

# Corn Gluten Meal Weed Barrier

**A Natural Solution** offers Corn Gluten Meal Weed Barrier as an additional beneficial service to our Annual Lawn Care Service Program.

**Corn Gluten Meal** is a by product of the corn milling industry. Years of research has shown **Corn Gluten Meal** to have pre-emergent weed control properties.

**Corn Gluten Meal Weed Barrier** needs to be applied on a semi-annual basis. This product breaks down in your soil, spreading across to form a thin weed barrier. Over time, this product builds up in your soil and keeps most weed and crabgrass seeds from germinating. This takes some time and patience, because the weed barrier is around 20% effective with each year, but builds up in the soil, making the barrier more effective with each application, so by the end of the second year it will be around 40% , 60% after the third year and so on. (This time will pass faster than you know!)

This product only works on weed seeds. **It does not effect already emerged broadleaf weeds in your lawn.** During this time, we will still be spot treating weeds in the lawn, if that is requested. This spot treatment on emerged weeds will reduce with each year.

This additional service will help us provide an even safer, more organic lawn care service as the years go on. This will really come into play down the road when more and more chemicals are taken off the market. Safer lawn care takes patience. Chemicals are the faster, easier route. Several Provinces in Canada, for example, have banned all lawn chemicals. We want all our customers' lawns ready when, not if, but when , chemical use is banned on lawns in the United States.

**Corn Gluten Meal** is found in many pet foods and is safe for children or pets to play on immediately after an application.

If you are interested in an estimate on our services, including the **Corn Gluten Meal Weed Barrier**, please call **(509) 226-2122** or in Idaho **(208) 660-0188**, or e-mail us at [anaturalsolution@msn.com](mailto:anaturalsolution@msn.com).



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