Brookline Transfer Station Compacting Analysis - Based on Full-Year 2017 Recyclables

					Trips Saved	Current		
		2017	2017#	Tons/	Per Year By	Cost	Annual	2017 Income/
Item	Town - Form	Tonnage	of Trips	Trip	Compacting	Per Trip	Savings	(Expense)
Mixed Paper	Brookline - Compacted	84.3 tons	10	8.4 tons	30	\$271	\$8,130	\$3,859
	Mt. Vernon - Loose	30 tons	14	2.1 tons			N/A	\$1,459
<u>All</u> Mixed Plastic	Hollis & Amh Compacted*	108.9 tons	38	2.9 tons			N/A	(\$3,266)
	Brookline - Loose**	46.3 tons	44	1.1 ton	28	\$200	\$5,600	(\$1,390)
Aluminum Cans	Hollis & Amh <u>Compacted</u>	21.3 tons	14	1.5 tons			N/A	\$17,186
	Brookline - Loose	9.7 tons	11	.88 ton	5	\$200	\$1,000	\$9,994

^{*} Excludes milk jugs which began being separated in the third quarter of 2017.

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	Est. Brookline - Compacted	5.1 tons	1.5	3.4 tons	 \$275	 \$1,929 @ \$378/ton \$2,856 @ \$560/ton
Milk Jugs	Hollis & Amh <u>Compacted</u>	16.9 tons	5	3.4 tons	 \$275	 \$6,393 @ \$378/ton

Estimated cost for Town to install additional compactors: \$5,000 per compactor