

Homeowner Check List

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Date://	
Name:	Email:
Street:	City:
Zip Code:	Telephone: ()

Checklist of Items that might be needed			
 Weight scale Soil probe / hand trowel Bucket Measuring wheel / measuring tape Bag of fertilizer Fertilizer spreader Catch cans (tuna, cat food) for irrigation calibration 			
Questions to Answer for Irrigation Winter Months: number of days irrigation runs per week: days/week Growing Season: number of days irrigation runs per week: days/week Time irrigation runs (start to finish):: AM or PM to: AM or PM Were irrigation times changed to early AM?YesNo Rain sensor installed:YesNo Rain sensor activated and turned on:YesNo Length of run zone time:minutes Catch can amount (example, if zone runs for 45 minutes, you can catch irrigation for 15 minutes and then multiply by three for total amount.): Amount applied: inches Complies with recommendations from class:YesNo			
IMPACT: If watering schedule is adjusted between growing season and winter months: record estimated gallons of water reduced:			
Estimated dollars saved annually:			



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Questions to Answer for Fertilizer

- Collect soil for sample testing
- Using the measuring wheel / measuring tape, calculate the square feet of the area fertilized.

Front yard	Width	_x length	=	sq. ft.
Back yard	width	_x length	=	sq. ft.
Left side yard	width	_x length	=	sq. ft.
Right side yard	width	_x length	=	sq. ft.
			Total	sq. ft.

- Calibrate fertilizer spreader
- What is the fertilizer analysis of the fertilizer currently used _____N ____P ____K
- What percentage of Slow Release Nitrogen (SRN) or Quick Release Nitrogen (QRN) was used in the past: SRN _____% QRN____%
- What are the soil test recommendations for fertilizer: ____lbs ____N ____P ____K
- What is the fertilizer analysis that will be used going forward _____N _____P _____K
- What percentage of SRN or QRN will be used now: SRN____% QRN___%
- Record the difference in the amount of fertilizer applied _____