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PRESS RELEASE

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Mayor Bob Donchez announced today that mulch and compost will be available for pick-up and loading beginning Thursday May 28, 2020. The materials will be available Monday through Saturday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The facility will be closed on Sundays.

People wishing to utilize the facility are required to wear a mask for their safety as well as the safety of City employees. People not wearing a mask will not be permitted to enter the facility.

Please see additional information below:

- **Hours of operation: Monday through Saturday 9 am to 3 pm, closed Sundays.**
- **If hand loading, you will be permitted to load up to 3-30 gallon containers.**
- **If require more than 3-30 gallon containers, loader services available for \$10 per bucket full-CASH only.**
- **Upon completion of loading, material must be tarped prior to leaving the facility.**
- **You must be a qualified resident of the City of Bethlehem, Hanover Township (Northampton County) and the Borough of Fountain Hill to utilize the Bethlehem Yard Waste Facility.**
- **Qualified residents will be asked to provide a valid ID along with compost card or proof of residency.**
- **Masks must be worn at all times while at the Bethlehem Yard Waste Facility. You will be turned away if you (or your occupant) do not wear a mask.**
- **Rental vehicles larger than a standard size pick-up truck will need authorization prior to arriving at the facility. Contact the Recycling Bureau office for authorization @ (610) 865-7082, press option 3 before you go to the facility.**
- **Commercial type vehicles and dual axle trailers are not permitted at the Bethlehem Yardwaste Facility.**
- **If you need assistance loading/unloading materials, you are encouraged to bring someone with you to assist in this process.**
- **Please be advised that there may be extended wait times and longer than usual lines so your patience will be greatly appreciated.**

As always, please monitor the City's website at www.bethlehem-pa.gov and social media for additional information on City facilities, public meetings and updates on COVID-19.

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