



## TURF

**Mowing:** The mowing height will be lowered to encourage the growth of Bermuda transition.

**Fertilization:** Application of fertilizer will begin in mid-April and continue until the end of the month.

**Herbicide:** Spot spraying of broadleaf weeds will continue. Nutsedge treatment is scheduled to begin this month.

**General:** Turf areas will begin to transition from ryegrass to bermudagrass as it heats up. Expect to see some stressed areas. Increase irrigation as needed. Apply herbicide to nutsedge as it appears. Fertilize turf to help facilitate Bermuda growth.

## SHRUBS

**Focus Pruning:** Heavier seasonal pruning is expected in the spring season, which is the optimal time for rapid and excessive growth.

**General:** Shrubs will be growing rapidly. Prune to control growth. April is the last chance to perform heavy pruning before the possibility of consistent high temperatures. This is the last good month for new plantings before summer.

## TREES

**Scheduled Pruning:** Tree pruning was scheduled for the end of March and may continue through April.

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Notes:** April is the beginning of transition to the Summer Season in The Coachella Valley.

