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Curbside Composting Suspension Guide

When will DSNY stop curbside compost collection?

The Department of Sanitation will temporarily suspend collecting compost at the curb on Monday, May 4th, 2021.

What is the last day I can set out the brown bins?

Your last compost collection day will be between 4/26/20-5/2/20, on your regular compost collection day. So, for example, if Thursday is your regular compost collection day, Thursday, 4/30 will be your last compost collection day.

Why is the curbside collection program being temporarily suspended?

The City suspended curbside composting service to divert resources to COVID-19 response efforts.

When will the City resume the curbside collection program?

The program is suspended until June 30th, 2022.

What should I do with my brown bins?

Store your brown bins in a safe place so that you can use them again when the program resumes.

How do I prevent residents from using the brown bins during the suspension?

Put up a Suspension Flyer to make sure residents in your building are aware of the suspension. Store your bins away from your trash area to prevent accidental use.

Brown Bin Storage Tips

- Clean, rinse, and dry your bins
- Latch bins shut to prevent water and animals from getting into them
- Stack bins to help save space
 - Smaller bins will easily fit inside one another
 - Store stacked bins on a level surface with their lids against the wall

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