

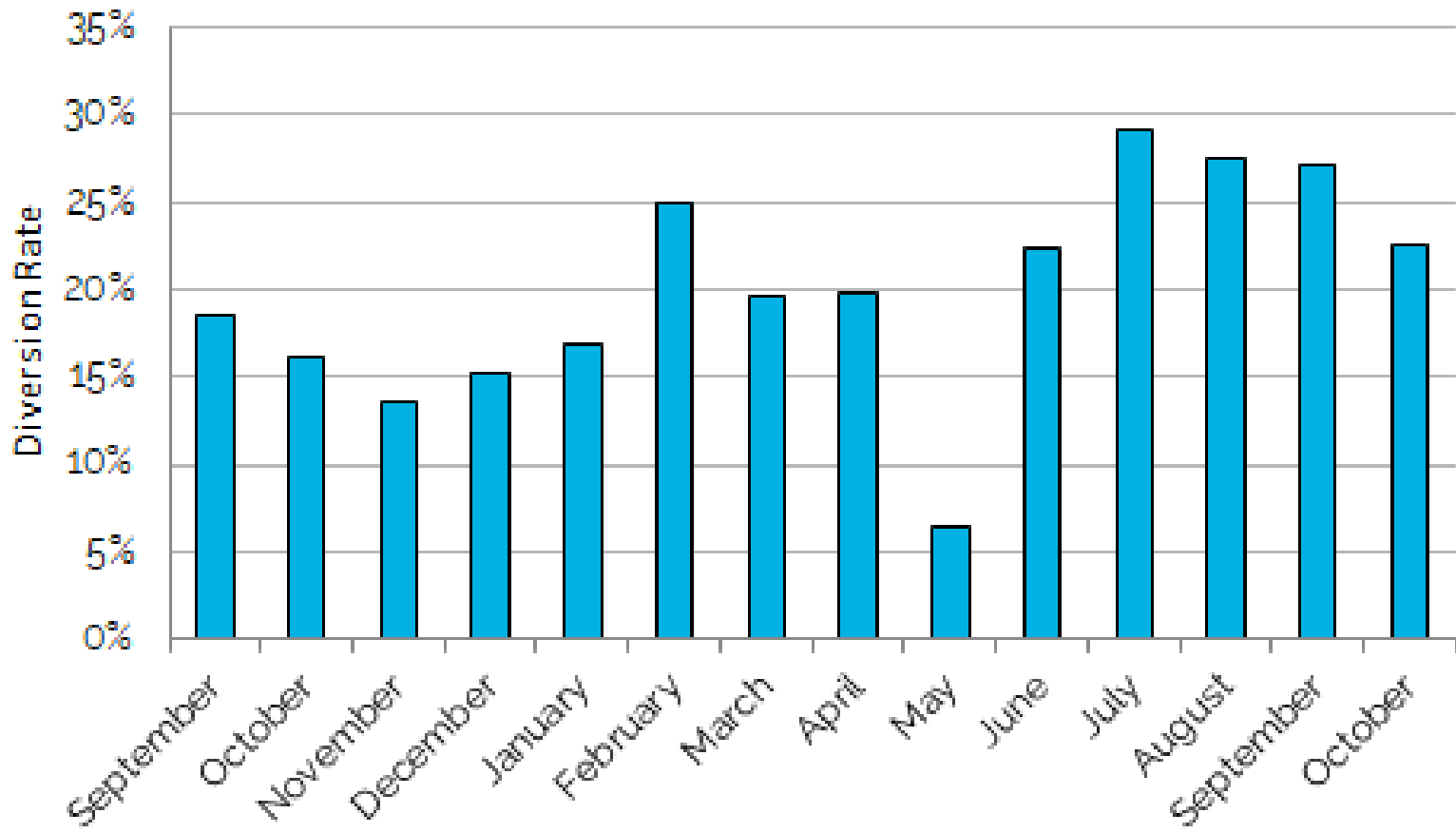
**Auraria
Sustainable
Campus
Program**

October 2021 Waste Report

Altogether Recycling Collected: **36,009 lbs**
 Landfill Collected: **130,693 lbs**
 Compostable Materials Collected: **2,014 lbs**
 Total Materials Collected: **168,716 lbs**



Year to Date Diversion Rate



Monthly Waste Comparison

September

Landfill: 72.8%
 Recycling: 23.77%
 Compost: 3.4%
 Diversion Rate: 27.17%

October

Landfill: 77.5%
 Recycling: 21.34%
 Compost: 1.2%
 Diversion Rate: 22.54%

Environmental Impact

Through **38,023 lbs** of compost and recycling we avoided..



49,446 lbs of CO2 GHG Emissions

Which is equal to...



24,7928 lbs of coal being burned

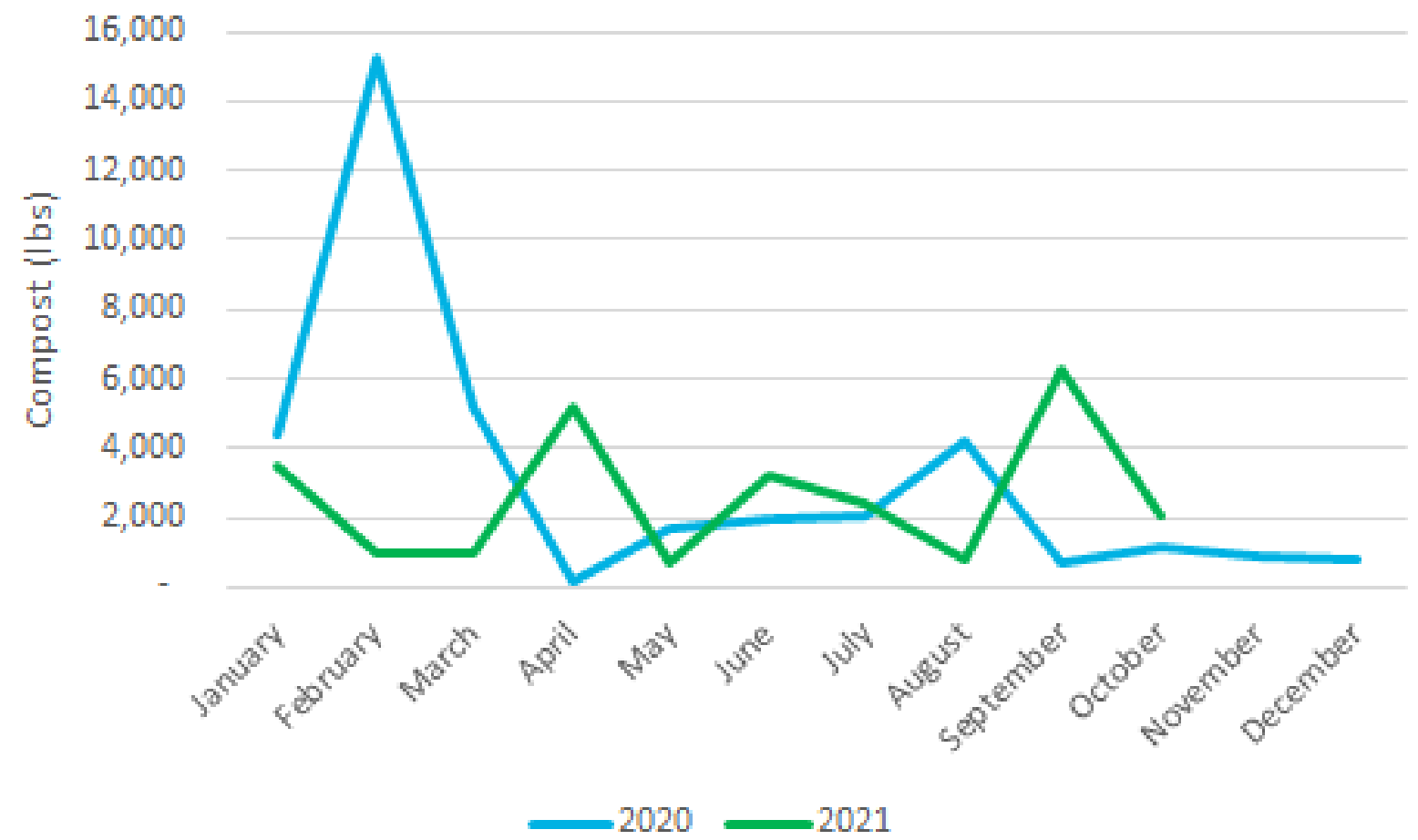


27.5 acres of forest sequestering carbon



56,371 miles driven by an average passenger car in carbon

Compost Annual Comparison



The **Compost Weight** collected at the Auraria Campus in September was **2,014 lbs**. That is a **68%** decrease compared to last month

Monthly Waste Diversion Highlight

Help reduce your spooky carbon footprint this season by composting your pumpkin. Bring untreated (i.e. bleached or equivalent) pumpkins by Tiv 267 so the organic material can live another life as healthy soil. Food-safe paint welcome. We will be taking pumpkins during the weekday between the hours of 9am and 4pm. All community members are encouraged to drop off their pumpkin waste for sustainable disposal!



For more information go to sustainableauraria.org!

