

URGENT!

The Word Group Inc.

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Plant Material Warranty

All shrubs and trees planted by **The Word Group, Inc.** are guaranteed for a one (1) year period.

The guarantee is valid under the following provisions:

- That the client has kept the plants watered on a regular schedule consistent with proper horticultural practices.
- That the plants have not been, as determined by **The Word Group, Inc.** damaged unnaturally due to vehicles, pets, people, improper spraying or fertilizing by anyone other than **The Word Group, Inc.**
- That the plants have not been damaged due to flooding, storm damage or any other Acts of God.
- That the plants have not been, as determined by **The Word Group, Inc.** damaged or killed due to severe winter conditions such as low temperatures, dehydration or snow damage.
- Plants that have died during the warranty period will be replaced one (1) time only at the end of the guarantee. Replacement plant material are not covered with an additional guarantee, thus ending all warranty work.
- Warranty does not cover the following material: Sod, Seed, Bulbs, Annual Flowers, Chrysanthemums, Cabbage, Kale and Biennials.
- Plant material purchased between 12/1 and 3/1 will not be covered by the warranty.

Water Guidelines

The Word Group, Inc. suggests the following guidelines for watering various plant materials. These are only guidelines that are continually adjusted according to weather, soil composition, seasonal conditions and microclimates.

- **SOD**

After installation, sod should remain soaked with water for 14 days. This may mean watering once or twice daily until the water has saturated the soil 4-6" in depth. After the initial 14 day period, the sod should be watered once every 3-4 days or as conditions dictate for a period of 2-3 weeks.

- **SEED**

After installation, the seed bed areas should be watered daily saturating the soil 4-6" in depth until germination has occurred. After germination has occurred, watering should be done every other day or as conditions dictate for a period of 2-3 weeks.

- **TREES & SHRUBS**

Newly planted trees and shrubs should be watered on an average 2-3 times per week or as conditions dictate for the first year.

Another guideline to follow is based on the weekly outdoor temperature but will vary due to rainfall, soil conditions and microclimates.

90+ degrees - 4 times per week
70-90 degrees - 3 times per week
50-70 degrees - 2 times per week

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Please do not hesitate to call with any questions you may have regarding watering and plant care. We will be happy to help in any way possible. Please also take a moment to view our website for testimonials, services we provide and our company portfolio.

Please sign this Warranty and return via fax so that we know that your company has received it. Please disperse these guidelines to all superintendents and project managers or anyone that you feel may benefit from this helpful information.

Company

Date

Receivers Signature