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Textile Recycling Box Program vs Collection Drive

Below are thoughts to consider when implementing a textile recycling program.

Bay State Textiles Box Program:

- Over 25 years of industry experience.
- No start up costs for schools or municipalities.
- \$100 per ton generated for school community.
- An educational opportunity for students.
- Fully insured, all drivers vetted and CORI checked.
- 24/7, 365 “PROGRAM” offering sustainability and convenience for the community.
- Tracking of weights with weekly reporting.
- Massachusetts based company, creating jobs in the local and global economy.

Collection Drive:

- Volunteers needed for manual labor and to handle logistics.
- Not a “Sustainable Program” for the community
- Who is the contractor?
 - Are they insured?
 - Have they been properly vetted?
 - Are they a Massachusetts based company?
- Location needed to store items.
- Are items accepted in any condition? Is it an outlet for the good, the bad and the ugly?
- Are the donations weighed on site?

Donate, Recycle, Don't Throw Away