A re-evaluation

Biological soil management

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Many turfgrass managers today are re-evaluating their understanding of basic soil science. Many of us were exposed to the subject of soil science when we studied agronomy in college. But we often found it to be dry and boring. From this experience we often came away from our formal exposure to the subject with a limited knowledge of the dynamics of soils.

Unlike the instruction we received in col-

Components of the biological soil management concept

Figure provided by Dr. Richard Hull, Rhode Island University