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PAGE: FLORIDA GREEN INDUSTRY SURVEY

1. How far do you travel to provide services from your business address or center of operation (branch office)?

	Response	Response
	Percent	Count
0-25 miles	33.3%	2
25-50 miles	16.7%	1
50-100 miles	16.7%	1
100-150 miles	33.3%	2
More than 150 miles	0.0%	0
	answered question	6
	skipped question	0
2. How long have you been certified as a GI-BMP professional?		
	Response	Response
	Percent	Count
	answered question	6
	skipped question	0

2. How long have you been certified as a GI-BMP professional?

Less than 1 year	0.0%	0
1-2 years	50.0%	3
2-3 years	33.3%	2
3-4 years	0.0%	0
4-5 years	16.7%	1
5-6 years	0.0%	0

answered question 6

skipped question 0

3. Indicate your current level of education:

	Response Percent	Response Count
No High School Diploma	0.0%	
High School/GED Diploma	50.0%	
Technical School Certificate/Diploma	0.0%	0
Associate Degree	0.0%	0
Bachelor's Degree	50.0%	
Master's Degree	0.0%	
Ph.D.	0.0%	

answered question 6

4. Please indicate which of the following describes your company:

	Response Percent	Response Count
Pest Control Company	0.0%	0
Education (Teacher, Instructor)	0.0%	0
Lawn/Landscape Maintenance Service (Mowing/Pruning)	83.3%	5
Ornamental Pest Control Services	50.0%	3
Turfgrass Pest Control Services	50.0%	3
Fertilizer Application Services	66.7%	4
Irrigation Installation/Maintenance Services	66.7%	4
Arborist	33.3%	2
Specialty Turfgrass Management (Golf/Sports Turf)	0.0%	0
Equipment/Material Retail Sales	0.0%	0
Consultant	0.0%	0
Institution (Condominium, Hospital, In-house)	0.0%	0
Government (Public Works, Facility Operations)	16.7%	1
	answered question	6

4. Please indicate which of the following describes your company:

Other (please specify) Show replies	16.7%	1	
	answered question	6	
	skipped question	0	

5. Which of the following best describes your position?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Trainer	0.0%	0
Grounds Maintenance Technician (Mowing, Pruning,Trimming)	16.7%	1
Landscape Contractor	16.7%	1
Landscape Architect	0.0%	0
Landscape Designer	33.3%	2
Landscape Maintenance Pesticide/Fertilizer Technician	33.3%	2
Interiorscape	0.0%	0
Resort/Facility Manager	0.0%	0
Parks/Recreation/Gardens	16.7%	1
Urban Forester	0.0%	0
Irrigation Contractor	16.7%	1

answered question 6

5. Which of the following best describes your position?

Irrigation Technician	33.3%	2
Golf Course Management	0.0%	0
Specialty Turfgrass Manager (Sports/Recreation Fields)	16.7%	1
Owner	16.7%	1
Branch/Account Manager	50.0%	3
Property Manager	0.0%	0
Pest Control Operator	0.0%	0
Other (please specify) Show replies	16.7%	1

answered question 6

skipped question 0

6. What was the total lawn area fertilized by this company/institution in the past 12 months?

	Response	Response	Response
	Average	Total	Count
Number of acres Show replies	166.67	166.67 500	
Total sq.ft.	0.00	0	0
	answere	3	

7. What were your company's total revenues in the past 12 months?

	Response	Response
	Percent	Count
Less than \$100 thousand	25.0%	1
\$100 to \$199 thousand	0.0%	0
\$200 to \$299 thousand	0.0%	0
\$300 to \$399 thousand	0.0%	0
\$400 to 499 thousand	0.0%	0
\$500 to \$999 thousand	0.0%	0
\$1 to \$1.9 million	0.0%	0
\$2 to \$4.9 million	0.0%	0
\$5 to \$9.9 million	50.0%	2
\$10 to \$14.9 million	25.0%	1
\$15 to \$19.9 million	0.0%	0
\$20 to \$24.9 million	0.0%	0
\$25 million or greater	0.0%	0

answered question 4

8. What percentage (%) of your total revenue came from fertilizer application services?

	Response	Response	
	Percent	Count	
None	0.0%	0	
25% or less	100.0%	4	
50%	0.0%	0	
75%	0.0%	0	
100%	0.0%	0	
	answered question	4	

skipped question 2

PAGE: FERTILIZATION

1. BEFORE participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Used weather forecasting information to plan a fertilization schedule.	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	0.0% (0)	6
Used soil test results to determine fertilization needs.	0.0% (0)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6
Established fertilizer-free buffer zones around water bodies.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	0.0% (0)	6

answered question 6

Used a fertilizer broadcast spreader deflector shield.	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	6
Read the fertilizer label to determine slow- and quick -release nitrogen sources.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	83.3% (5)	0.0% (0)	6
Inspected plant for insect and disease pressures before applying nutrients.	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	6
Calibrated fertilizer application equipment.	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6

answered question 6

skipped question 0

2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Use weather forecasting information to plan a fertilization schedule.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	50.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	6
Use soil test results to determine fertilization needs.	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Establish fertilizer-free buffer zones around water bodies.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	0.0% (0)	6
Use a fertilizer broadcast spreader deflector shield.	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	0.0% (0)	6

answered question 6

skipped question

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Read the fertilizer label to determine slow- and quick -release nitrogen sources.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	0.0% (0)	6
Inspect plant for insect and disease pressures before applying nutrients.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	0.0% (0)	6
Calibrate fertilizer application equipment.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	6

answered question 6

skipped question 0

PAGE: PEST MANAGEMENT

1. BEFORE participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Used Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when handling and/or applying pesticides.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	50.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	6
Used IPM to determine pest control method(s).	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Monitored pest populations to determine when to apply pesticides.	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6
Scouted routinely to identify existing or potential pest problems.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6

answered question 6

skipped question

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1. BEFORE	participating in	the GI-BIMP	training	program, I

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Performed spot treatment when appropriate.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	0.0% (0)	6		
Stored all pesticides in a secured area.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	66.7% (4)	0.0% (0)	6		
Established pesticide application-free buffer zones per label instructions.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	0.0% (0)	6		
Maintained proper records of all pesticide applications.	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6		
Read and followed all label directions.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	0.0% (0)	6		
Trained other employees in proper pest identification and pesticide selection techniques.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	6		
Used spill cleanup equipment to clean, control, contain, collect, and store spilled material until proper disposal.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	6		
			ar	nswered q	uestion	6		
				skipped q	uestion	0		
2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP training program, I								
	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count		

answered question 6

2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	n training pr	ogram, i				
Use Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when handling and/or applying pesticides.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6
Use IPM to determine pest control method(s).	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Monitor pest populations to determine when to apply pesticides.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	6
Scout routinely to identify existing or potential pest problems.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Spot treat when appropriate.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Store all pesticides in a secured area.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	16.7% (1)	6
Establish pesticide application-free buffer zones per label instructions.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	33.3% (2)	6
Maintain proper records of all pesticide applications.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	33.3% (2)	6
Read and follow all label directions.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	16.7% (1)	6
Train other employees in proper pest identification and pesticide selection techniques.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	33.3% (2)	6
Use spill cleanup equipment to clean, control, contain, collect, and store spilled material until proper disposal.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	33.3% (2)	6

answered question

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PAGE: MOWING, MULCHING & RECYCLING

1. BEFORE participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Left grass clippings on the lawn after mowing.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6
Maintained a mulch depth of 2-3 inches.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Avoided mulching around tree trunks and shrub bases.	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Used the highest acceptable mowing height for the grass being grown.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	6
Avoided removing more than a third of the grass leaf blade at one time.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Sharpened mower blades to maintain clean mowing cuts.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	6
Mowed turf when dry to maintain turf quality and health.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6

answered question 6

2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Leave grass clippings on the lawn after mowing.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	33.3% (2)	6
Maintain a mulch depth of 2-3 inches.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	6
Avoid mulching around tree trunks and shrub bases.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Use the highest acceptable mowing height for the grass being grown.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Avoid removing more than a third of the grass leaf blade at one time.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Sharpen mower blades to maintain clean mowing cuts.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	6
Mow turf when dry to maintain turf quality and health.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	6

answered question 6

skipped question 0

PAGE: IRRIGATION

1. BEFORE participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Reset irrigation controllers/timers seasonally.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	6
Calibrated rain shut-off devices and/or other automated methods to manage irrigation.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Ensured irrigation rates to prevent leaching and runoff.	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Used soil moisture or other sensing devices to ensure effective water use.	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6
Applied no more than ½ to ¾ inches of water per irrigation event.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	50.0% (3)	16.7% (1)	16.7% (1)	6
Considered over-irrigation harmful to the plant and environment.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	0.0% (0)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6

answered question 6

2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Reset irrigation controllers/timers seasonally.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6
Calibrate rain shut-off devices and/or other automated methods to manage irrigation.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6
Ensure irrigation rates to prevent leaching and runoff.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	66.7% (4)	16.7% (1)	6
Use soil moisture or other sensing devices to ensure effective water use.	0.0% (0)	16.7% (1)	33.3% (2)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Apply no more than ½ to ¾ inches of water per irrigation event.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (3)	33.3% (2)	16.7% (1)	6
Consider over-irrigation harmful to the plant and environment.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	16.7% (1)	6
			ar	nswered q	uestion	6

skipped question 0

PAGE: CUSTOMER RELATIONS

1. BEFORE participating in the GI-BMP training program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Used brochures or included comments with billing to educate clients.	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	4
Assisted clients in setting/programming the irrigation timer.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	4
Assisted clients or provided services in calibrating irrigation.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	4
Assisted clients or provided services inspecting the rain sensor.	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	4
Educated clients about the importance of a nutrient management plan.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
Educated clients about the importance of IPM.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
Educated clients about effective irrigation management.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
Educated clients about proper mowing practices, such as mowing heights, the need to leave clippings on the lawn, etc.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
			aı	nswered q	uestion	4

2. AFTER participating in the GI-BMP program, I

	Never	Occasionally	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
Use brochures or include comments with billing to educate clients.	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
Assist clients in setting/programming the irrigation timer.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	50.0% (2)	4
Assist clients or provide services in calibrating irrigation.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	50.0% (2)	4
Assist clients or provide services inspecting the rain sensor.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	50.0% (2)	4
Educate clients about the importance of a nutrient management plan.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	4
Educate clients about the importance of IPM.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	4
Educate clients about effective irrigation management.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	4
Educate clients about proper mowing practices, such as mowing heights, the need to leave clippings on the lawn, etc.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	4

answered question 4

skipped question 2

PAGE: TRAINING AND INFORMATION NEEDS

1. BEFORE becoming GI-BMP Certified, who did you contact for help with a landscape/lawn problem?

	Never	Rarely	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
UF/IFAS County Extension Agent	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	4
UF/IFAS State Specialist	75.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4
Chemical company representative	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4
Private consultant	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4

answered question 4

skipped question 2

2. AFTER becoming GI-BMP Certified, who do you contact for help with a landscape/lawn problem?

	Never	Rarely	Often	Always	N/A	Response Count
UF/IFAS County Extension Agent	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	4
UF/IFAS State Specialist	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	4
Chemical company representative	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4
Private consultant	50.0% (2)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4

answered question 4

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3. Indicate your level of satisfaction with the information provided by the GI-BMP training program:

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	No Opinion	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Respo Count
The information was relevant.	100.0% (4)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	
The information was easy to understand.	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	
The information was helpful.	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	

answered question

skipped question

PAGE: VALUE

1. What is the value of the GI-BMP program for your company?

	Not Applicable	Slightly Important	Important	Very Important	Critical to Company	Respc Count
It creates a positive public image.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	75.0% (3)	25.0% (1)	
It provides cost-savings.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	50.0% (2)	
It offers reduced liability.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	75.0% (3)	
It provides CEUs used to maintain certification.	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	

answered question

1. What is the value of the GI-BMP program for your company?

Certification helps with marketing to the public.	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	25.0% (1)	50.0% (2)
It generates additional revenue	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	0.0% (0)

answered question

skipped question

2. What is the value of the GI-BMP program for you?

	Not Important	Slightly Important	Important	Very Important	Critical	Response Count
CEUs to maintain certification	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	4
Knowledge increase	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	100.0% (4)	0.0% (0)	4
Better employment opportunities	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	4
More job security	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	50.0% (2)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	4
Higher income	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	25.0% (1)	0.0% (0)	4

answered question 4

3. Are you aware of the new FDACS "Limited Commercial Fertilizer Applicator Certificate" requirement for urban commercial fertilizer applicators?

	Response	Response
	Percent	Count
Yes	75.0%	3
Νο	25.0%	1
	answered question	4
	skipped question	2

4. What percentage (%) of your total employees will require the new limited Urban Commercial Landscape Applicator certificate from FDACS.

	Response	Response
	Percent	Count
25% or less	75.0%	3
50%	0.0%	0
75%	0.0%	0
100%	25.0%	1

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