



AN ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT

Livingston's Blend benefits the environment
By helping to decrease runoff and soil erosion,
by adding organic matter that effectively
absorbs and holds water.

Adding Livingston's Blend to the soil allows

For the aggregation of soil particles,
Creating pore spaces for air. This space
allows for moisture to more readily enter
the soil surface, enabling the soil to hold
more water and allowing for increased
plant growth. This also, in turn, decreases
runoff and soil erosion.



LIMITED WARRANTY/DISCLAIMER

The Livingston Compost Facility guarantees that all Livingston's Blend Compost (LBC) has been treated by a process to further reduce pathogens as defined by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The Livingston Compost Facility in accordance with the requirements of the Virginia State Department of Health, The Virginia Department of Environmental Quality and the EPA guarantees the metal concentrations are below the regulatory limits established for exceptional quality biosolids. There is no warranty of merchantability or fitness of LBC and the Livingston Compost Facility is not in anyway responsible for crops, gardens, or other vegetative growth damaged, injured, or destroyed from its application. LBC is hygienically and environmentally safe if it is used properly. LBC should be stored in a protected area away from play areas for children. The user agrees to abide by the instructions for usage provided with this LBC.



The future of effective organics
recovery, through composting,
is bright.



Intended Uses:

Lawns
Trees
Flowers
Shrubbery
Vegetable Gardens
House Plants

A high quality compost product
produced and sold by Spotsylvania
County for use as a soil
amendment and turf topdressing.



Livingston's Blend Compost



For more information
Including specific analytical data and
availability of product contact:

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COMPOSTING - PROGRESS IN RECYCLING





Livingston's Blend Compost (LBC) is produced from wastewater biosolids, through the controlled biological process of composting. At the Livingston Compost Facility, natural decomposition is accelerated enabling us to produce a high quality product. By controlling the composting process, biosolids are sanitized through the generation of heat, then stabilized to allow for versatility of end use. Through this process, valuable organics generated from Spotsylvania County are naturally recycled into a product which is beneficial to plants and the environment.

PRICES

Beginning Jan 1, 2018:

3/8" Compost

Public: \$20 per cubic yard

Commercial: \$16 per cubic yard (100 cubic yard minimum order and picked up within 30 days)

Delivery: \$100 per load, plus cost of compost (10 cubic yard minimum order, maximum distance 25 miles)

1/4" Compost

Public: \$25 per cubic yard

Commercial: \$30 per cubic yard (100 cubic yard minimum order and picked up within 30 days)

Delivery: \$100 per load, plus cost of compost (10 cubic yard minimum order, maximum distance 25 miles)

Accepting Visa/MC, or Checks made payable to the "Treasurer, Spotsylvania County". No Cash. Call ahead to ensure availability.



WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF LIVINGSTON'S BLEND?

Compost is a proven soil conditioner that provides excellent *growing* results.

- ❖ Improves soil structure
 - Improves soil aeration, allowing for superior rooting.
 - Reduces the bulk density of heavy clay soil.
 - Increases the water holding capacity of sandy soils.
- ❖ Reduces soil compaction and crusting.
- ❖ Improves water filtration in heavy, clay soils.
- ❖ Increases microbial and earthworm populations.
- ❖ Improves the cation exchange capacity of soil, allowing for fertilizers to be effectively utilized by plants.
- ❖ Other
 - Possesses a Neutral pH
 - Is weed free
 - LBC meets USEPA and VDA requirements for exceptional quality biosolids compost.



SOME TIPS FOR USING LBC

TO ESTABLISH A NEW LAWN

Apply 1" LBC (3 cubic yards per 1,000 square feet) and roto-till to depth of 4" to 6" into the existing soil. Seed or sod as desired.

TO ESTABLISH FLOWER, VEGETABLE GARDENS AND BEDDING PLANTS

Apply 1" LBC (3 cubic yards per 1,000 square feet) and roto-till to depth of 4" to 6" into the existing soil. Water new plantings thoroughly.

TO TOP-DRESS AN EXISTING LAWN

Thatch or aerate lawn. Apply 1/2" LBC (1.5 cubic yards per 1,000 square feet). Rake out evenly. Reseed if desired, water well.

TO TRANSPLANT TREES & SHRUBS

Dig a hole approximately twice the width of the root ball. Mix 1/3 LBC by volume with 2/3 of the existing soil and backfill. Water new plantings thoroughly.

**Additional fertilizer is not necessary at the time of planting.*

TO MAKE POTTING SOIL

Mix 1 part LBC with 1 part perlite, 1 part peat moss and 2 parts top soil. Water thoroughly. You can also mix LBC with an existing potting soil mix using no more than 25% by volume.

