



ENHANCING YOUR ENVIRONMENT

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Call or e-mail us for a land management proposal.

Soil Testing

We are currently trying new approaches based on the latest technology. Our latest test is with a supplier that until now worked exclusively with golf courses. With new affordable pricing, we hope to be able to offer some exciting new enhancements to your maintenance program.

Winter Rye is Lush and Green!!

If your winter lawn has been seeded, about 2 week of germination and 3 weeks of growth will signal the time to mow. Many factors can effect the lushness of your lawns however with our over seeding and water schedules, you should be on track for a beautiful winter lawn. Soon we will begin to fertilize which will produce an even greener color of grass. For the maximum effect in winter color for your shrubs, grass, and flowers, order a soil test so that we may custom mix your fertilizer.

Preparing for Cooler Weather

Now is the time when several types of shrubs are cut down to the ground. This promotes healthy stems and significantly better shape and blooming. Such plants as the Red Bird of Paradise, Lantana, and Brittle brush can be cut to almost nothing. New growth may start quickly but many times will take a couple of months to look alive again. Once the warmer weather comes back, they will grow with fervor.

With all of the trimming, now is a good time to replenish granite to those thin areas. Granite can be washed away, buried, or just broken down over time and a top-coat is a great way to revitalize those areas that were under water during monsoon season.

Now is the time for pre-emergent! Call now if you are not already on our list.

When should I add plants?



Annuals can turn your bland entryway into an explosion of color.

Now that the growing season for trees and shrubs are slowing down, when should I replace those plants that didn't make it through the summer?

Plants die, either from bad soil, to previously dumped chemicals or waste, to disease. Every landscape has its own special needs and every plant thrives or dies based on many factors. Either way, many of these plants should be replaced. Soil erosion or aesthetic purposes may dictate the replacement of shrubs or ground cover.



Now when the temperatures are cool and the soil is warm is the perfect time to start your replacement process or enhancements. After a soil test and consultation either with a designer or one of our qualified managers, you can be on your way to rejuvenating your landscaping. Adding the right plant based on the results of the soil test and blooming cycle of your existing plants can create the perfect balance you have been looking for.

Call or e-mail us for an appointment to go over your needs with us!