





MacLean's Magazine Report on the 9|11 Era of Anti-Pesticide Terrorism ...

- On March 6th, 2012, MacLean's Magazine issued a report on the CARNAGE caused by the UNSCIENTIFIC PANIC against pest control products.
- MacLean's, the RESPECTED Canadian national weekly news magazine, stated, in one form or another, that pest control products are SCIENTIFICALLY-SAFE.
- MacLean's Magazine has also stated that, essentially, any PROHIBITION against pest control products is NOT JUSTIFIED because STRICT REGULATIONS based on scientific research already PROTECT our health and our environment.
- Every PROHIBITED pest control product has been CERTI-FIED AS SAFE FOR RESIDENTIAL USE by the federal Pest Management Regulatory Agency of Health Canada.
- Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS represent a TRIUMPH OF SENTIMENT OVER SCIENCE.

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- Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS are VALIDATED not on the basis of scientific evidence, but rather a VAGUE MOCK UN-EASE about chemicals in general.
- NOT ALL PROHIBITIONS make for a healthier environment.
- Do PROHIBITIONS provide a net benefit to society?
- There are NUMEROUS UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES
 [i.e. CATASTROPHIC CARNAGE] to Anti-Pesticide PRO-HIBITION.
- There is little debate about the fact that ONTARIO
 LOOKS SHABBIER AND WEEDIER because of Anti-Pesticide
 PROHIBITION [i.e. Ontario looks like a GARBAGE DUMP].
- In ONTARIO, parks, sports fields, and home lawns have become WHOLLY INFESTED WITH DANDELIONS and a variety of other weeds, and there is NO practical way to remove them, other than hand-pulling.

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- In Highland Park, Illinois, Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION was a DISASTER WEEDS ACCOUNTED FOR OVER 60 PER CENT OF THE GROUND COVER, and sports fields were UN-USABLE Highland Park RESCINDED PROHIBITION.
- When it comes to pest control products, provinces like
 Manitoba can learn a lot from the experience of those who have gone before if the goal is to reduce verifiable risks,
 promote a more natural environment, and encourage healthy activities, PROHIBITING pest control products
 SEEMS A STRANGE WAY TO GO ABOUT IT.





The DESTRUCTION of the Modern Professional Lawn Care Industry by Anti-Pesticide Terrorists

Manitoba Should Think Twice Before Banning Pesticides

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Selected and adapted excerpts



Maclean's is a RESPECTED Canadian national weekly news magazine, reporting on Canadian issues such as politics, pop culture, and current events.



According to MacLean's Magazine, the UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES [i.e. CATASTROPHIC CARNAGE] of Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION don't necessarily make for a healthier environment.

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Province of Manitoba

Manitoba's Anti-Pesticide Conservation Minister, Gord Mackintosh, recently announced he is making plans for a PROHIBITION against pest control products used in the Urban Landscape.

In particular, Mackintosh said he is keen to bring Manitoba's laws in line with those Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS that are IMPOSED in other provinces.



According to Macintosh —

Manitobans are entitled to the same protections most other Canadians enjoy. [?!?!]

Yet, Manitobans might want to learn from the experience [i.e. CATA-STROPHIC CARNAGE] of those other provinces, rather than simply parrot them.



There are NUMEROUS UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES [i.e. CARNAGE] to Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION

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Bans Outside of Manitoba

Evidence from other jurisdictions suggests there are NUMEROUS UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES [i.e. CATASTROPHIC CARNAGE] to Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION.

And NOT ALL OF THEM MAKE FOR A HEALTHIER ENVIRONMENT.

Currently, every Canadian province located east of the Manitoba-Ontario border PROHIBITS the use of cosmetic pesticides in some way.



NOT ALL PROHIBITIONS make for a healthier environment

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Bans Outside of Manitoba (continued)

Manitoba's Anti-Pesticide Lunatic-Minister Mackintosh says he ADMIRES THE STRICT BANS ENFORCED IN ONTARIO AND NOVA SCOTIA.

These rules PROHIBIT against use of a long list of pest control products used on all lawns and sports fields.

Golf courses and farms have been provided EXCEPTION STATUSES.



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Scientifically Safe

Of course, every one of the PROHIBITED products has been CERTIFIED AS SAFE FOR RESIDENTIAL USE by the federal Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) of Health Canada.

Scientific research shows that, as reported through Health Canada's VAST TOXICOLOGY DATABASE, NO HARM WILL OCCUR when pest control products are used according to label directions.



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Scientifically Safe (continued)

PMRA scientists perform RIGOROUS EVALUATIONS of all pest control products and when they conclude that one « meets Canada's strict health and safety standards », this verdict carries the weight of EXHAUSTIVE INVESTIGATION.

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Provincial Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS represent a TRIUMPH OF SENTIMENT OVER SCIENCE

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Pesticide Bans

Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS are promoted by lobby groups ranging from family physicians to environmentalists.

As such, provincial Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS represent a TRIUMPH OF SENTIMENT OVER SCIENCE.

But does this sort of regulation provide a net benefit to society?

The experience of OTHER PROVINCES can be revealing.



There is little debate about the fact that Ontario looks SHABBIER and WEEDIER

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Province of Ontario

After two years without pest control products in Ontario, the CARNAGE is STARKLY VISIBLE — MOSTLY BROWNS AND YELLOWS.

There is little debate about the fact that ONTARIO LOOKS SHABBIER AND WEEDIER because of PROHIBITION [i.e. Ontario looks like a GARBAGE DUMP].

The Province of ONTARIO is known as « *The Dandelion Province* » since it is OVER-RUN with Dandelions because the SAFEST and MOST EFFECTIVE herbicides for controlling this broad-leaved weed were ARBITRARILY PROHIBITED.



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Province of Ontario (continued)

Ontario parks, sports fields, and home lawns have become WHOLLY INFEST-ED WITH DANDELIONS and a variety of other weeds, and there is NO practical way to remove them, other than hand-pulling.

Whether this is a good or bad thing may depend on your definition of beauty — not to mention the condition of your back and knees.



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Province of Ontario (continued)

A recent poll found a majority of Ontario home-owners WANT TO END THE BAN.

According to a 2011 poll regarding PROHIBITION, MORE THAN HALF of Ontario home-owners feel the provincial government DID NOT DO THE RIGHT THING by IMPOSING Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION. Ontario home-owners WOULD RATHER HAVE THE BAN SCRAPPED OR MODIFIED.



Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION in Highland Park was a DISASTER

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Highland Park, Illinois, U.S.A.

But what of other impacts arising from Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION?

In Chicago, the suburban municipality of Highland Park had regularly won awards for the quality of its sports fields ... until PROHIBITION.

Then four years ago, Highland Park dropped conventional pest control products for trendy organic pest control.

The result was a DISASTER.



Highland Park RESCINDED PROHIBITION

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Highland Park, Illinois, U.S.A. (continued)

In some parks, WEEDS ACCOUNTED FOR OVER 60 PER CENT OF THE GROUND COVER, and sports fields were UNUSABLE.

According to the Parks Commissioner ...

The fields are GETTING WORSE EVERY YEAR. Something needs to be done to reverse the trend.

Consequently, Highland Park RESCINDED PROHIBITION, and approved the return of pest control products.



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Artificial Turf

And while Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITIONS are frequently defended by advocates as a way to reduce unknown risks and promote a more natural environment, in fact THE OPPOSITE MAY BE TRUE.

The number of artificial sports fields in Ontario has recently exploded — from a mere handful a decade ago to over a hundred this year.

Without pest control products, it has become IMPOSSIBLE to maintain a natural turf sports field.

Artificial sports fields boast plenty of advantages, despite their average 1–MILLION-DOLLAR UP-FRONT COST.

It seems ironic that an Anti-Pesticide PROHIBITION meant to encourage a greener environment will result in a GREATER PREVALENCE OF PLASTIC SPORTS FIELDS.

(Not to mention the issue of how to dispose of an artificial field once its lifespan ends.)

Other real risks have also been overlooked in the UNSCIENTIFIC PANIC about pest control products.



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Artificial Turf (continued)

Experts have reported that grass is not only a natural filter, but also a microbiological system that consumes any bodily fluids leaked, spat, or vomited onto it.

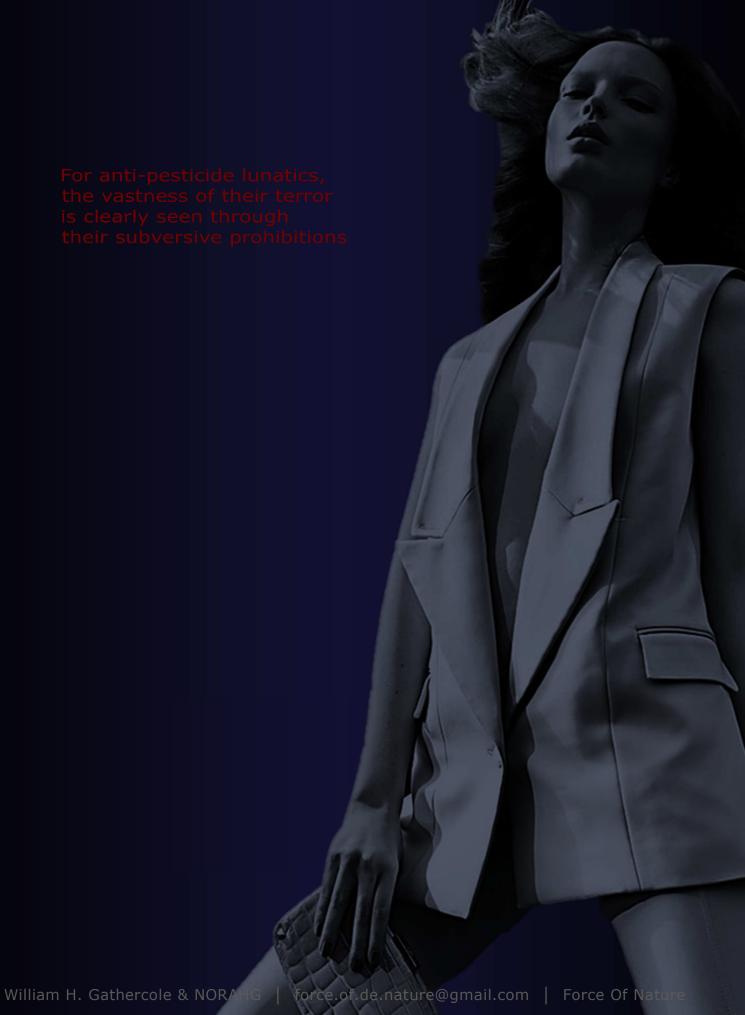
Not so with an artificial field - in the absence of a cleansing downpour, what's on the field stays on the field.

In the State of Texas, a higher rate of STAPH INFECTIONS among high school students — many times the national average — BECAUSE OF ARTIFICIAL SPORTS FIELDS.

In 2007, footballer Boone Baker of Austin, Texas, almost died from a deadly methicillin–resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) infection he picked up from his high school's artificial turf.

Regular DISINFECTION OF ARTIFICIAL FIELDS using industrial-strength chemical products is now a recommended maintenance procedure in all climates.

When it comes to pest control products, Manitoba can learn a lot from the experience of those who have gone before — if the goal is to reduce verifiable risks, promote a more natural environment, and encourage healthy activities, PROHIBITING pest control products SEEMS A STRANGE WAY TO GO ABOUT IT.





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.

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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 Anti Pesticide HUJE.

Another RECOURSE is to SEEK the CANCELLATION of GOVERNMENT GRANTS and REVOCATION of the TAX EXEMPT STATUS of Anti-Pesticide Organizations.

HUJE should Get OFF Our grASS, and they should Roast In Hell

NORAHG manages the Library of Force Of Nature Reports and References, which is a VAST ARCHIVE of REPORTS, MEDIA REFERENCES, AUDIO CLIPS, and VIDEOS on ALL Anti Pesticide Terrorist Acts of Subversion.

The purpose of this ARCHIVE is to provide information that will lead to a SUCCESSFUL LITIGATION AGAINST Anti-Pesticide Organizations.

All names, statements, activities, and affiliations have been ARCHIVED for the intention of eventual CRIMINAL CHARGES.

When CRIMINAL CHARGES for FRAUD and CONSPIRACY are laid, legal experts say that the ARCHIVE is sufficient to lead to a SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTION!

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

FORCE OF NATURE is a series of reports destined for the green space industry, the environmental terrorist movement, governments, and the media, nationwide across Canada, the United States, and overseas.

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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

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

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

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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