

# Golf Is NEXT



FORCE OF NATURE | THE WHOLE TRUTH FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE from  
National Organization Responding Against HUIE that seek to harm the Green Space Industry (NORAHG)

**Canadian Cancer  
Society  
CONTINUES TO  
REPEATEDLY  
DEMAND  
NO EXCEPTION  
STATUS for the  
Golf Industry**

# The Looming Golf Industry **SHIPWRECK!**



July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Canadian Cancer Society

Media Release

## OUR POSITION ON COSMETIC USE OF PESTICIDES

Pesticides are sometimes used to improve the appearance of green spaces by controlling unwanted weeds and plants.

Using pesticides in this way is referred to as cosmetic use of pesticides.

## CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY POSITION

We are very concerned about the cosmetic and non-essential use of potentially cancer-causing substances on green spaces. [ ?!?! ]

The Society calls for a ban on the use and sale of cosmetic pesticides.

Our position is based on the current body of evidence suggesting a connection between pesticides and cancer. [ Wrong ! ]

Moreover, the cosmetic use of pesticides may cause harm and provides no health benefit. [ Wrong ! ]

According to the precautionary principle, « *When an activity raises threats of harm to human health or the environment, precautionary measures should be*

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*taken even if some cause-and-effect relationships are not fully established scientifically ».* [ This principle has been REFUTTED and DEBUNKED. ]

Our call for a ban does not apply to using pesticides in agriculture to grow food, ensure public health and safety or prevent environmental damage. [ Wrong ! Agriculture Is NEXT ! Canadian Cancer Society, and other Anti-Pesticide Terrorist-Organizations, are planning to ANNIHILATE the Agriculture Industry. ]

In these instances, the issue is much more complex since there can be health benefits in controlling pests.

## NON-COSMETIC USE OF PESTICIDES

### SAFER ALTERNATIVES

The Society supports the use of safer ways to maintain and improve the appearance of lawns, gardens, parks and other green spaces.

The Society does not support the use of Integrated Pest Management for cosmetic purposes.

### **GOLF COURSES** AND SPORTING FACILITIES

The Society wants a PHASE-OUT OF PESTICIDE USE at **GOLF COURSES** and sporting facilities.

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A phase-out approach is very important at **GOLF COURSES** and sporting facilities that:

- children use often and for long periods of time
- are next to residential and public areas

If needed, pesticides should be used as the last option, in the smallest possible amount, and only where needed to make facilities usable. People should stay away from treated areas for at least 48 hours after the last pesticide application.

## HOME FRUIT AND VEGETABLE GARDENS

Pesticide use in home or personal fruit and vegetable gardens should be phased out, if not eliminated completely. The risk of pesticide exposure in your garden is different than in agricultural settings. Pesticide use in agriculture typically has more controls in place to reduce pesticide exposure, such as:

- training requirements for applicators to properly use personal protective equipment
- strategies to reduce pesticide residue levels and pesticide drift
- rules to limit access to sprayed areas

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## Our position on cosmetic use of pesticides

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### Canadian Cancer Society position

We are very concerned about the cosmetic and non-essential use of potentially cancer-causing substances on green spaces. The Society calls for a ban on the use and sale of cosmetic pesticides.

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### Non-cosmetic use of pesticides

#### Safer alternatives

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#### Golf courses and sporting facilities

The Society wants a phase-out of pesticide use at **golf courses** and sporting facilities. A phase-out approach is very important at **golf courses** and sporting facilities that:

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# The Golf Industry is on a Collision Course with the LOOMING SHIPWRECK Caused by Canadian Cancer Society !

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## Canadian Cancer Society



GOLF CANADA IS LOATHSOME  
AND RIDICULOUS !

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Cancer-Lunatics can STICK A KNIFE IN THE BACK OF THE GOLF INDUSTRY with impunity despite being FINANCED BY GOLF CANADA, the largest Golf Industry Trade Association.

Canadian Cancer Society CONTINUES TO DEMAND NO Golf Industry Exception Status.

Observers are AGHAST about the Golf Industry raising MILLIONS OF DOLLARS for the remuneration of Anti-Pesticide HIRED-GUNS at Canadian Cancer Society.

Canadian Cancer Society is an Anti-Pesticide Organization that CONSPIRES TO ANNIHILATE the Green Space Industry.

Cancer-Lunatics have TERRORIZED AND ANNIHILATED THE PROFESSIONAL LAWN CARE INDUSTRY ...

... and Cancer-Lunatics plan to TERRORIZE THE GOLF INDUSTRY NEXT !

Observers are AGHAST about the Golf Fore The Cure program of Golf Canada ( a.k.a. Royal Canadian Golf Association ).

Canadian Cancer Society is the Official Charity for Golf Fore The Cure.





# Canadian Cancer Society ( continued )

## CANCER-PROFIT

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Every year, Golf Canada ( formerly Royal Canadian Golf Association ) raises almost 800,000 DOLLARS for the Contemptible and Radical Canadian Cancer Society.

Moreover, since 2004, Golf Canada has provided this Anti-Pesticide Terrorist-Organization with MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.



Moreover, the Contemptible and Radical Canadian Cancer Society is the Official Charity of Golf Canada.

Golf Canada is supplying MILLIONS OF DOLLARS to an Anti-Pesticide Terrorist-Organization that CONSPIRES TO ANNIHILATE the entire Modern Green Space Industry with the NEEDLESS, SENSELESS, and MALICIOUS PROHIBITION against pest control products that are HEALTH-CANADA-APPROVED, FEDERALLY-LEGAL, SCIENTIFICALLY SAFE, PRACTICALLY-NON-TOXIC, and CAUSE NO HARM.

**THIS IS UNACCEPTABLE !**

Cancer-Lunatics have extensively damaged the Professional Lawn Care Industry ... and Cancer-Lunatics PLAN TO TERRORIZE THE GOLF INDUSTRY NEXT !

Golf Canada must immediately STOP ALL FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF ANTI-PESTICIDE TERRORISM.

Golf Canada and the entire Golf Industry must SUSPEND ALL CHARITABLE TOURNAMENTS AND PROGRAMS that provide financial donations and support to Anti-Pesticide Terrorist-Organizations like the Contemptible and Radical Canadian Cancer Society, and others.





## Canadian Cancer Society ( continued )

Cancer-Lunatics were able to successfully coerce Government Officials in Prince Edward Island through relentless pressure.

In December 2009, the Government of the Province of Prince Edward Island announced its intention to « *implement changes to how lawn-care pesticides will be managed in the province* ».

Moreover, on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2009, a Government Official in the Province of Prince Edward Island issued the following warning to the Golf Industry —

*We're allowing ( 2,4-D ) on **GOLF COURSES** because it's a major industry for P.E.I. and we're working towards getting off it.*

*What we're basically saying is you [ the **GOLF INDUSTRY** ] better find a way to get off it over the next couple of years.*

### THE GOLF INDUSTRY MUST STOP THE CANCER-LUNATICS

SUBVERSIVE ANTI-PESTICIDE CONSPIRACIES by Canadian Cancer Society MUST END !

The Golf Industry must TERMINATE ALL RELATIONSHIPS with all Anti-Pesticide Organizations that CONSPIRE TO PROHIBIT against pest control products, like Canadian Cancer Society, as well as World Wildlife Fund and others.

All related charitable tournaments that provide financial donations and support to these Anti-Pesticide Or-





## Canadian Cancer Society ( continued )

Golf Canada MUST CEASE SUPPLYING MILLIONS OF DOLLARS to organizations that have publicly THREATENED, REPEATEDLY, the Golf Industry with Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION.

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As long as Golf Canada, and the ENTIRE Golf Industry, continue to finance Anti-Pesticide Terrorism, Cancer-Lunatics will benefit from safe, secure, guaranteed, and well-paying anti-pesticide terrorist-jobs that will allow them to coerce, intimidate, and alarm Government Officials into PROHIBITING against pest control products ...

... in the Professional Lawn Care Industry.

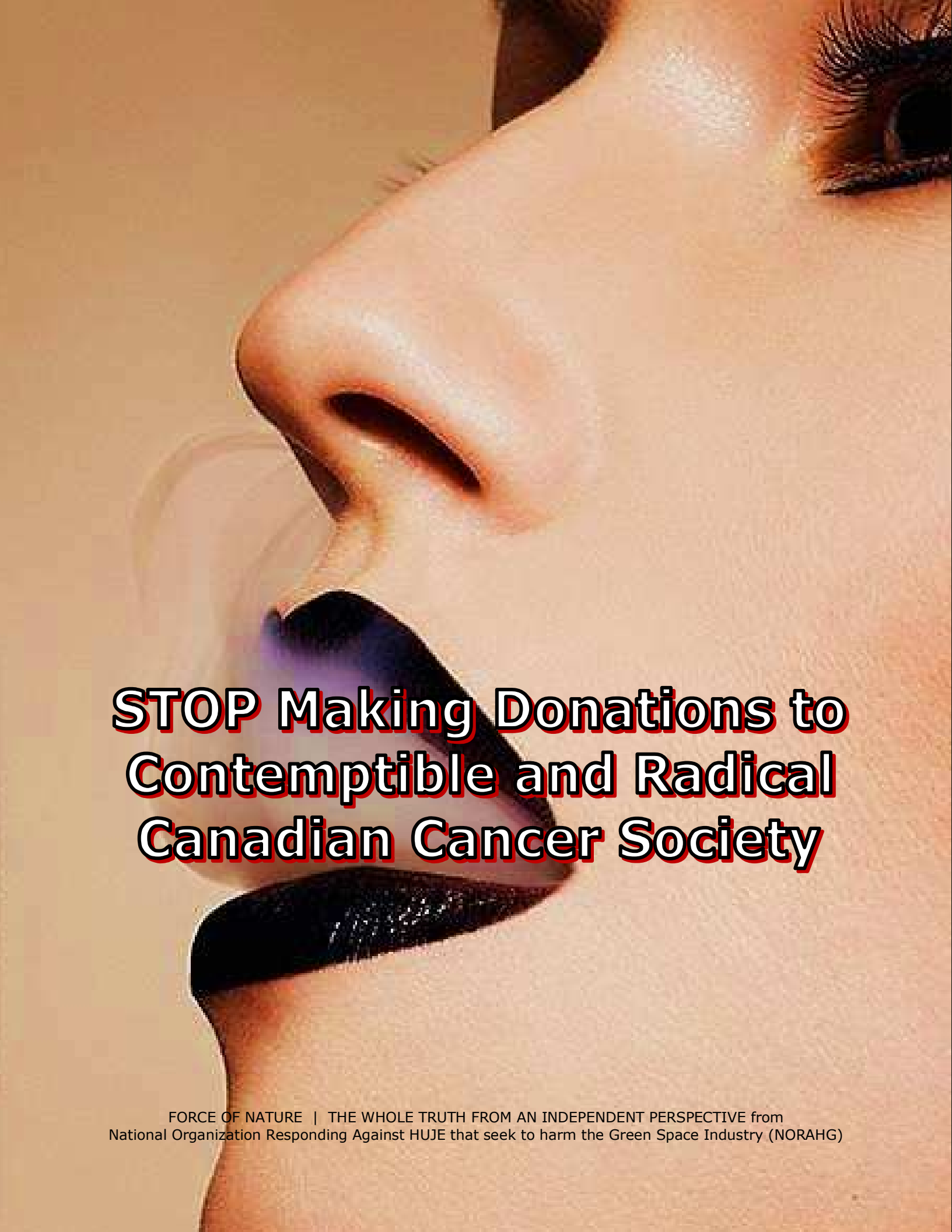
... in the Golf Industry.

... on a NATIONAL basis.

Golf is NEXT !

Cancer-Lunatics will TERRORIZE THE GOLF INDUSTRY NEXT !



A close-up, profile view of a woman's face, focusing on her nose and mouth. She is holding a lit cigarette in her mouth, and a small amount of smoke is visible. The background is a soft, out-of-focus light color.

# **STOP Making Donations to Contemptible and Radical Canadian Cancer Society**

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We are living in the 9|11 Era of Anti Pesticide Terrorism where at least ONE SUBVERSIVE ACT OF TERROR is Perpetrated EVERY SINGLE DAY by enviro lunatics.

We are living in the DARK AGE OF ANTI PESTICIDE TERRORISM where sound science is trumped by FAKE SCIENTISTS, JUNK SCIENCE and UNVERIFIABLE SECRET EVIDENCE through FABRICATION, INNUENDO, and INTERNET RUMOUR — scientific research PROVES that pest control products CAUSE NO HARM and can be USED SAFELY.

NORAHG is the National Organization Responding Against HUJE that seek to harm the Green space industry.

NORAHG morally represents the VAST SILENT MAJORITY of people associated with turf and ornamental plant maintenance who are OPPOSED to Anti Pesticide PROHIBITION and the CLOSURE of green spaces under the RIDICULOUS PRETEXT of somehow « saving » the environment.

NORAHG is a NATIONAL NON PROFIT NON PARTISAN organization that does not accept money from corporations or governments or trade associations, and represents NO VESTED INTERESTS WHATSOEVER.

NORAHG is dedicated to reporting the work of RESPECTED and HIGHLY RATED EXPERTS who promote ENVIRONMENTAL REALISM and PESTICIDE TRUTHS.

Anti Pesticide HUJE are enviro lunatics and lawn haters who particularly DESPISE the golf industry — they are Hateful Underhanded Jokes as Environmentalists who have been WRONG FOR OVER 50 YEARS.

There is NO RECOURSE but LITIGATION against these HUJE, as well as CANCELLATION of GOVERNMENT GRANTS and REVOCATION of the TAX EXEMPT STATUS of their organizations. HUJE should Get OFF Our grASS, and they should Roast In Hell.

Anti Pesticide HUJE are advised that all names, statements, activities, and affiliations have been ARCHIVED for eventual CRIMINAL CHARGES.

NORAHG manages The Library of Force Of Nature Reports and References for all Anti Pesticide Terrorist Acts of Subversion.

The NORAHG of Library Force Of Nature Reports and References is a VAST ARCHIVE of DOCUMENTS, AUDIO CLIPS, and VIDEOS on ALL Anti Pesticide Activities has been made AVAILABLE through NORAHG to anyone interested in LITIGATION.

These ARCHIVES contain names, statements, activities, and affiliations of ALL anti pesticide vermin, including government officials, as well as charitable prohibition terrorist organizations that DO NOT DESERVE ANY tax exempt status.

Interested parties need only to send NORAHG their REQUESTS for ANY INFORMATION needed in the War Against Lunatic Terrorist PROHIBITION.

NORAHG also produces FORCE OF NATURE, reports that present THE WHOLE TRUTH FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE about environmental issues, including anti pesticide terrorism.

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Finally, NORAHG frequently responds to anti pesticide activists in LETTERS TO THE EDITOR in newspapers across Canada and around the world.

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FORCE OF NATURE, A LOOK AT, and their various incarnations, was the brainchild of William H. Gathercole and his colleagues in 1991. Mr. Gathercole is now retired, although his name continues to appear as founder.

Here is a brief summary of Mr. Gathercole's career —

Fields of study — Horticulture/Agriculture, Mathematics, Physics

Alma mater — McGill University • University of Guelph • the first person ever to obtain university degrees and contribute to both the professional lawn care and golf maintenance industries

Expertise in — environmental issues and anti pesticide terrorism • turf and ornamental maintenance and troubleshooting • history of the industry • sales and distribution of seeds, chemicals, fertilizers, and equipment • fertilizer manufacturing and distribution

# A

Notable activities — worked in virtually all aspects of the green space industry, including golf, professional lawn care, distribution, environmental compliance, government negotiations, public affairs, and workplace safety • supervisor, consultant, and, programmer for the successful execution of hundreds of thousands of management operations in the golf and urban landscape, as well as millions of pest control applications • advisor, instructor, and trainer for thousands of turf and ornamental managers and technicians • pesticide certification instructor for thousands of industry workers • founder of the modern professional lawn care industry • prolific writer for industry publications and e-newsletters • first to confirm the invasion of European Chafer insect in both the Montreal region and the Vancouver / Fraser Valley region • with Dr. Peter Dernoeden, confirmed the presence of Take All Patch as a disease of turf in Eastern Canada • with Dr. David Shetlar, confirmed the presence of Kentucky Bluegrass Scale as an insect pest in South Western Ontario, and later, in the Montreal and Vancouver regions

# H

Special contributions — creator of the exception status that has allowed the golf industry to avoid being subjected to anti pesticide prohibition • creator of the signs that are now used for posting after application • co-founder of annual winter convention for Quebec golf course superintendents • the major influence in the decision by Canadian Cancer Society to stop selling for profit pesticide treated daffodils • the only true reliable witness of the events of anti pesticide prohibition in the town of Hudson, Quebec • retired founder of FORCE OF NATURE and A LOOK AT reports

Notable award — the very first man of the year for contributions leading to the successful founding of Quebec professional lawn care industry, which served as a beach-head against anti pesticide activists in the 1980s and 1990s

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Legacy — Mr. Gathercole and his colleagues ... designed and implemented strategies that reined anti pesticide activists to provide peace and prosperity for the entire modern green space industry across Canada • orchestrated legal action against anti pesticide activists in the town of Hudson, Quebec • launched the largest founding professional lawn care business in Canada • quadrupled the business revenues of one of the largest suppliers in Canada

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