

GROW

A DIVISION of EARTH, TURE, & WOOD, INC.

Exquisite
LANDSCAPE & HARDSCAPE
MAINTENANCE SERVICES



NOW THAT YOU HAVE YOUR DREAM BACKYARD, WHO WILL CARE FOR IT?

GROW: A new level of excellence in a landscape & hardscape maintenance service.

We are pleased to offer our clients **GROW**, a landscape & hardscape maintenance service that builds on our tradition of excellence.

As a client of Earth, Turf, & Wood, you are familiar with the high standards and commitment to excellence that we bring to our hardscape and landscape creations. With our **GROW** division, we now bring that same level of quality to taking care of every aspect of your outdoor living environment.

From spring clean-up and pruning to fertilization and comprehensive plant care, our **GROW Specialists** will implement our Standard Package to make sure your outdoor paradise stays beautiful all year.

We also offer a Premium Package that takes the worry and maintenance hassles out of every aspect of caring for your outdoor environment including your pool, outdoor kitchen, water features, landscaping, irrigation, etc.

Standard Package: We offer a comprehensive year-long program of care and maintenance for your lawn, landscaping and lighting. Even though it's called "standard", it's anything but ordinary!

Premium Package: For a truly worry-free experience, this package* covers the care and maintenance of your outdoor living environment. Spend your time enjoying your paradise, instead of working on it!

For a more complete description of services, please see the inside spread of this brochure.

Call us at 717.721.3530 for more information!

**Additional fees apply for some services*



OUR STANDARD PACKAGE

(Includes bi-monthly site visits)

Spring Clean Up - Late February thru Early May

Deadwood Removal – Trees* and Shrubs

Removal of all dead and/or damaged branches from applicable ornamental trees and shrubs to correct mechanical and/or winter damage.

Selective Pruning – Trees* and Shrubs

Removal of all diseased and unsightly branches and/or thinning and reshaping of applicable ornamental trees and shrubs.

Site Debris Removal

Removal of all debris, such as branches, twigs, and leaves, that have accumulated over the winter.

Window Well Debris Removal

Removal of all debris, in designated window wells, that has accumulated over the winter.

Early Season Landscape Renovation

- Removal of weeds and debris that have accumulated within planting beds over the winter.
- Perennials and ornamental grasses will be cut back, as required.
- Adjust tree stakes and/or guy wires.
- Turf adjacent to beds will be edged, to present a neat appearance and to frame plant material.
- Bare and mulched beds will be hand cultivated to loosen and improve the underlying soil condition.
- A pre-emergent herbicide will be applied to applicable beds to control weeds.
- A quality balanced granular fertilizer will be applied to applicable beds, as needed.
- Premium mulch, matching or of equal quality and color of existing mulch, will be added to all beds not to exceed a 2" to 2 1/2" layer.

Turf Management and Weed Control March thru November

Application #1 - March/April: Crabgrass preventer with fertilizer, as needed.

Application #2 - May/Mid June: Spring weed control and fertilizer, as needed.

Application #3 - Late August/September: Late summer fertilizer and weed control, as needed.

Application #4 - October: Fall fertilizer, as needed.

Application #5 - November: Slow release fertilizer for winter and pre-application of crabgrass treatment, as needed. Fall Aeration of Lawn – November

Peak Season Late April thru Late September

Comprehensive Plant Care

We will inspect Perennials and necessary cultural practices, such as dead-heading, will be performed at that time. During these visits, we will observe the general health of your plants, including perennials, annuals, shrubs and trees. If we observe signs of stress caused by disease or pests sufficient to warrant control we will inform you of costs for treatment. We will also provide feedback on over or under watering of new plant materials. Specialty chemicals will be billed at scheduled prices. Reports will be generated and e-mailed/mailed to you with our recommended solutions to control the identified problem(s).

Bed Weed Control

We will hand weed and cultivate as needed, to maintain a neat and weed-free appearance. Groundcover will be pruned and weeded, as needed. Pre-emergent and post-emergent weed control is not included in this price and will be billed respectively.

Pruning*

Our pruning service is dependent upon seasonal influences and specific plant growth characteristics. Pruning will take place during appropriate season. Hand pruning, shearing, and dead-heading techniques will be performed to encourage flowering and plant vigor, and to achieve the effect intended by standard horticultural practices, or as requested by the owner. This includes groundcovers, perennials, evergreens, deciduous shrubs, and applicable ornamental trees.

Woody Plant Fertilizing

A midseason, all-purpose fertilizer will be applied to all applicable ornamental trees and shrubs, as needed. Additional fertilizer applications will be made on an individual basis by client request, and will be billed on an individual basis.

Evergreen Plant Fertilizing and Maintenance

A midseason, all-purpose fertilizer will be applied to all applicable evergreen trees and shrubs, as needed. Additional fertilizer applications will be made on an individual basis by client request, and will be billed on an individual basis.

Lighting Maintenance

Low voltage lighting systems will be monitored to assure proper operation. Fixtures will be straightened if necessary and well lights will be cleaned off of all debris. Bulb replacements or other minor repairs will be made on our normally scheduled visits. Additional trips to replace bulbs or to perform minor repairs will carry an additional charge.

Fall Clean Up and Preparation for Winter Late September thru Mid November

Bed Winter Preparation

- Perennials will be cut back and/or dead-headed and annuals will be removed.
- A pre-emergent herbicide may be applied to applicable beds to control cool season weeds, as needed.
- Bed Leaf Removal – removal of all leaves in beds twice per in the fall.
- All debris generated by the above services will be removed from the site, unless directed otherwise.
- Spray broad-leafed evergreens to mitigate potential winter leaf damage with an anti-desiccant. Sensitive plant material can be wrapped in burlap per request.

* Prune to a maintainable height using a step ladder

OUR PREMIUM PACKAGE

(includes weekly site visits)

Includes *everything* in the Standard Package PLUS all of the following services:

Turf Management and Weed Control

Additional Turf Application for Grub Control:

- Late June thru Late August: Summer fertilizer and grub control, as needed.
- Fall Lime Application in November.

Pruning

Pruning will take place throughout the year, as needed to ensure a healthy and pristine landscape.

Lawn Care

- Turf will be cut at a height of 3" as conditions dictate, i.e.: during times of drought this height will be increased accordingly.
- Mowing equipment and patterns will be employed to permit recycling of clippings where possible, and to present a neat, healthy appearance of your lawn.
- Excess clippings and debris will be removed.
- Blades on all equipment will be sharp to prevent tearing of the grass blades.
- Turf adjacent to hard surfaces will be string trimmer edged as needed.
- Bi-Weekly re-edging of all beds with string trimmer to maintain a professional edge will be implemented throughout the season.
- Crews will check and clean under doormats, and in window and stairwells.
- Hoses will be rolled up and neatly stored at faucets.
- Patio furniture will be returned to its original arrangement after blowing off all areas.
- Driveway and sidewalks will be blown off, as needed.
- Lawn leaf removal in the fall season.

Fall Clean Up and Preparation for Winter Late September thru Mid November

General Winter Preparation

- If applicable, window boxes, flowerpots, and urns will be emptied and soil disposed of appropriately.
- Garden hoses will be disconnected, drained, and rolled up for winter storage.
- Patio furniture, statues, hoses, etc. will be stored as requested.



Additional Services: Available to Premium Package clients only

As part of our focus to meet the total outdoor maintenance needs of our Premium Package clients, we proudly offer these additional services. Talk to your GROW Specialist for more information. (Additional fees apply.)

Water Garden Maintenance

Water garden maintenance includes a spring cleaning visit and an end-of-the-season "winterization" visit, as well as routine visits throughout the season. Water gardens will be monitored regularly for proper operation and cleanliness. As necessary, plants will be dead-headed, fertilized, pond debris will be removed, and skimmer filters cleaned. Any necessary bacteria and/or algae control will be billed at scheduled prices. Earth, Turf, & Wood cannot be held responsible for the loss or illness of fish.

Irrigation Maintenance

Irrigation systems will be monitored by our Grow Specialist who will make recommendations, as needed, to adjust the rate of application to meet changing conditions. (Earth, Turf, & Wood cannot be held responsible for damage by others or for improperly installed systems. Spring startup and winterization are included in this contract and will be completed by Lancaster Irrigation.)

Outdoor Kitchen Maintenance

Outdoor kitchens will be inspected upon each visit:

- All metal cabinets will be wiped down and cleaned.
- Countertop will be cleaned.
- Trash and/or debris will be removed from all trash cans, tables, and chairs.
- Twice a year the grill will be cleaned with an approved, product specific, grill cleaner, both inside and out (April and August) and the stainless cabinets will be polished.
- Patio flowerpots, urns, and window boxes will be planted with annuals, either as requested by the homeowner or by the direction of our Grow Specialist.
- Sink will be winterized at the end of the season and the refrigerator will be cleaned, inside and out, and turned off.

Pressure Washing Service

At any point in the year we will gladly pressure wash decks, house, patio, fences, play equipment, sidewalks and/or driveway surfaces. At this time we can re-poly sand any areas on the patio and seal the stone work if necessary to prolong its life.

Other available services: (Additional fees apply)

- Snow Removal: Removal of all snow from driveway, around mailbox, sidewalks, and ice treatment with environmentally friendly calcium applications if required.
- Holiday decorations /lighting outside
- Specialty window box planting reflecting seasons and/or specific holiday(s).
- Problem solving: drainage issues, runoff, screening, plant selection, etc.]
- Storm Damage Cleanup
- Event set up – preparation and/or tear down and cleanup.
- Vegetable /Herb / Rose garden installation and/or maintenance.
- Green installation/maintenance: rain gardens, rain barrels, rain water harvesting, composting, etc.
- Structure maintenance



HERE'S AN EASY WAY TO PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT.

GROW, a new division of Earth, Turf, & Wood, Inc., provides an easy way to protect the investment you've made in your home by providing you with superior landscape & hardscape maintenance services.

Our service will:

- Prolong the life of your hardscape and landscape.
- Save you time and hassle.
- Ensure your beautiful back yard stays beautiful.
- Increase enjoyment of your outdoor environment by relieving you of the pressure to do maintenance.

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