## Rye Food Scrap Collection program.

Open to all residents of Rye beginning April, 1 2015.

Please bring your food scraps in bag (either paper or compostable) to the transfer station and deposit contents into the designated *Food Scrap Collection cart*.

**Important!** – only **ASTM D6400 "certified compostable"** bags and paper grocery bags are allowed into the Food Scrap collection. (<u>NO plastic film bags PLEASE</u>!) (Compostable bags are available at Portsmouth Health Foods, Shaw's in North Hampton and Philbrick's Fresh Markets.)



## acceptable items:

All food scraps from plates

- Eggshells
- Bread
- All Meats and all Seafood including bones and shells (all poultry, fish and meat bones and shells such as clam, lobster, mussel, oyster.)
- Fruits & vegetables (pits & nuts too) please remove all stickers.
- Coffee grounds & filters
- Pizza boxes
- Wooden stirrers
- Sugar packets
- Paper napkins, plates, & towels

(including paper products used with "green" cleaners such as Mrs. Myers, Method, 7<sup>th</sup> Generation)

- Wax paper liners
- Teabags and tea (no staples please)
- Muffin wax wrappers
- Flowers and floral trimmings
- All corn based cups & utensils
- Corks

If it is not on the list then it is NOT compostable.



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If you have any questions – please see Alan.