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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## **Henderson County Backyard Compost Bin Pre-Sale runs through May 31st**

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Henderson County Solid Waste is pleased to offer discounted compost bins to Henderson County residents again this Spring. Backyard composting is a great way to help reduce the amount of food waste that ends up in landfills and it creates a nutrient-rich soil amendment that can be used in your gardens and flower beds. Compost bins can be pre-ordered between April 1<sup>st</sup> and May 31<sup>st</sup>. The sale is for Henderson County residents, limit of one per household. Compost bins can be purchased online at https://hendersoncompostersale.company.site/

Compost bins will be available for pick up at the Henderson County Convenience Center located at 265 Convenience Center Drive in Hendersonville, NC on Friday, June 21st from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. and Saturday, June 22nd from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Compost bins must be picked up on designated dates, delivery is not available.

Unable to compost in your backyard but looking for a way to reduce the amount of food waste in your trash that is sent to the landfill? Consider using the food waste drop-off program at the Convenience Center. For more information about the program including what items can and cannot be accepted visit https://www.hendersoncountync.gov/solid-waste/page/food-waste-drop.

If you have questions regarding the backyard compost bin pre-sale or food waste drop-off program at the Convenience Center contact Henderson County Environmental Programs at (828) 694-6525 or visit HCRecycles.org.

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