SUBMISSION – DAVID GRANT

ITEM 2 OF THE REPORT OF THE STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON WATER AND WASTE, RIVERBANK MANAGEMENT AND THE ENVIRONMENT DATED SEPTEMBER 12, 2022, REGARDING FINANCIAL INCENTIVES FOR COMPOSTING

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Comments in writing: I have been composting household waste since I was a kid. It should be voluntary. Doing this should make no one rich.
The only net benefit of getting more of us to do this is the possible extending of the life of our landfill. There is no evidence that composting warms the earth more than landfilling the waste. The money spent on programs like this is probably more than the value of landfill space 'saved'. Until your civil service can provide you with a value for money, you should not fund this application. Please shelve this matter until the money saved can be quantified. I suspect a real analysis will prove that this is a waste of tax $.