

**RCW 70A.205.710 Composting food and yard wastes—Grants and study.** (1) In order to establish the feasibility of composting food and yard wastes, the department shall provide funds, as available, to local governments submitting a proposal to compost such wastes.

(2) The department, in cooperation with the department of commerce, may approve an application if the project can demonstrate the essential parameters for successful composting, including, but not limited to, cost-effectiveness, handling and safety requirements, and current and potential markets. [2023 c 470 s 2118; 1998 c 245 s 132; 1995 c 399 s 191; 1989 c 431 s 97. Formerly RCW 70.95.810.]

**Explanatory statement—2023 c 470:** See note following RCW 10.99.030.