



Consumer Checklist for Sprinkler Installation

To ensure that you are about to hire a reputable irrigation contractor capable of installing your sprinkler system, the *My Sprinkler Guys* team recommends asking the following questions:

- 1) How long have you been in business? _____
- 2) Do you have a business telephone and address?
- 3) Do you have an irrigation service vehicle with your company name on the side?
- 4) Will you provide me with a copy of your certificate of insurance? (Both Liability and Workman's Comp)
- 5) Will you provide a list of references whom I may contact about your work?
- 6) Do you offer a warranty on parts and labor for the entire system, including warranty coverage of any dry spots that may appear?
- 7) Will you install a backflow prevention device, is it 1 inch?
- 8) Will all wire splices be water tight? (This will prevent short circuits)
- 9) Are you going to group the sprayers and rotors separately to prevent over watering?
- 10) Will all "Bore Shots" use the squeeze bore technique to go under sidewalks and driveways?
- 11) Will the controller be installed in an easy to access location? (We prefer to mount them in the garage)
- 12) Will the solenoid valves be installed on an expandable manifold for future growth and easy repair?
- 13) Will the outside control wire be enclosed in conduit and caulked?
- 14) Will the sprinklers near concrete be placed far enough away to allow room for lawn edger or snow blower?
- 15) Will all sprinklers heads will be installed and adjusted to only water what needs to be watered?
- 16) Will your yard be mess free when the job is complete?
- 17) Following completion of the installation, will you give me instructions on the operation of my system both in the automatic and manual modes?
- 18) Will you demonstrate that each part of my irrigation system is completely operational before payment is received?