

# Earth Graphics - Brainstorming Sheet (2 pages)

This sheet is meant to inspire your thought processes for what elements you would like to have incorporated into your landscape design. These thoughts & ideas will help your landscape designer create the best plan possible for your site! The more information from you initially, the better your landscape plan will be! Please fill out thoroughly and have ready for your scheduled appointment.

**\*\*ASTERISKED & BOLDED ITEMS are CRUCIAL INFORMATION to your design. Please fill out these items completely. Thanks!**

**\*\*HAVE SURVEY or PLAT PLAN?**    yes    no

**\*\*HAVE SEPTIC FIELD DIAGRAM or PERMIT?**    yes    no

**\*\*PRIORITIES ARE:** (rank in order of importance)

FRONT yard, BACK yard, SIDE yard(s), or other elements including:

Plants to include:

Plants Not to include:

Transplants:

(to keep from existing landscape)

Hardscape Features to possible include:

(circle all that may apply)

Deck	Hot Tub	Arbor or Trellis	Lighting	Any Others, Please List:
Patio	Irrigation	Dry Stack Walls	Boulders	
Gazebo	Columns	Swimming Pool	Screen Porch	
Sidewalks	Fencing	Retaining Walls	Play Zones	
Driveway	Fountain	Lily or Fish Pond	Putting Green	

Preferences: (circle or fill in)

**\*\*Landscape BUDGET range is:** (\$5K or less) (\$5K to 10K) (\$10K to 20K) (\$20K +) or don't know

**\*\*SEPTIC SYSTEM:** Yes or No    If Yes, tank & lines are located where? \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*INSTALLATION:** Do-It-Yourselfer or will contract out PART or will contract out ALL

Number of Acres of land to incorporate into plan: # \_\_\_\_\_

Will plan to work on landscape: in PHASES over several seasons/years or ALL at once

Favorite Colors are:

Would like ANNUAL or PERENNIAL color or a COMBINATION of both

PERENNIALS: for a cutting garden or just part of landscape

MAINTENANCE: Like to work in yard (Moderate to High maintenance) or  
Don't like to work in yard (Low maintenance)

PRIVACY: Need a BORDER or HEDGE planting, need a WALL or FENCE

DRAINAGE: appear to have NO drainage problems, or YES there is a drainage problem

PARKING: Need ADDITIONAL PARKING areas or need a TURN-AROUND added to existing drive

Planning to REMODEL or ADD the following to site or house now or in the future:

HOUSE: This is a PERMANENT residence (for many years) or

This is a TRANSITION residence (only needed for a short time)

CHILDREN: # \_\_\_\_\_ of children, ages: \_\_\_\_\_ living at home to consider  
or there are NO children at home

PETS: # \_\_\_\_\_ dogs/cats to consider in landscape, or there are NO pets

**Questions or Other Thoughts for Designer:**