

TOPSOIL UNDER SOD

IS IT REQUIRED?

Read below for answers



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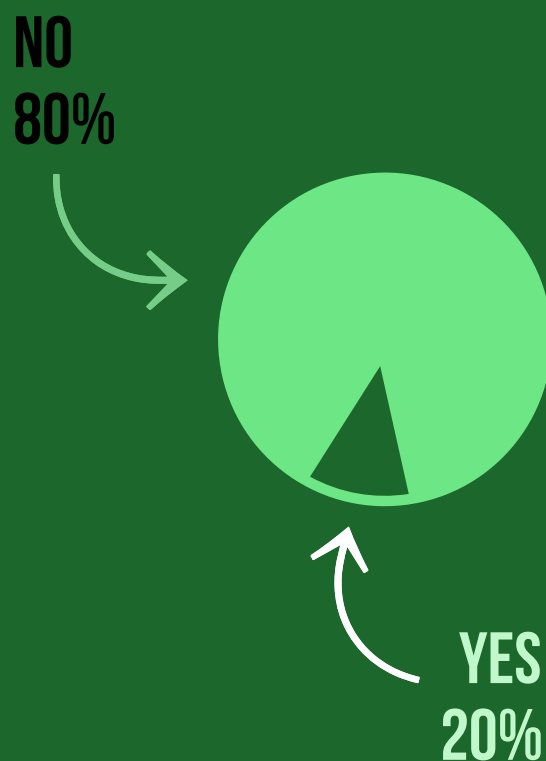
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- ✓ BENEFICIAL IF ENOUGH INSTALLED
- ✓ NOT BENEFICIAL IF NOT ENOUGH INSTALLED
- ✓ MAY HAVE WEED SEEDS
- ✓ DARKER ISN'T BETTER
- ✓ CAN ADD UNNECESSARY COST
- ✓ FERTILIZER IS STILL REQUIRED

OUR DATA

How many clients get topsoil under sod?



WE HAVE FOUND THAT CLIENTS WHO PROPERLY FERTILIZE, AERATE, AND WATER THEIR LAWN HAVE MUCH NICER LAWNS THAN THOSE WHO DON'T, EVEN IF TOPSOIL WAS INSTALLED.

MOST OF OUR SOD IS GROWN IN TOPSOIL

WHEN WE INSTALL IT

- ✓ WHEN YOU WANT IT
- ✓ WHEN YOU HAVE LOW SPOTS THAT CAN'T BE WORKED OUT WITH BASIC GROUND PREP.
- ✓ TO BRING UP THE GRADE TO NEW CONCRETE OR BRICK PAVERS
- ✓ TO COVER SOIL THAT PRIMARILY CONSISTS OF GRAVEL

YES OR NO

WE LIKE TOPSOIL. IT HELPS IN MANY WAYS. BUT IS IT NECESSARY...NOT USUALLY. THOUGH WE OFFER TOPSOIL INSTALLATION SERVICE AS PART OF OUR SOD AND SEEDING INSTALLATION, WE DON'T PUSH IT ON CLIENTS AS A MUST-HAVE.