

# Valued Residents of SouthWest Florida

## A Message From BrightView



### BrightView Landscape would like to update you on what's happening in your community

Recent low temperatures are going to affect plant material and turf throughout Florida. We've experienced multiple days with record lows for the time of year. Rest assured that BrightView will be monitoring the situation daily.

#### *Cold Weather*

Recent abnormal low temperatures in Florida have raised concerns about the health of both plant material and turf across the community. Many plants that are typically well-adapted to Florida's subtropical climate can suffer from cold stress when temperatures drop unexpectedly. This stress can lead to leaf discoloration, browning, or even death of sensitive species, especially those not well-suited to extreme cold. Turf grass too can experience damage during periods of cold temperatures. Cold stress can stunt growth, weaken root systems, and leave grass vulnerable to diseases and pests, which may cause long-term harm to the turf's overall health and appearance.

Given these challenges, we recognize the need for diligent monitoring and careful management of the landscape. Our team is closely inspecting the plant material and turf to assess the extent of any damage caused by the cold temperatures. It's essential that we avoid over-watering, over-fertilizing, and most importantly over maintenance during this recovery period, as these actions could further stress or damage them. We will tailor our approach to each individual plant or turf area, adjusting treatments and care practices to encourage recovery and minimize any lasting effects. By staying vigilant and responsive to these conditions, we aim to support the recovery of the landscape and protect the overall health of the community's plants and turf.

BrightView strives to provide the best service possible to your community. We are dedicated to being a great long term partner for all your landscaping needs.

