

# Mole Control

### What are moles?

- Moles, unlike voles, are **NOT rodents**, they are in the Talpidea family.
- Moles are insectivorous, they consume grubs, worms and other insect proteins.
- Moles are **not blind**, but do have poor vision.
- Moles are diurnal, they are active during the day.
- While there are three types of moles in our state, the **eastern mole** is the most common pest species found in our area.

## Why Critter Control?

- Our trained technicians know how to properly assess your property to identify active mole tunnels.
- We are licensed to use Bell Laboratory's Talpirid that is designed to compete with natural food sources so moles choose to consume it.

#### Starting price at \$249\* includes:

-Assessment

-Same day treatment

-Follow up treatment 2-4 weeks later

#### Have moles AND voles?

-Pricing starts at \$399 to treat both

## **Moles and Your Lawn:**

- All species of mole can cause damage to your lawn.
- Moles dig and use tunnels to locate food.
- Moles can eat up to 100% of their body weight in a day- that results in a lot of tunneling and digging!
- One mole can create up to 100 feet of tunnels in a single day.
- Moles may damage your plants and flowers if the roots are destroyed as they dig.
- Moles do not hibernate, they are active year round.
  - In the colder months, they follow their food deeper underground so you may not notice them as much.
- Moles are solitary animals typically only 1-2 per acre - except during breeding season (February-March).
  - Pups are born 4-6 weeks later.
  - Young moles are weaned by May, which is when you typically see an increase in activity as they move out.

Let us help you reclaim control of your property!

\*\$99 service fee due if treatment not completed

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