Exclusive Fescue Varieties

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Available in fall of 1992, Scott offers two new, exclusive fescue seed varieties top-rated for turf performance.

Aztec is an improved tall fescue with a dark green color and fine texture. It received top ratings in quality, color, leaf texture, and density in the 1988-1990 National Trial results. It demonstrates the lower growth habit now gaining acceptance for improved tall fescue, with less vertical regrowth and good disease resistance.

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Ohio course closer to reality

MASSillon, Ohio — Plans to create a municipal golf course here crept closer to reality when the City Council agreed to hire an architect and borrow $100,000 to finance the initial stages of the project.

The city of Massillon will pay $55,000 to John F. Robinson & Associates of Huntsville, Ontario, Canada, to design the golf course on 250 acres of land near the confluence of routes 30 and 21.

The contract was awarded without competitive bidding, but Councilman Tom Brennan — the course's main backer — said he contacted other architects whose fees ranged from $175,000 to $250,000.

City Law Director John Ferrero indicated this type of project is exempt from competitive bidding requirements. The cash-strapped city is expected to pay $2.37 million before the golf course is completed.

Brennan said the facility would take six to eight years to complete.

ASPA accepting funding requests for research

The American Sod Producers Association (ASPA) is accepting requests for research funding for the 1992-93 fiscal year. Approximately $24,000 has been earmarked in the ASPA budget for this purpose.

Funding for ASPA Research Grants comes from the organization's general revenues and a $5,000 contribution received from the Ciba-Geigy Turf and Ornamental group.

The ASPA Research Committee will convene at the 1993 Midwinter Conference, Feb. 3-5, to determine the grant winner(s) from among the proposals received. Because of ASPA's ongoing interest in protecting and improving the environment, proposals which emphasize such environmental concerns will be given the highest priority.