

## Maricopa County Air Quality Department

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## Overseeding Dust Advisory

As the fall season hits the valley and temperatures drop, a common practice will begin that has the potential for a negative impact on our air quality. Overseeding may involve replacing Bermuda grass with a lush winter lawn, but this procedure can be a dusty endeavor due to the scalping of the dry grass. As a result, the Department responds to numerous questions and concerns from golf courses managers, landscapers, Cities, Towns and residents collectively doing their best to reduce the dust while working to maintain their grassy landscapes.

Attached is a flyer that offers tips to help prevent dust hazards during the overseeding process. Please feel free to distribute the flyer throughout your organization or contact the Department for more information.

Thank you,

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