



# SPOTLIGHT ON SPRING PEST CONTROL

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TERMITE AND PEST CONTROL SERVICES SINCE 1985

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The heart of a mouse beats 500 times per minute while at rest! That's amazing.

## TERMITE OR ANT?

In Kansas, healthy subterranean termite colonies will “swarm”, or send out winged reproductive termites to start new colonies in early March through April or May. This year, our technicians found swarmer termites in mid-February. Swarmer termites are darker in color and have four similarly sized wings. Soon after swarming, these reproductives will lose their silvery wings and die; however, the colony they have left and the one they have started will contain thousands of worker termites which will generally begin foraging for food sources (cellulose) immediately.

Combined, our technicians have over 125 years’ experience in the termite and pest control industry. They are required to obtain certification from the Kansas Department of Agriculture and maintain that certification through ongoing training sessions and continuing education credits.

Our company can also provide wildlife control in urban and suburban settings, as well as residential and commercial rodent control.

Our office staff would be happy to answer any questions or concerns you might have about the services we provide.

Antennae straight or curved with segments beadlike

Middle part of body broad

Wings similar in size and shape



Termite

Antennae bent or “elbowed”

Middle part of body narrow

wings unlike in size and shape



Ant

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## TIDBIT

“The first day of spring is one thing, and the first spring day is another. The difference between them is sometimes as great as a month.” - Henry Van Dyke



**OUR PLEDGE:** to take good care of your home, your lawn or your business, treating it just like we would our own!



**Your pest-free home is our goal! Call for a free estimate for insect, rodent, wildlife or termite control services TODAY!**

WE'RE ON THE WEB!  
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**Spiders may a necessary part of nature, but they should not necessarily be a part of your home!**



## LAWN CARE SERVICES

*ADVANCE* now offers full lawn fertilization and weed control services, with three (3) optional services, including application of the following products:

- ◆ Fertilizer
- ◆ Weed Control
- ◆ Grub Control
- ◆ Winterizer
- ◆ Pre-emergent

We can take the hassle out of maintaining and improving your home's curb appeal. Our lawn professionals are trained and certified to know what it takes to keep your lawn green, healthy and weed-free OR ask about our 5-step do-it-yourself program—have professional grade fertilizers and pre-emergent delivered to your front door.



Call our office for additional information (620.662.3616 or 800.536.3614) or contact us by e-mail:

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LAWN CARE NOT CURRENTLY AVAILABLE IN ALL SERVICE AREAS.

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