FREE curbside collection!
(a new service by our compost contractor – starts 9/18/17)

**BLACK EARTH COMPOST**

**Accepted Items:** Clothing, bedding, towels, shoes and belts.

**Unaccepted Items:** Carpets, rugs.

Bags with any items that are not textiles will be left curbside.
White bags must be drawstring.

1. Put all your materials/textiles in a white drawstring trash bag
2. On your regular trash/recycling day, place curbside, next to your receptacles by 7 am.

**What happens to your old clothes?**
Items get separated into 3 classes and:
1) Sold to second hand stores in the US or
2) Shipped overseas or
3) Shredded for industrial scrubbers

The average American throws away approx. 80 pounds of used clothing per person every year! Keep it out of your orange bags.

This service is being offered at no charge to the residents of Manchester-by-the-Sea.
Questions contact: DPW 978-526-1242.