FERTILIZING

The Operations manager shall have the responsibility for coordinating the fertilizing program

Collier County has established a mandatory fertilizing standard requirement.

The PMCDD shall be in compliance with the county.

TURF

Standard applications- The turf has three applications per year of Nitrogen, Phosphorus, and Potassium in the general blend of 16-4-10. The applications occur in approximately late January with weed killer, April with pre-emergent weed killer, and October. The Bermuda grass in Tiburon is treated with an insecticide nematicide. Approximately 600 bags @50 pounds per bag are applied per application. Nitrogen is applied at a rate of approximately 1.5 pounds per square feet per application.

Supplemental applications-

none

Trees/ shrubs

<u>Standard applications</u> –Generally trees/shrubs receive applications twice per year of Nitrogen, Phoshorus, and Potassium in the general blend of 8-2-12. The applications occur approximately in March and October. Approximately 600 bags @50 pounds per bag are applied. The application rate for trees and shrubs shall be the same as that for turf.

Supplemental applications -

The following trees receive supplemental applications.

none

The following shrubs receive supplemental applications

-fertilize all flowering shrubs in May

No application --

The following trees receive no fertilizing—Ficus, sables, oaks, and ornamental grasses along the lakes