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### Dog poop turned into compost? The eco-friendly initiative that has already reached 14 parks in Mexico City

New stations in various parks across Mexico City turn your dog's poop into compost—we'll tell you all about it!



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[If you have a dog](#) and usually walk it in city parks, this will surely interest you. In several public spaces in the **Benito Juárez** district, they have **already** begun installing **dog waste stations in Mexico City** that are completely changing the way pet waste is managed in the city.

The proposal is simple but innovative: **dispose of your dog's poop in a special bin so it can be turned into compost.** Yes, you read that right.

**Here's how the dog waste stations work in Mexico City**

These bins are **located near dog parks** and are **designed to properly separate waste**. On one side, **you should deposit only the feces (without a bag)**, and on the other, throw away the plastic bag you used to pick them up.

This step is key. For the process to work, **the waste must be completely free of plastic**. Once you deposit it and close the flap, the bin automatically releases wood chips, an essential material for starting the composting process.

Afterward, the **Paynal** team collects the waste and transports it to the **Hagamos Composta** site, where it is transformed into compost that benefits the soil.

This system was installed by **Ecobox and** represents a significant step toward more sustainable practices in the city.

### **A change that aims to expand across Mexico City**

For now, **these stations are located in 14 parks within the Benito Juárez district**, but the goal is clear: to reach more than 30 public spaces in the short term.

The initiative not only reduces plastic use but also **promotes a culture of responsibility among pet owners**. It's a concrete way to **make parks cleaner** and **more** environmentally friendly.

Without a doubt, this is a small change in daily routine that can have a big impact on the city.