

# THE TRUTH ABOUT LAWNS

## LAWNS BENEFIT OUR COMMUNITIES



#### **BREATHE EASIER**

One 5,000-square-foot grass lawn can produce enough oxygen daily to support 14 to 34 people.\*



#### **LESSEN FLOODING**

Natural grass has also been shown to reduce runoff and soil erosion from 6-18 times greater than bare soil.\*



#### **KEEP COOL**

Lawns can be up to 60 degrees cooler than surrounding pavement.\*



### **REDUCE CARBON DIOXIDE**

Lawns are responsible for **81-90%** of the carbon captured in a suburban yard.\*



#### **INCREASE HOME VALUES**

A well-maintained yard increases home values an estimated **10-15%**.

<sup>\*</sup>Statistics from The Lawn Institute