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## We're almost out of the Tundra!

The calendar says that it's officially Spring, and it is slowly but surely getting better with each passing day, but it is still a bit chilly. It's been a very long, frigid, snowy winter to say the least, but we may FINALLY be on the tail end of Mother Nature's wrath. I have used MANY unpleasantries to describe her these past few months, but this is probably not the best forum to share one's opinion in graphic detail... I tend to save that for Facebook. That, and she may get infuriated enough to make Winter last until the late weeks of May.





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So, on that note, I'll be nice. Sorry, Momma N'.

Eric wrote about the local frost laws that are currently in effect for Michigan, and why such laws are put in to place to begin with. Now the next problem that we have here at CPC is plant material that is in the ground from last year. By the time these articles get sent out on Monday, chances are that there will STILL be a significant amount of frost in the ground, resulting in very difficult or near improbability of removing tree stock out of the ground. We will do our very best, and chances are that we will succeed, but it will take a bit longer to ensure that the material leaves our nursery and gets to your job site intact and in excellent condition. Be sure to keep that in mind when you go to plant your material, chances are that you may need a jackhammer, a skid loader, or some low grade dynamite to break the ground.

But just think, pretty soon we'll all be griping about how hot and humid it is, and how we wish it was a little bit cooler out. So, while it may be a bit on the cooler end... stop by for a steaming hot cup of coffee and, as an extra bonus, come and witness the growth of my forever evolving bald spot. Both of which, as always, are free!

Be safe out there!

-Dave Reutter