

LANDSCAPE SPECIFICATIONS

Landscape specifications shall be as outlined below. Any item or procedure not mentioned below shall be as specified in the Landscape Specification Guidelines published by the Landscape Contractors Association (latest edition).

A. Plant Materials: The landscape constractor shall furnish and install and/or dig, ball, burlap, and transplant all of the plant materials called for on the

B. Plant Names: Plant names used in the Plant Schedule shall be identified in accordance with Hortus Third, by L. H. Bailey, 1976.

drawings and/or listed in the Plant Schedule.

C. Plant Standards:

All plant materials shall be equal to or better than the requirements the "American Standard for Nursery Stock", latest edition, as published by the American Association of Nurserymen (hereafter referred to as ANN Standards). All plants shall be typical of their species and variety, shall have a normal habit of growth, and shall be first quality, sound, vigorous, well-branched and with healthy well-furnished root systems. They shall be free of disease, insect

- pests and mechanical injuries. 1. All plants shall be nusery grown and shall have been grown under the same climatic conditions as the location of this project for at least two years before planting. Neither heeled-in plants nor plants from cold storage will be accepted.
- 2. Collected plants or transplanted trees may be called for by the landscape architect and used, provided, however, that locations and soil conditions will permit proper balling.
- J. Plant Measurements: All plants shall conform to the measurments specified in the Plant
- 1. Caliper measurements shall be taken six (6) inches above grade for trees under four (4) inch caliper and twelve (12) inches above grade for trees four (4) inches caliper and over.
- 2. Minimum branching height for all shade trees shall be six (6) feet.
- 3. Minimum size for planting shade trees shall be two and one half to three (21/2 - 3) inches caliper, twelve to fourteen (12 - 14) feet
- 4. Minimum size for planting minor shade trees shall be two and one half to three (21/2 - 3) inches caliper, eight to ten (8 - 10) inches in height.
- 5. Minimum size for planting ornamental trees shall be one and a half to one and three-fourths (11/2 - 13/4) inches caliper, seven to nine (7 - 9) feet in height.
- 6. Minimum size for planting evergreen trees shall be six to eight (6 - 8) feet in height.

7. Caliper, height and spread shall be generally as follows:								
Caliper	Height	Spread						
2" - 21/2"	12' - 14'	6' - 8'						
21/2" - 3"	12' - 14'	6' - 8'						
3" - 31/2"	14' - 16'	6' - 8'						
31/2" - 4"	14' - 16'	8' - 10'						
4" - 41/2"	16' - 18 '	8' - 10'						
41/2" - 5"	16' - 18'	10' - 12'						

5½" - 6* 18' - 20' 12' - 14'

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All plant material shall generally average the median for the size ranges indicated above and as indicated in the "AAN Standards".

10' - 12'

8. Minimum size for planting shrubs shall be, in general, eighteen to twenty-four (18 - 24) inches in height or spread, as appropriate, except that a larger size may be required when deemed appropriate by the Planning Director (or designee) in the case of particular species or planting situations.

. Planting Methods:

All proposed plant material that meets the specifications above are to be planted in accordance with the following planting methods during the proper seasons as described below.

Planting Seasons

A professional horticulturalist/nurseryman shall be consulted to determine the proper time, based on plant species and weather conditions, to move and install particular plant material to minimize stress to the plant. Planting of deciduous material may be continued during the winter months provided there is no frost in the ground and frost free top soil planting mixtures

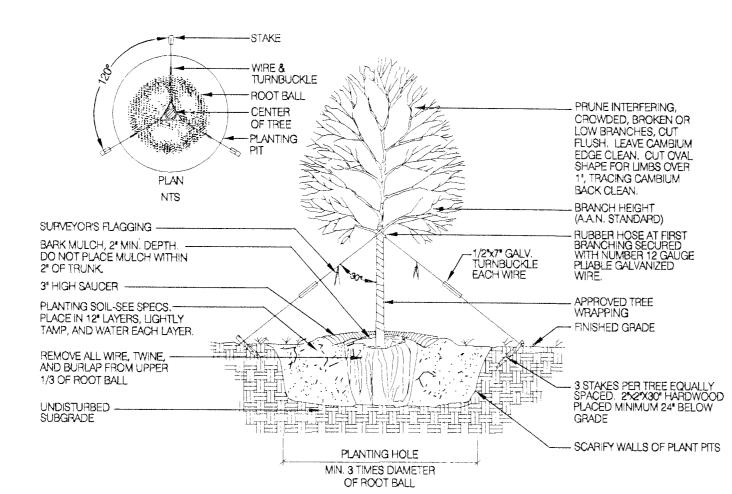
All plant material shall be dug, balled and burlapped (B+B) or bareroot in accordance with the "ANN Standards".

hedge trenches and shrub beds as follows:

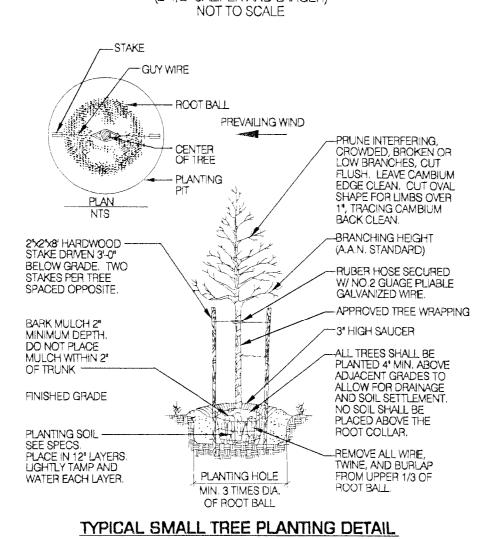
3. Excavation of Plant Pits The landscape contractor shall excavate all plant pits, vine pits,

a. All pits shall be generally circular in outline, with bowl shaped sides. The tree pit shall be deep enough to allow one-eighth (1/8) of the ball to be above the existing grade. Plants shall rest on undisturbed existing soil or well compacted backfill. The tree pit must be a minimum of nine (9) inches larger on every side than the ball of the tree.

b. If areas are designated as shrub beds or hedge trenches, they shall be cultivated to at least eighteen (18) inches in depth minimum. Areas designated for ground covers and vines shall be cultivated to at least twelve (12) inches in

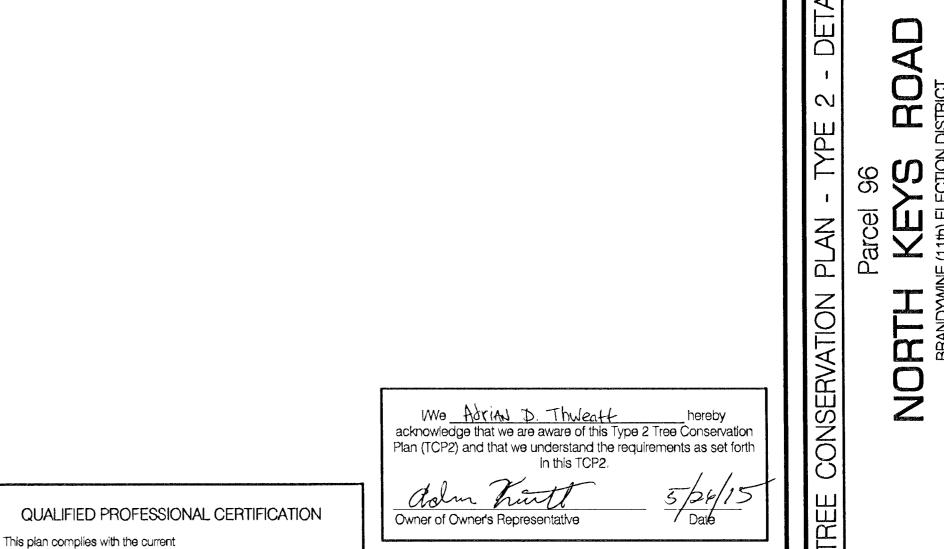


TYPICAL LARGE TREE PLANTING DETAIL (2-1/2" CALIPER AND LARGER)



(2" CALIPER OR LESS) NOT TO SCALE

PLANTING SCHEDULE									
QTY.	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	SIZE	SPACING	REMARKS	NATIVE SPECIES			
1	Quercus palustris (shade)	Pin Oak	2 1/2" cal. 12' - 14' ht.	As Shown	B&B	Yes			
1	Cercis canadaensis (ornamental)	Red Bud	2 1/2" cal. 12' - 14' ht.	As Shown	B&B	Yes			
1	Juniperus Virginiana (Evergreen)	Eastern Red Cedar	6'-8" ht.	As Shown	B&B	Yes			
3	llex opaca (Evergreen)	American Holly (1 male - 2 females)	6'-8 " ht.	As Shown	B&B	Yes			
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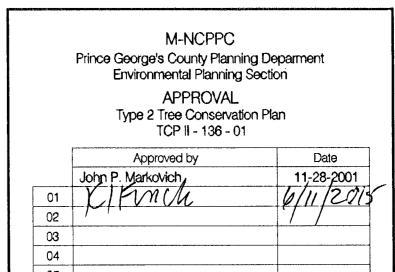


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