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Conventional Easy-Timing Calendar

Legend: **F = Feed** **T = Transplant** **P = Prune** **M = Maintenance Task**

January **F** – Cool season lawns with **Covington's Premium 21-7-14** **P** – Trees and shrubs to shape **M** – Equipment maintenance – sharpen pruners, lawnmowers, oil, clean, etc. **M** – Dormant oil to kill scale	**February (Yard Clean Up)** **T –** Cool season vegetables **M –** Apply **Dimension pre-emergent** to stop weeds **P** – All non-climbing roses by half **M – Weed Free Zone** to kill winter broadleaf weeds	**March** **T –** Warm season vegetables, warm season color, end of month – avg. last freeze the 17th **P –** Spring flowering shrubs after they bloom **F** – Trees & shrubs with **Covington's Tree & Shrub 12-6-6**	**April** **T** – Veggies, color, sod **M** – Regular mowing begins **F** – Lawns with **Covington's Premium 21-7-14** **M** – Watch for powdery mildew, blackspot, apply **ferti-lome Systemic Fungicide** as needed
May T – Hot Summer Color M – Mow regularly and often F – Feed trees, shrubs, flowerbeds with **Covington's Tree & Shrub 12-6-6** F – Lawn every 8-10 weeks with **Covington's all-nitrogen 25-0-0**	**June** **Water More Often!** T – Crape myrtles in bloom M – Mow regularly and often F – Seasonal color and veggies to keep them producing M – Second application of **Dimension** in early part of month to prevent grassy weeds	**July** **Water More Often!** T – Fall tomatoes, crape myrtles M – Mow regularly and often, clean up spring perennials F – Lawn every 8-10 weeks with **Covington's all-nitrogen 25-0-0** M – Water new plants often! July and August require it!	**August** **Water More Often!** M – Mow regularly and often, trim summer color that needs it T – Crape myrtles, fall vegetables F – Ornamental grasses and shrubs with **Covington's Tree & Shrub 12-6-6**
September (PLANT NOW!) T – Fall Is For Planting – trees, shrubs, grasses, the works M – **Dimension pre-emergent** to stop weeds F – Lawn every 8-10 weeks with **Covington's all-nitrogen 25-0-0** M – Mow regularly and often	**October (PLANT NOW!)** T – Fall Is For Planting – trees, shrubs, grasses – **Fall is the best time all year to do so.** T – Ryegrass for winter lawns, pansies and cool season color F – Last call on feeding lawns, feed winter color strongly	**November (PLANT NOW!)** M – Dunk houseplants coming inside for winter with **Orange Oil** to kill pests T – Winter color, shrubs, trees M – Water during dry spells, freshly mulch all beds	**December** T – Trees, shrubs M – Equipment maintenance – tune-ups of power machinery P – Prune out mistletoe if any is seen this month F – Feed winter color strongly with **Bone & Blood Meal**