# **ENVIRONMENTAL** BENEFITS of COMPOST

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Food scraps in landfills produce **20x** as much CO<sub>2</sub> emissions as composting.

Landfills are one of the largest sources of harmful methane emissions in the US.

#### Builds Community Resiliency

Healthy soil & composting creates food security, profitable farms, local jobs,resilient ecosystems, community bonds, & healthy diets.

#### **Sequesters** Carbon

World soils hold around **1.5 trillion tons of carbon** as organic matter.

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Just 1 acre of compost can sequester up to **75%** of a car's annual emissions.

## Enhances Soil Quality

Grows healthier, more nutritious plants, & food. Prevents erosion & runoff.

The water retention of compost helps in extreme heat and flooding.

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