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Tools of the drainage trade. Read about a great idea shared by a neighbor to our east, Pete VanDeHey of Mid Vallee GC.



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by Pete VanDeHey, Superintendent Mid Vallee GC

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