

Checklist

Planning and Development Made Easier:

The BMP Planning Guide & Template walks you through the planning process and BMP plan development in an easy to use, step-by-step process. Planning steps include: committee development, committee member roles, BMP selection and editing, setting adoption goals to reviewing, and publishing. All BMPs are pre-loaded so you can check the category and sub-category of BMPs you want and then begin editing them to incorporate your region's regulatory requirements, agronomic information, and environmental elements.

Before You Start:

Being prepared to complete the BMP Planning Guide will help you achieve success. Here are some recommendations to help you succeed:

- ▶ Review the print version of the BMP Planning Guide & Template
- ▶ Develop or prepare to develop a budget and consider funding resources
- ▶ Identify key committee members and their potential roles and functions
 - ▶ University turfgrass scientists
 - ▶ State regulatory expert(s) for irrigation, nutrient management, other agronomics, or environmental protection
 - ▶ Watershed or conservation group representative
 - ▶ State golf association, professional association member
 - ▶ Superintendent members, chapter leaders, etc.
- ▶ Propose target dates for completion
- ▶ Know regional regulatory or other issues to identify BMP sections to include within your BMP plan
- ▶ Prepare to incorporate regional regulatory requirements, agronomic information, and environmental compliance during the process

For More Help:

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