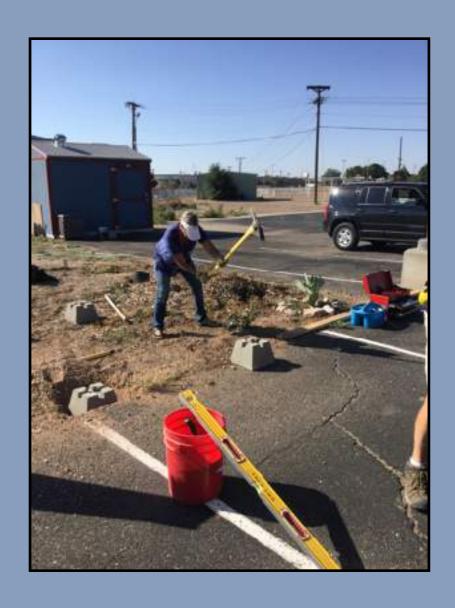
COMPOST BINS AT BERNALILLO COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

NEW ZEALAND BOX STYLE: CONSTRUCTED BY BERNALILLO COUNTY EXTENSION MASTER COMPOSTERS



1: Posts and slats were pre-cut, numbered or coded, and loaded up for transport



2: Placement and leveling of deck blocks

3: Setting and squaring corner posts







4. Setting, leveling and squaring of side support posts





5. Hurray! The last deck block is set in place. The ground was very hard and rocky, making it an arduous task to get the blocks placed and leveled

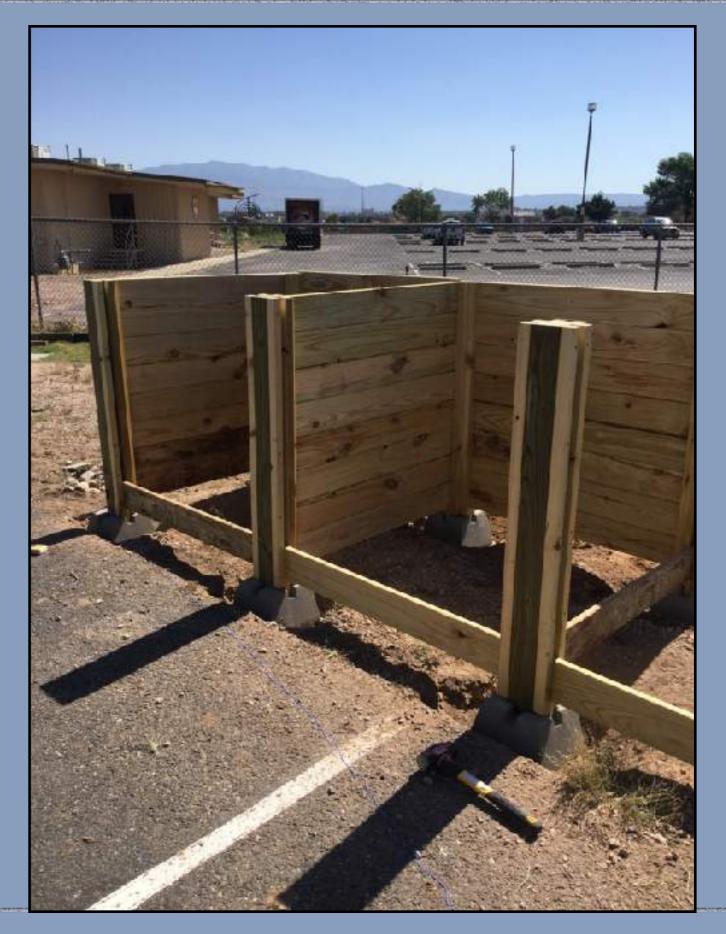


6. Placement of all support posts. Each was fitted with grooves into which the side slats would be placed. Initially, single slats were slid in to help stabilize the structure as it was built.



7. Side slats are slid into position. There were tight-fitting, as they are not intended to be removed.







8. A few screws are added to help stabilize the framework.







9. 6 mil plastic is stapled to the inside to reduce evaporation







11. Finished!
note the pieces of 2X4
used the brace the rear
corners of each bin for
stability