

Indian Palms HOA

TURF

Mowing – Mowing height will remain the same until the over-seeding process begins.

Fertilization – No fertilization is scheduled for the month of August.

Herbicide – Monument application to treat for nutsedge will be completed in August.



SHRUBS

Focus Pruning – Normal maintenance pruning will be our focus and the avoidance of pruning heat sensitive shrubs.

Plant Replacement – Plant replacements will be done on a per work order basis with managers approval.



TREES

Scheduled Trimming – Palm pruning was completed in July. No pruning scheduled or August.



AUGUST 2017 HIGHLIGHTS

Again, June brought record temperatures, damaging sensitive plants and stressing others. Plants continued to struggle during July with temperatures from 105-120 degrees. Both plants and workers are struggling to survive in these weather conditions.

Shrub pruning and groundcover will be limited due to the heat.

Summer annuals have reached their peak and will continue to be monitored for pest and disease, except decline the middle of August.

Nut grass weeds in turf and in shrubs will be sprayed.

Irrigation frequency and run time will be at yearly high levels.

Notes:

*High temperatures are not only dangerous to plants but also for people. In temperatures over 110 degrees work will slow down **at 115 degrees work is stopped for the safety of landscape workers.**