

Purpose of the Ohio Compost Association

This Corporation is organized for charitable, legislative, regulatory and educational purposes within the meaning of Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, hereinafter referred to as the “Code”, which shall be limited to the following purposes:

1. To promote and enhance the composting and organic recycling industry in Ohio; to encourage the further study, research and advancement of composting and organic recycling in the private and public sectors; to disseminate information relating thereto; and, to develop policies in the specific and allied industries;
2. To join together in a nonprofit association, various individual and business entities directly or indirectly involved in the production, storage and transportation of compost and organic recyclables and the supplying of products, materials and equipment necessary to the growth of the composting and organic recycling manufacturer and user industry; and to assist the advancement and professionalism of the industry by offering education and training programs and other business services to its Members;
3. To promote the economic development of the composting and organic recycling industry; to assist in the establishment of industry standards; to ensure environmental soundness and compost and organic recyclable quality; and to provide appropriate resource and information exchange for the Ohio composting and organic recycling industry and its regulating agencies;
4. To accept, solicit, receive, hold, invest, reinvest and use funds and property furnished by Members, any governmental subdivision, unit or agency, individuals or corporations to carry out the purposes of the Corporation;
5. To develop and implement programs for the benefit of, and to further the development of, the Corporation;
6. To do all things determined by the Corporation to be in any way related to its purpose;
7. To have and exercise all the rights and powers confirmed on nonprofit corporations under the Ohio Nonprofit Corporation Law, as such is now in effect or may, at any time hereafter, be amended.