

## SEPTEMBER GARDENING TIP



One of the great environmental concerns is the massive loss of soil around the world. To help prevent wind erosion, when you finish harvesting your vegetable garden, spread winter rye seed. It'll be a couple of inches high before winter. When turned under in the spring, it also adds beneficial organic matter.

In beds around your house, use chipped leaves to protect plant roots and enrich the soil as they break down.