

## REPAIRING TURF SEEDING GUIDE

Lawns across the region are ready for fall renovation. The combination of summer's heat and humidity and the ever present compacted clay soils have again stressed the turf resulting in brown, thin and dead areas. The disease spots are most prevalent where soil is compacted clay and the turf is exposed to hot afternoon sun. September is the best month of the year to repair existing lawns, thicken turf, or begin a new lawn from either seed or sod. Don't delay, the best results occur when the seed has ample time to fully germinate and to get established before the ground gets cold in October. Our experienced staff will assist you in selecting the right blend or mix for your particular situation.



We offer bulk seed as well as a large pre-packaged selection of turf seed. A unique feature is the availability of large 50lb bags of seed at fantastic savings. Grass seed keeps its germination well for at least two years. Our grass seed is top quality. Many fungus and weed problems begin when less than quality seed is introduced into the turf.

Lanoha's Best of the Blues blend of disease resistant cultivars remains our number one customer favorite. Every year this blend is revised so it contains the newest and finest bluegrass seed. The blend shows improved

disease resistance to dollar spot, summer patch, leaf spot, and brown patch. We inspected many samples brought to the Information Desk of all of these fungus diseases this season. This blend has some of the darkest green bluegrasses available. All show great "blending" characteristics to improve both bluegrass as well as ryegrass and fescue turf.

Many homeowners add the fine leaf turf fescue and fine leaf perennial ryegrass to existing lawns to create a more diverse mixture. Lanoha's Deluxe Shady Mix is a perennial favorite for the more mature lawn that has become shaded by trees and other landscaping.