJIAN, COMPOST CRUSADER

RENEE SCAMPINI, KOMPOST KIDS

**(10:45 - 11:00 AM) Which food and yard scraps can be composted? Which cannot?**

TIM ALLEN, UW MADISON

**(11:00 - 11:30 AM) How do you compost? What are appropriate techniques for backyard composting?**

JAMES JUTRONZKA, BLUE RIBBON ORGANICS

DAMIAN COLEMAN, ELYVE ORGANICS

**(11:30 - 11:45 AM) How do you know if your compost is healthy?**

JOEL RISSMAN, GROWING POWER

**(11:45 - 12:30 PM) Lunch & Check out Composting Resources**

**(12:45 - 1:15 PM) What can compost be used for? How do you apply it to your garden or plants?**

STEVE VENTURA, UW MADISON

DAMIAN COLEMAN, ELYVE ORGANICS

**(1:15 - 1:45 PM) Why compost? How does healthy soil promote healthy plants and people?**

SANDY SYBURG, PURPLE COW ORGANICS

**Discover valuable composting resources and organizations available in Milwaukee:**

BLUE RIBBON ORGANICS

COMPOST CRUSADER

ELYVE ORGANICS

GROWING POWER

KOMPOST KIDS

PURPLE COW ORGANICS

UW- EXTENSION

**Join us for a tour of Cream City Farms - a 1.5 acre urban farm with compost trials - following the workshop!**

