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Dear people:

Beyond permitting as per the recording of dump sites and the rate of disposal, might we view liquid manure as a raw material for the production of compost? In this vision, tall prairie grass would be shredded and piled in rows in scaled up barns, and then injected with the elevated liquid via syringes which would also serve to aerate the piles. To commence, the Department of Agriculture should examine the geography of CAFO distribution to determine the location of a demonstration project. Funding would flow through the IRA, which suggests that subsequent expansion would lie within the public sector. State fair facilities would then house the low cost distribution of product as planting seasons commence.