

## 7 Steps to take a soil sample

- You will need a separate soil sample for each individual area. (garden, flowerbed, lawn, or pasture)
- Randomly collect five to six samples from the area.
- Place samples into a clean plastic container for air drying.



- Remove stones and root clumps (roots and plants).
- 5. Mix the five to six samples together.
- 6. Remove about two cups of soil and place into a zip lock bag.
- 7. Sample is ready to be brought to the Medina SWCD Office.

There is an \$20.00 charge that will cover the cost of the soil test and shipping.

Cash or Checks accepted.

Medina SWCD doesn't take card.

Test results can be emailed or mailed, once received, recommendations can be interpreted.



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