



Humanure Composting Toilet:

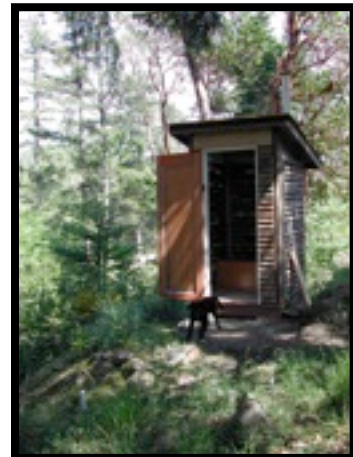
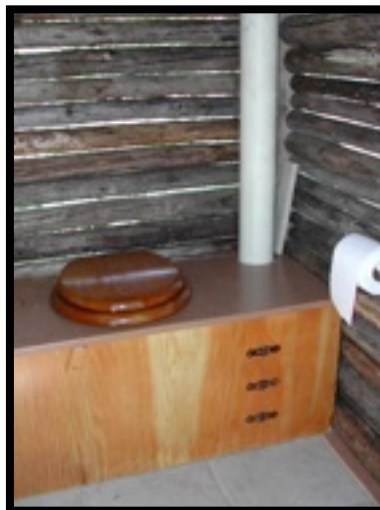
What are the benefits?

- Simple, effective and inexpensive way to compost human manure
 - Based on the book, “The Humanure Handbook” by Joseph Jenkins
- Water conservation - This is a NO flush toilet
- Complete the nutrient cycle - sustainable way to turn human “waste” into a resource
- Use compost in your garden to grow food and flowers
- No participation in expensive and potentially harmful municipal sewage treatment



What does it look like?

- Humanure toilet can be built right into your existing bathroom or into any other room in your house where you would like another bathroom.
- Humanure toilet can be built into an outside bathroom or a garage.





Does it smell?

•No, there is virtually no smell. We install a fan venting the bucket cabinet making it impossible to stink up the bathroom. Superior to a flush toilet.



•Humanure toilet can be built into most existing bathrooms

Will I have rat or dog problems in my compost pile?

• No, this is an aerobic thermophilic compost which means that it composts at a very hot temperature with oxygen and therefore does not rot or produce methane to attract pests.



Is it legal?

• Yes



•As long as you have the ability to connect to an approved septic system or municipal sewage system there are no laws to prevent you from using the humanure composting toilet.

•The secret is the simplicity of the system. It's a bucket...with no water entering and no drain...therefore the plumbing code does not apply. There are no laws against buckets.

How much time will it take?

- It depends on how many in your family are using the bathroom. A family of four will require about 10 minutes every four days.



- Buckets will be dumped in your special humanure compost pile in your backyard.

Is it right for me?

- Eco-Sense will do a client assessment to determine if this method of composting is right for you. For example if you are elderly and live alone this may not be the right choice for you.

Will it work at my house?

- Eco-Sense will do a site and house assessment to determine feasibility.
- Possible challenges could include:
 - Too far to carry buckets out to appropriate composting area
 - Back yard is subject to flooding

What will it cost for Eco-Sense (Gord and Ann) to come and set it all up for me?

- Half hour initial site visit is \$50
- Preparation of quote for complete system \$50: Quote covers items including humanure handbook, compost thermometer, outside composting bins, venting, toilet cabinet, and buckets.
- Initial \$100 deducted from the full price when work is completed.

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