



RECOMPOSE

## GENERAL PRICE LIST

Effective Sept 27, 2022

**Recompose strives to be straightforward and transparent about our pricing.**

If you have any questions about what is included in our price or anything else as you are considering our service, please contact us at the email or phone number below.

### **An important note about this list**

The funeral industry's "General Price List" (GPL) is highly regulated by the US Federal Trade Commission (FTC). The FTC requires that all funeral establishments provide a GPL upon request, and presumes that all funeral establishments are conventional establishments offering caskets, cremations, and embalming.

As such, the GPL requires a number of disclosures that don't apply to the only distinctive service we offer: natural organic reduction, also called human composting. So when you see a "Federal Disclosure" that seems confusing or out of place, it is possible that it is exactly that – a disclosure that we have to make, but which is not actually relevant in this specific situation. Feel free to ask us about anything that isn't clear.

## FEDERAL DISCLOSURE

The goods and services shown below are those we can provide to our customers. You may choose only the items you desire. However, any funeral arrangements you select will include a charge for our basic services and overhead. If legal or other requirements mean you must buy any items you did not specifically ask for, we will explain the reason in writing on the statement we provide describing the funeral goods and services you selected.

## PRICE

### Human Composting

**\$7,000**

#### **This price includes:**

- Transportation of the body to Recompose's Seattle-area facility from within King, Pierce, and Snohomish counties;
- Empathetic handling of the body;
- Transformation of the body into soil;
- Filing of the death certificate;
- Sheltering of the body, including cooled storage if necessary for up to 4 weeks;
- 64oz of soil in a specially-designed container
- Shipping of that container to a U.S. address; and
- \$70 King County Medical Examiner tax.

### Additional Services

#### **Gathering Space**

The Gathering Space offers friends and family members an opportunity to participate in sending their person on to the next stage of transformation. Our Services Team can help coordinate a funeral ceremony for friends and family to be in community together.

- Capacity: 15 people in person or 1,000 virtually
- Scheduling: Weekdays, 10am or 2pm
- Duration: 1 hour
- Price: \$350 for first hour, limited additional hours may be available for \$100/hour

#### **The Cedar Room**

The Cedar Room is a private space for those who wish to perform hands-on care or otherwise spend time with their person's body. The use of this room includes one of our licensed Services Specialists who can help you perform this care or wait nearby if you prefer privacy.

- Capacity: 5 people
- Availability: Weekdays, by appointment
- Duration: 1 hour
- Price: \$350 for first hour, limited additional hours may be available for \$100/hour



## TRANSPORT

Transport to the Recompose location from within:

County	Transport Cost	County	Transport Cost
Adams	\$850	Klickitat	\$700
Asotin	\$1,200	Lewis	\$400
Benton	\$800	Lincoln	\$1,000
Chelan	\$650	Mason	\$350
Clallam	\$750	Okanogan	\$1000
Clark	\$650	Pacific	\$650
Columbia	\$850	Pend Oreille	\$1,300
Cowlitz	\$350	San Juan	\$850
Douglas	\$800	Skagit	\$350
Ferry	\$1,200	Skamania	\$850
Franklin	\$800	Spokane	\$1,000
Garfield	\$1,000	Stevens	\$1,200
Grant	\$600	Thurston	\$300
Grays Harbor	\$800	Wahkiakum	\$600
Island	\$1,000	Walla Walla	\$1,000
Jefferson	\$700	Whatcom	\$350
Kitsap	\$300	Whitman	\$1,000
Kittitas	\$450	Yakima	\$600

- Transport to Recompose location from Portland, OR metro area \$850
- Transport of deceased for autopsy or medical examiner review (each time the body is transported) in addition to the transport price listed above \$50
- Transport (per mile) outside the included counties unless otherwise listed \$4
- Forwarding of remains to another local funeral establishment within King, Pierce, or Snohomish County \$750

### *A Note on the Forwarding of Remains*

Because Recompose does not stock containers for bodies like caskets and air trays, we cannot ship a body by air as other funeral establishments sometimes do. We can forward remains to another local funeral home who provides such a service. In the case of such local forwarding, the charge includes basic services of funeral director and staff; a proportionate share of overhead costs; removal of remains; preparation of remains, NO embalming (Recompose does not offer embalming), and local transportation. Additional out-of-area transportation will be priced as above.

## MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES

Recompose may charge for goods or services it buys from outside vendors on your behalf, including obituary notices, disposition authorization fees, or death certificates. We do not add on an additional administrative fee for this, and those services are billed to cover the cost charged to Recompose.

### Other Services & Merchandise

- Additional container of soil (each) \$25
- Shipping of soil container within the United States \$75
- Daily storage of cubic yard of soil after 4 weeks \$30
- Daily cooled storage for body after 4 weeks \$30
- International document processing \$200
- Receiving remains from another funeral home \$0

Because of the variety of regulations involved, Recompose does not ship soil internationally.

### Federal Basic Services Fee Disclosure

This fee for our basic services and overhead will be added to the total cost of the funeral arrangements you select.

- Basic Services and Overhead Fee \$0

### *A note from Recompose*

We are required to have a Basic Services and Overhead Fee on our GPL, but because Recompose only offers one type of disposition (human composting), and because we include our overhead costs in that fee, we did not feel it was appropriate to have an additional “Basic Services and Overhead Fee.” Since we were required to list a price here, we have set it to \$0.



The following disclosures are required to be included on the GPL by the Federal Trade Commission.

### **Federal Embalming Disclosure**

Except in special cases, embalming is not required by law. Embalming may be necessary, however, if you select certain funeral arrangements, such as a funeral with viewing. If you do not want embalming, you usually have the right to choose an arrangement that does not require you to pay for it, such as direct cremation or immediate burial.

#### *A note from Recompose*

Recompose cannot accept bodies that have been embalmed, as embalming conflicts with Recompose's process. An embalmed body cannot safely go through human composting process.

### **Federal Casket Price List Disclosure**

All funeral homes are required to provide a casket price list upon request.

#### *A note from Recompose*

We don't sell caskets.

### **Federal Outer Burial Container Disclosure**

All funeral homes are required to provide an outer burial container price list upon request.

#### *A note from Recompose*

We don't sell outer burial containers (sometimes referred to as "vaults").

## **ABOUT RECOMPOSE**

Recompose, Public Benefit Corporation, provides ecological, regenerative death care. Our process, human composting, gently transforms human remains into soil. Recompose is a licensed funeral home and will take care of all of your death care needs, from the transportation of the body from the place of death through the filing of a death certificate. Recompose was born from research on the soil cycle. Soil created by Recompose will nurture growth on the same forest floor that inspired its creation, allowing us to give back to the earth that nourishes us all our lives. Recompose is located at 4 S Idaho Street, Seattle, WA 98134.

If you have any questions about what is included in our price or anything else as you are considering our services, please contact us at [info@recompose.life](mailto:info@recompose.life) or (206) 800-TREE (8733).

