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**Join Boston Natural Areas Network's
First Annual Compost Weekend**

The Hottest Garden Party of the Weekend September 9 and 10

BOSTON, MA, August 29, 2011 – Bring your gloves and gardening friends. Together we will be pumping out the pumpkin compost into gardener friendly bags. The garden will be rocking to exciting tunes and there will be plenty of lemonade to quench your thirst.

On Friday September 9th from 9:00 a.m. to noon and Saturday September 10th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. we will screen and bag compost at City Natives, 30 Edgewater Drive in Mattapan. The friendly and helpful staff at BNAN will guide volunteers through the piles of productive soil. We will also reconstruct the compost system at City Natives.

The compost comes from pumpkins gathered from our annual pumpkin float at Pope John Paul II Park in Dorchester. This year the BNAN will celebrate the 10th Annual Pumpkin Float on Saturday October 22nd.

For more information and to register contact BNAN at 617-542-7696 –email us at info@bostonnatural.org or visit us at www.bostonnatural.org.

Boston Natural Areas Network is a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing together local residents, partner organizations, public officials and foundations to preserve, expand and enhance urban open space, including community gardens, greenways and urban wilds. For further information about the organization, becoming a member or the calendar of events, visit www.bostonnatural.org, or call 617-542-7696.

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