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The many and varied needs of the grounds at Great Neck Public Schools in Long Island, New York, are matched with an equally varied, large-scale turf management program. Building and grounds director Joseph J. Bazzani, who unfolds his story on this program beginning on page 8 of this issue, says the Great Neck approach is two-fold: Use of the latest techniques in landscaping for utility and aesthetics and in record keeping for efficiency and economy. Maintenance is based on the thought, "If you do not intend to maintain school grounds, you should not develop them."

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