

### **How the TDA Helps TMNP Graduates Save Additional Money**

In spring of 2012, the Tennessee Master Nursery Program Committee requested that the Tennessee Department of Agriculture (TDA) consider supporting a Tennessee Master Nursery Program. Subsequently, the TDA awarded a grant to the committee and approved a 50% cost share in the Tennessee Agricultural Enhancement program (TAEP). Growers who successfully complete the Tennessee Master Nursery Program are eligible for 50% cost share rather than the 35% previously available.

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