

## Indian Palms HOA

### TURF



**Mowing** – Mowing height remains at 1.5” for the remainder of the winter season.

**Fertilization** – A fertilizer with Barricade herbicide will be applied the Mid-week of February to deter the summer weeds.

**Herbicide** – Barricade pre-emergent will be applied. Barricade herbicide controls summer weeds from germinating such as crabgrass and spurge. It does not

### SHRUBS



**Focus Pruning** – Normal maintenance pruning will continue during the month of February. Pruning of frost damaged plants may be cut back when weather permits. No pesticide applications scheduled for this month.

**Plant Replacement** – Plant replacements will take place as requested via approved work orders when weather permits.

### TREES



**Scheduled Trimming** – No trees are scheduled for pruning in February.

### FEBRUARY 2020 HIGHLIGHTS

#### Notes:

By the end of February, the weather is warming up and the chance of frost is over for this year. Adjust irrigation as weather warms.

Plants that have been damaged by frost can be cut back the last part of the month. This is also a good time to do any restoration pruning.

February is an ideal month for planting new landscapes.

Spray for weeds in DG areas that are sprouting after recent rains.

Pre-emergence herbicides should be added to turf to prevent crab grass and broadleaf weeds.

Olives can be treated to prevent fruiting.

Fertilize citrus and annual flowers to help them recover from the cold weather of the previous months.

**\* Notes: For our customers, we continue to anticipate being at 125% of your water budget and will experience Tier 3 penalties to keep the turf and trees healthy. Please continue to forward your monthly water bill and detail to help us effectively track water usage.**