

Benefits of

Keeping Food Waste out of the Landfill



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Feeds People

Food donation grew by nearly 40% from 2015-2016, according to the Vermont Foodbank.



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Reduces
Greenhouse Gas
Emissions



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Supports
Green Jobs



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Compost
Restores Soil



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Reduces
need for
Landfills

VT landfills ~60,000 tons of food scraps each year.



Composting the scraps



instead of trashing them would...

reduce greenhouse gas emissions



as much as not driving ~84 million miles.

That's like driving around Earth 3,373 times!

