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## **Topsoil Choices**

### Mr. Yard Topsoil (Smart Soil)

We screen our own bulk soil which is called Mr. Yard Topsoil. We start with soil that is brought to us by various excavating companies that comprises of stripped land. We then add some organic matter from our compost pile that consists of leaves, clippings and composted materials and then screen it through a ½ inch trommel screen. This makes up our Mr. Yard topsoil, a good all-purpose soil.

All of our topsoil is kept as dry as possible by covering it with a tarp. Some moisture content may be in the soil depending on the time of the year.

Our bulk soil is available by the yard or ½ yard for pickup or delivery. It is also available in our fill-your-own bags or buckets.

#### Garden Bed Soil (Smartest Soil)

We start with our high quality Pro-Blend Topsoil then blend in additional compost material consisting of leaf humus, sweet peet and natures treasure compost.

Our Garden Bed Soil is best used for annual plantings, flower plantings, vegetable gardens and perennial gardens. If you want the best organically rich soil, then this is it.

#### Fill Dirt.....

We need to inform you of what this really is.

This is generally dirt that is comprised of dirt, rock and miscellaneous debris. It is only used for filling large / deep holes (deeper than 8-12 inches) and cannot be used for general grading.

#### A word about the challenges of the topsoil process...

As more of the local areas are developed, raw topsoil is becoming more of a scarce commodity. While we process our soil in a way that places a high importance on consistency and quality, we screen roughly 100-200 cubic yards per day, and some inconsistencies can occur.

Occasionally, small pieces of debris not caught by our screen do end up in the finished product. Debris will definitely include small pebbles, rocks, twigs and other natural matter. Debris will sometimes include: small pieces of refuse including glass and plastic (this comes from the addition of composted materials). Unfortunately, it is impossible for us to prevent this from ever happening. The topsoil is screened and blended with compost, but the screening process will only catch debris larger than ½", however something could potentially be ½ inch round by several inches long and could still pass through the screening process. You need to understand that general smaller pieces will sometimes end up in the finished product.

Please don't hesitate to contact us with any concerns you may have with the consistency of our products.

# And one last piece of information:

There is no such thing as rock free top soil.

All soil contains rocks!

All soil has clay as you need clay to hold the soil matter together.