

SOD QUALITY ASSURANCE PROGRAM

MCIA
MINNESOTA CROP
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**CERTIFICATE
SOD QUALITY ASSURANCE**

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Buyer		Seller	
Name	Smith Landscaping	Name	Ace Sod Company
Address	250 Green Drive	Address	111 Turf Street
City, State, Zip	Anytown, MN 55000	City, State, Zip	Anytown, MN 55000

Sod type	M881-2 Salt Tolerant Sod	Amount of shipment (sq. ft.)	20000 sq. ft.
Field Number	10	Date of harvest	8/1/2010
Shipping method	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Palletized <input type="checkbox"/> Large Roll <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Number of pallets / large rolls shipped	18 large rolls (270 sq. ft. per roll)

Description of pallet/large roll marking system used: Stamps marked "M" on sod roll

This sod has been produced in conformity with standards and procedures specified by the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association Standards - Sod Quality Assurance.

Date: 8/1/2010 Seller's Signature: John Ace

One original Certificate - Sod Quality Assurance must accompany each shipment of sod.

The soil approved by this certificate conforms to MN Department of Transportation specifications for the soil type indicated. IN CONNECTION WITH THIS SOIL, MCIA MAKES NO WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PURPOSE, OR OTHERWISE. MCIA only certifies that the soil met the Sod Quality Assurance Standards at the time the inspection was made. The seller, whose name appears above, is solely responsible for the information herein and for the proper use of this certificate.

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Developed through a collaboration of:

- Minnesota Turf Assn
- University of Minnesota
- Minnesota Department of Transportation
- Minnesota Crop Improvement Assn

**Insist on this certificate for assurance of
Salt Tolerant Sod**

- Grown from premium quality seed
 - ♦ Selected turf grass varieties
 - ♦ Quality assured seed mixes from approved vendors
- Comprehensive sod production standards
 - ♦ Professionally grown by qualified producers
 - ♦ Stringent sod quality requirements
- Rigorous third party quality assurance process
 - ♦ Seed to harvest oversight
 - ♦ On-site inspections
- Certificate of Assurance with each delivery
 - ♦ Identifies sod that has met all requirements

Program proceeds help fund University of Minnesota research to improve turf and sod performance.

For more information or for a list of producers contact:

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