

NEWS RELEASE

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TransAqua's Compost Facility is closed on Saturday for the remainder of the season

RIVERVIEW, N.B. – TransAqua, the Greater Moncton Wastewater Commission, announced today that its compost facility located at 399 Delong Drive in Moncton is no longer open on Saturday as a reminder to the public effective immediately.

Regular summer and fall hours - July 3 to November 2, 2018

Monday to Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Weekends and holidays Closed

The public is advised that the compost site will be closed on the following holidays: Victoria Day (Monday, May 21); Canada Day (Monday, July 2); New Brunswick Day (Monday, Aug. 6); Labour Day (Monday, Sept. 3); and Thanksgiving (Monday, Oct. 8). The compost facility will close for the season to the public on Friday, November 2, at 4 p.m.

Free compost is available to residents of Moncton, Dieppe and Riverview who wish to self-load compost into their own vehicles. Should residents prefer not to self-load, TransAqua staff will load vehicles (i.e. non-commercial trailer and/or pickup-type truck) for a flat fee of \$15.

More information regarding the quality of TransAqua's Type "AA" compost, as certified by the Bureau de normalisation du Québec (BNQ), can be found on TransAqua's website at www.transaqua.ca/environment/compost. Detailed product information sheets are also available at the Delong Drive compost facility. Residents may also contact the compost facility by calling 387-7977. Please note that compost is not available at TransAqua's wastewater treatment facility in Riverview.

TransAqua, the Greater Moncton Wastewater Commission, (www.transaqua.ca) was established in 1983 to support the wastewater collection and treatment needs of the Dieppe, Moncton and Riverview tri-community. Since then, it has developed a 31-kilometre collection network and a treatment facility to best deliver on this mandate. It has also become a leader in the reuse of bio-solids

through the generation of type 'AA' compost (the highest grade currently achieved in Canada) as opposed to disposal in a landfill site.

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