



ORGANICS RECYCLING

DROP-OFF COLLECTION SITE

649 Garfield St. East (NW corner of 7th Ave. & Garfield St.). This is a city parking lot (former MTC bus stop), located south of Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center. Enter on 7th Ave. & exit onto 7th Ave.

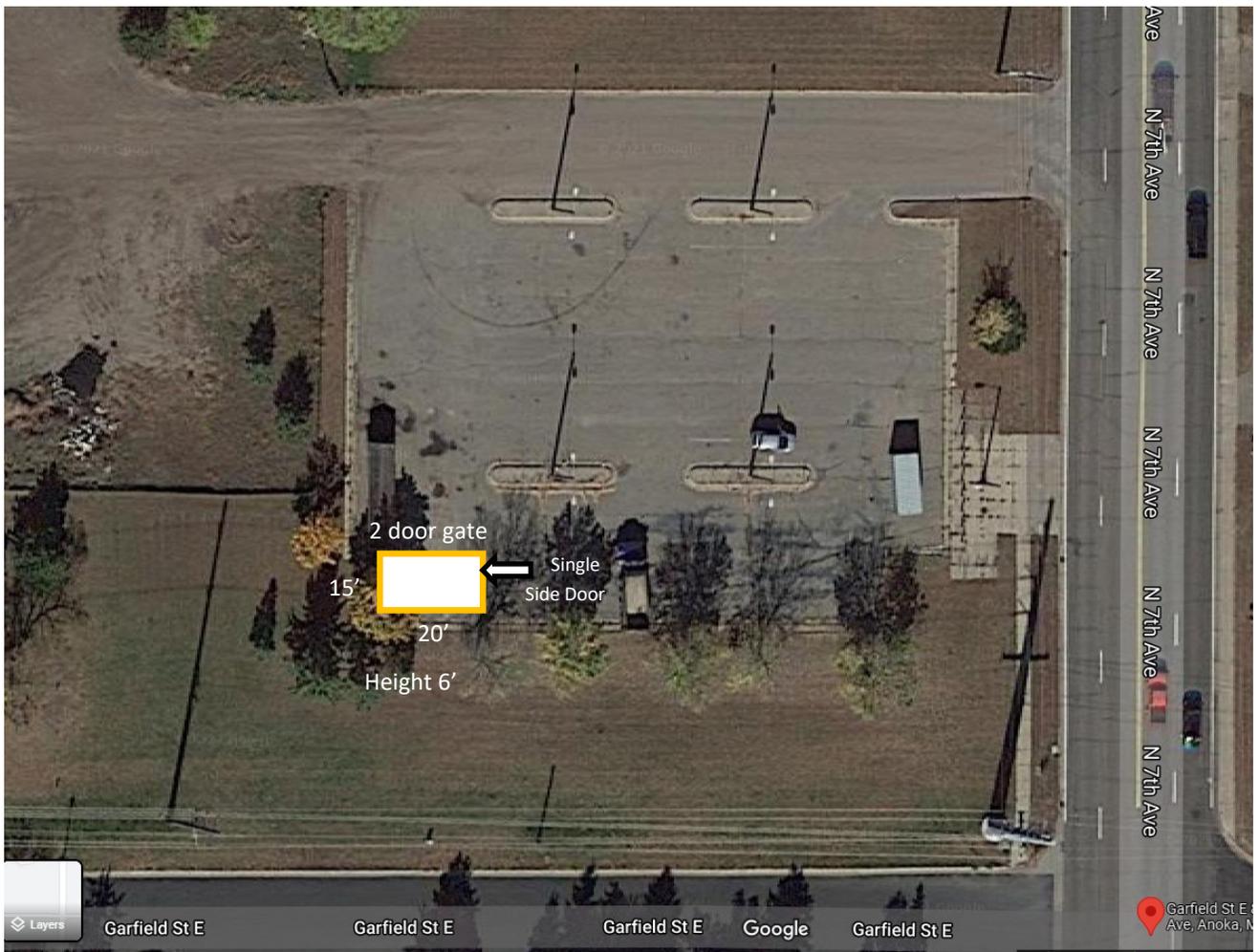
PROGRAM GUIDELINES & DETAILS

- The site is available 7 days a week. However, there are no lights on the property, so for safety reasons, we suggest using the site only during daylight hours. See attached site map.
- Please note that there may at times be heavy equipment/vehicles and our mounds of dirt on the site; this is for city projects.
- The enclosure (fence) to the dumpster has a side door that faces east. Please use that door. This door will not be locked. The front gates where the hauler will access, may be locked – please do not use these doors. Please close the side door when you leave.
- The hauler will service it on a weekly basis (Wednesdays). This will help in the summer months to lessen the chance of bees, bugs, etc. Use caution when around and opening the dumpster. We will do what we can to prevent pests from becoming a problem in the summer months.
- There is a compostable bag dispenser in the enclosure. Please only take a couple bags per week for your collection of organics. If you use the last of the bags, please notify Pam Bowman at the number or email below. Brown paper bags are also acceptable.
- Absolutely no plastic bags are accepted, no garbage, no yard waste, etc. Please use the small garbage can at the site for any trash.
- Pizza boxes are accepted, but PLEASE remove all labels/stickers, etc. from the box.
- Please remove all labels/stickers from produce.
- A city worker will plow a path in the winter after snow events, but will not plow the entire lot, so please follow the plowed path in and out. Staff will shovel around the fence as needed and place salt when possible. Please use caution when walking as it gets icy.
- **Please be our eyes!!** If you notice any contamination/garbage please contact Pam Bowman. We try to monitor the site on a daily basis, but that is not always possible. We need to rely on users to help keep the site clean and to make this a sustainable program that can grow.

Sign up online at www.anokaminnesota.com or contact:

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THANK YOU – LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE THIS PROGRAM A SUCCESS IN REDUCING WASTE!



**ANOKA ORGANICS COLLECTION SITE
649 GARFIELD STREET (East)
ENTER OFF OF 7TH AVENUE**



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