

Nutri-Pel for Landscaping

New Plantings

A commercial landscaping firm planted new roses and bushes in North Eastern Ontario. After the plants had been in the ground for 4—5 days, they were eaten by rabbits and deer. As a trial the roses and bushes were replanting in the same manner but this time Nutri-Pel was also applied. It was observed that deer and rabbits did not eat or damage the plants after application of Nutri-Pel. This commercial landscaping firm is now applying Nutri-Pel to all its new plantings. In addition to the benefit of minimizing animal attacks it also appears that the Nutri-Pel stimulates root growth faster than bone meal or similar products. The above benefits helped the landscaper reduce costs and improve customer satisfaction.



New Turf

As part of a controlled trial a large residential backyard was re-sodded in the spring. Half the area had sod and synthetic fertilizer applied to it while the other half had seed and Nutri-Pel. The area that had been seeded and then fertilized with Nutri-Pel germinated faster and needed cutting sooner than the sod that had been fertilized with the synthetic fertilizer. It was also noted the grass that had been fertilized with Nutri-Pel was more resistant to drought conditions. The application of Nutri-Pel helped improve the aesthetics of new sod installations and made them ready for use sooner. The Nutri-Pel also improved survival rates of new installations especially during hot drought conditions reducing costs to the landscaper.

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