



A New Season In The Garden!

Between the 70 degree weekends and sudden cold snaps, the first half of March has proven how unpredictable spring in Chicagoland can be. While the weather shifts can be a headache, they are also a sure sign that we are approaching warmer months. Gardens are waking up from their winter slumber and our team is excited for a new gardening season to begin.

Thinking about doing work in your yard? Now is a great time to start planning for 2026 landscaping projects. Call us at [847-475-7917](tel:847-475-7917) or submit an inquiry through our [online contact form](#) to get started. We can't wait to hear from you!



Is Hiring a Landscape Designer Worth It?

When planning an outdoor project, many homeowners ask the same question: *Is hiring a landscape designer really worth it?* While it may seem like an added expense, professional landscape design often saves

time, money, and frustration in the long run, while delivering far better results.

A landscape designer brings more than creative ideas. They evaluate your property's layout, drainage, sun exposure, soil conditions, and existing features before creating a plan tailored specifically to your home. This ensures your outdoor space is not only beautiful, but functional and sustainable for years to come.

One of the biggest advantages of hiring a designer is avoiding costly mistakes. Poor plant selection, improper spacing, or misaligned hardscape elements can lead to expensive changes down the road. A professional design provides a clear roadmap before installation begins, helping you stay within budget and avoid surprises. Landscape designers also help turn ideas into a cohesive vision. Whether you're dreaming of a backyard retreat, improved curb appeal, or an outdoor space for entertaining, a designer translates your goals into a clear, buildable plan.

At Nature's Perspective Landscaping, our design process blends creativity with horticultural expertise and hands-on construction knowledge. We collaborate closely with each client to understand lifestyle needs, maintenance preferences, and long-term goals – resulting in a landscape which feels intentional, personal, and timeless. We present a thoughtful and creative solution to accomplish your landscaping goals, specifying plant and hardscape materials.



Example of material selections.

While DIY landscaping can work for smaller projects, larger investments benefit greatly from professional guidance. A thoughtful

design increases property value, improves functionality, and ensures your outdoor space grows beautifully over time.

If you're considering a landscape project and want expert guidance along the way, **Nature's Perspective Landscaping** is here to help. Contact our team today to schedule a complimentary design consultation and take the first step toward creating an outdoor space you'll love for years to come.

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Project Spotlight: Don't Redo, Renew!

The Nature's Perspective team revitalized a family's backyard patio space, turning a seldom used area into a haven for summer fun.

A multi-level patio, sitting walls and the hot sun beating down doesn't exactly create the most inviting or safe space for families with small children. The existing patio material was in good shape, but had too many seat walls, making the space feel confined and impeding access to the lawn. We worked with the homeowners to reuse as much of the material as possible and add a few new elements to bring life to their underused space.

Using the same patio material, Unilock Brussels Block, we tied into and

enlarged the existing patio. We pushed the patio out towards the garage and leveled the space with retaining walls underneath, creating a more usable area for entertaining. Unilock LedgeStone, in a contrasting Blue color, was used as the wall coping and as treads, providing a visual cue for the change in elevation.

The paving was pulled away from the back of the house to accommodate a planting area. These plants do double duty by providing year-round color and softening the house's façade. Lattice panels with semi-evergreen vines provide additional interest and color along the blank garage wall. A sidewalk, using the same paving material, was also added to connect the patio to the front and side doors.

The main focal point of the renovated backyard is the pergola. Constructed with white fiberglass, it will never fade, chip or peel- all of which were music to these busy homeowners' ears! Situated to bring scale to the house and provide shade during the heat of the summer, the renewed outdoor setting will provide a great place for the family to relax.

Looking for inspiration?

Check out our [Work Portfolio](#) and take a look at our transformations [here](#).



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