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A second batch of soil from Area-A was shipped in spring 2021, and removed from the top two-three inches and put into two one-square foot wood boxes, and 1/8 teaspoon of poppy seeds added and watered daily. Added measured amounts of nutrients along with sawdust for organic matter and potting soil, and were gradually added until seedlings started growing properly. Results of this test, is that massive amounts of nutrients and organic matter will need to be added to Arana Gulch, wherever a self-sustaining and reproductive population of tarplants needs to be established.



