

Turf Solutions II: Frazee Mowing

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What were we looking to accomplish?

- Remove lateral growth...achieve more upright texture
- Firmer surface
- Give a competitive advantage to 419?
- Less thatch less LDS?



- 419 / Princess 77
- Summer Maintenance
 - 4X week mowing @ .325" 50% HOC groomers
 - Circle mow Mondays
 - Primo @ .22oz/M every 14 days



- **Winter Maintenance**
 - 1x week mowing @.400" no groomers















Carbide tipped groomers set @ 50% HOC (.325")
Circle Mow weekly

























What we learned

- **More upright turf with less “grain”**
- **4 week recovery**
- **Labor intensive to manage green waste**

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