

The Beauty Spot of the Month for October 2016 goes to Roman and Margarita Diaz.

Simplicity, repetition, big, and bold: these are the design principles that inform our final Beauty Spot yard for 2016. Congratulations Margarita and Roman Diaz of 10109 Cornwall Drive!

When we drove past this yard last week, it was the juxtaposition of the big patch of white daisies, the huge mound of ornamental grass with its bronzy red plumes, and the orange and gold of the marigolds, and pots filled with red coleus that caught our attention.

Once again we see how beds filled with foundational plants create a backdrop, and plantings in front of them create the visual interest. In this case the backdrop is created by several large azaleas flanking the left side of the front yard and boxwoods lining the left side of the driveway and front of the house. Smaller plantings of hostas and lirioppe add interest with their different sized and shaped leaves.

The combination of different color, shape, size and texture make this garden a winner!

Thank you Ernie Klimonda for taking such a lovely picture!

Respectfully Submitted,
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