

**NOTES:**

1. FOR BUBBLER LOCATION, REFER TO TREE PLANTING AND STAKING DRAWING.
2. EACH TREE SHALL HAVE A 2" POP-UP HEAD WITH BUBBLER NOZZLE **PER SDI-103**, AND A FIXED BUBBLER NOZZLE IN A PERFORATED PIPE.
3. NIPPLES AND RISERS SHALL BE PVC SCH 80.
4. FITTINGS SHALL BE PVC SCH 40.
5. TEFLON TAPE SHALL BE USED ON THREADED CONNECTIONS.
6. CLOSE NIPPLES SHALL NOT BE USED.
7. ANTI-DRAIN VALVES SHALL BE INSTALLED UNDER ALL HEADS.

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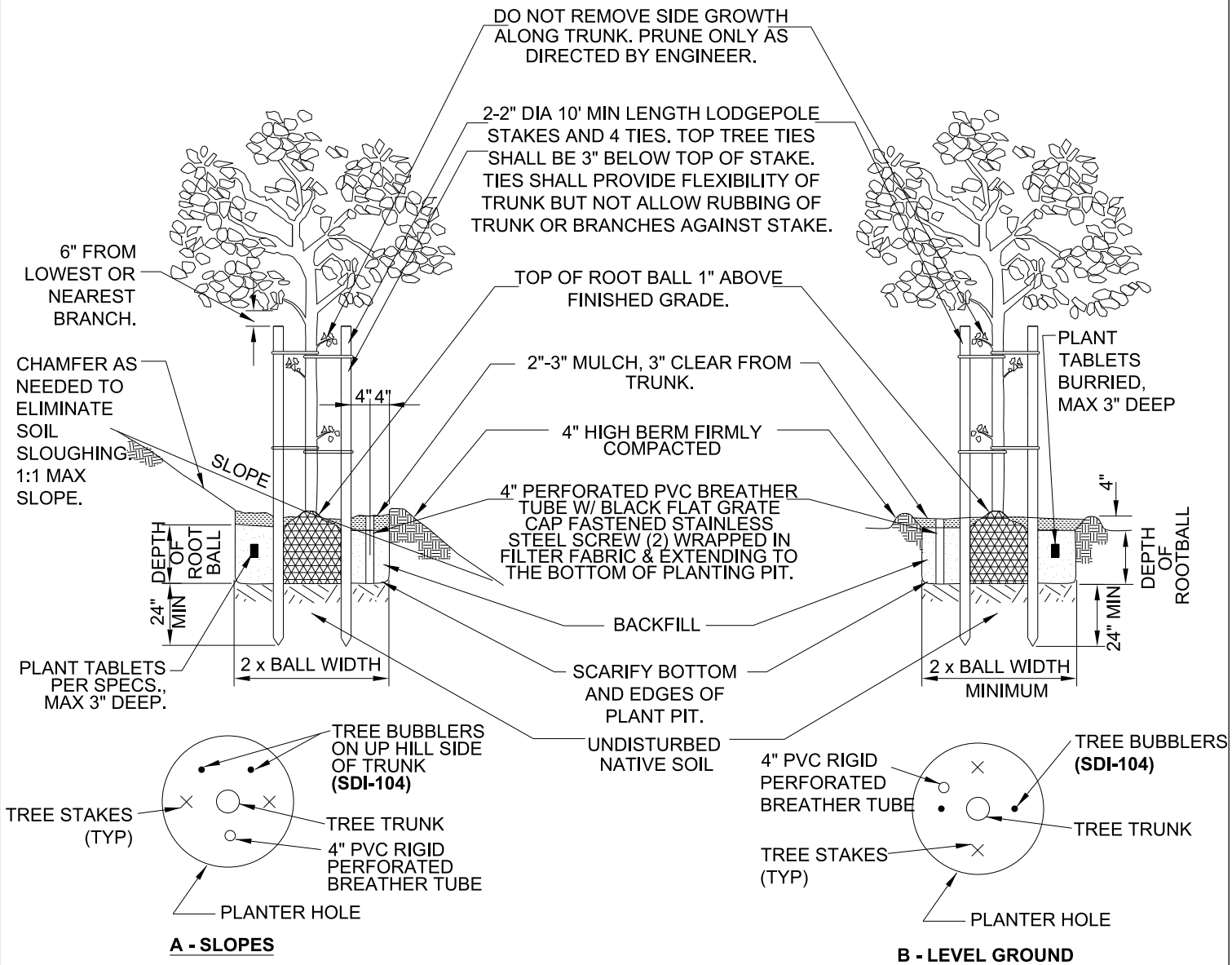
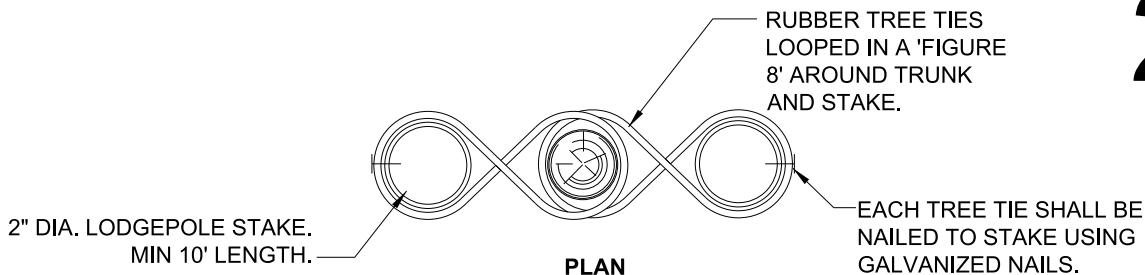
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**TREE BUBBLER TUBE**

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DRAWING NUMBER **SDI-104**



**NOTES**

1. DOUBLE STAKE 15 GAL. AND LARGER TREES. SINGLE STAKE TREES SMALLER THAN 15 GAL.
2. FOR SINGLE STAKED TREES, PLACE STAKE ON WINDWARD SIDE OF TREE.
3. LOCATE STAKES OUTSIDE OF ROOTBALL.
4. PROVIDE MINIMUM DISTANCE FROM OTHER OBJECTS AS FOLLOWS:  
20' TRAFFIC SIGNALS, 12' STREET LIGHTS, 10' FIRE HYDRANTS, SEWER LINES AND SDG&E FOR PAD MOUNTED EQUIPMENT, AND 5' UNDERGROUND SDG&E ELECTRIC AND GAS LINES.

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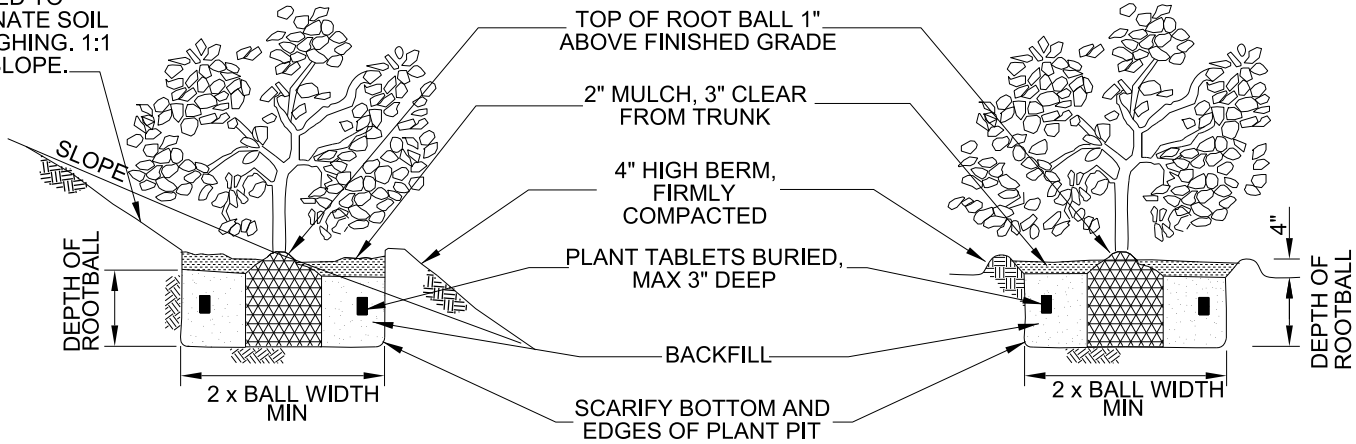
**TREE PLANTING AND STAKING**

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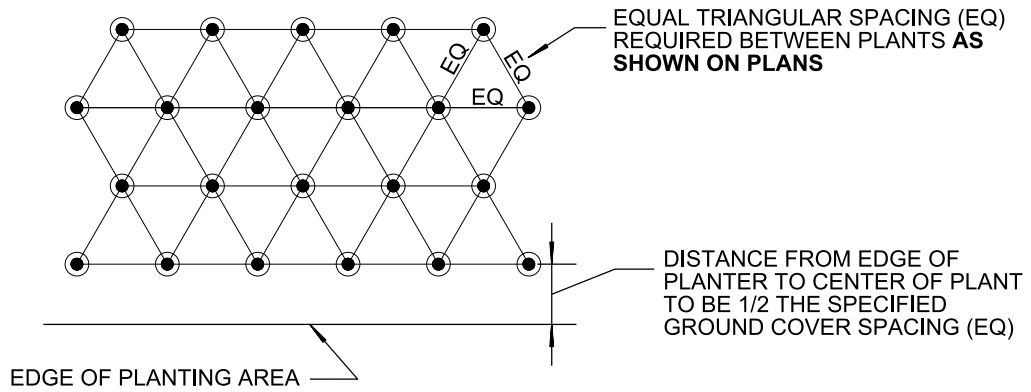
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CHAMFER AS NEEDED TO ELIMINATE SOIL SLOUGHING. 1:1 MAX SLOPE.



**SHRUB PLANTING - SLOPES**

**SHRUB PLANTING - LEVEL GROUND**



**GROUND COVER SPACING**

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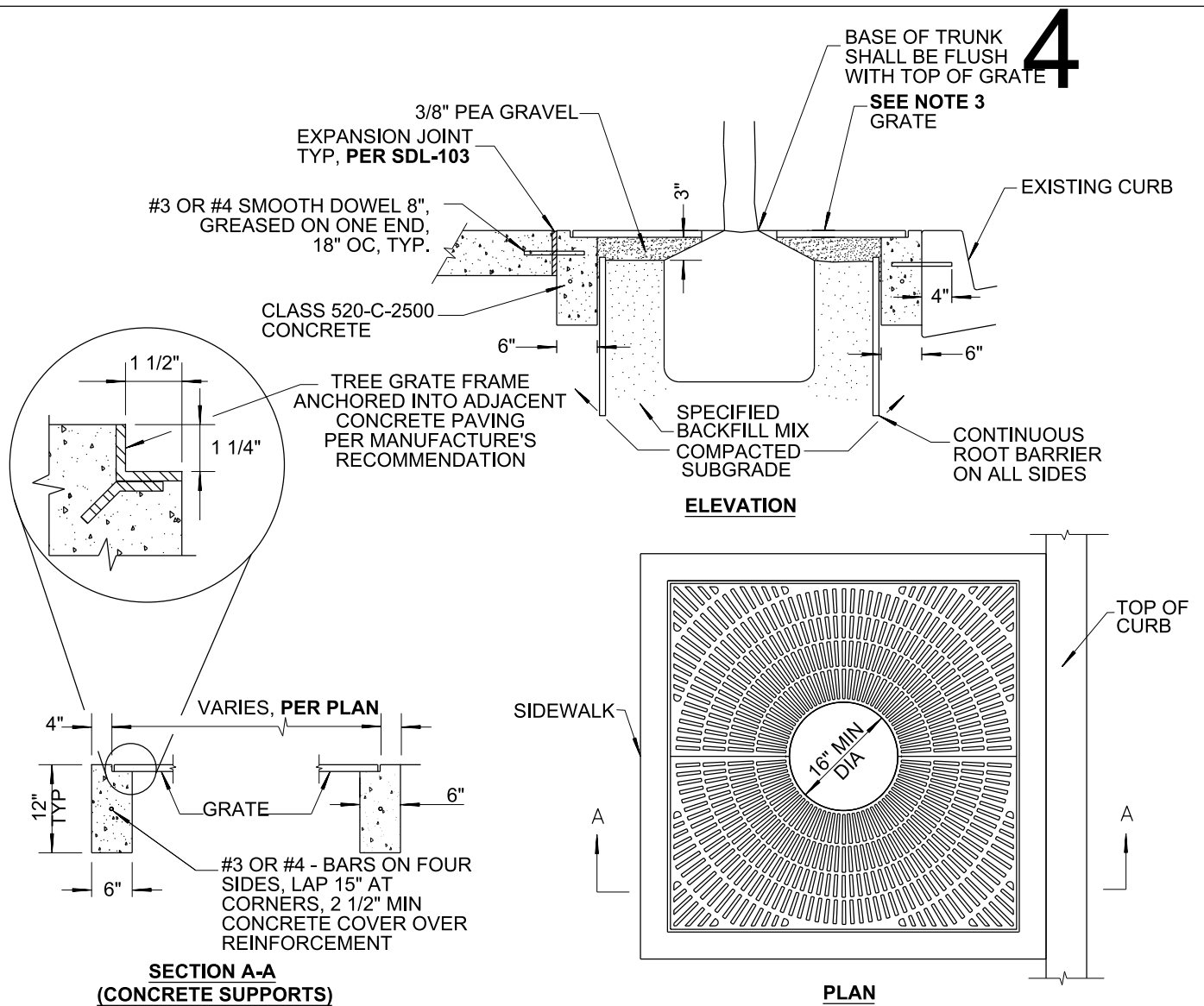
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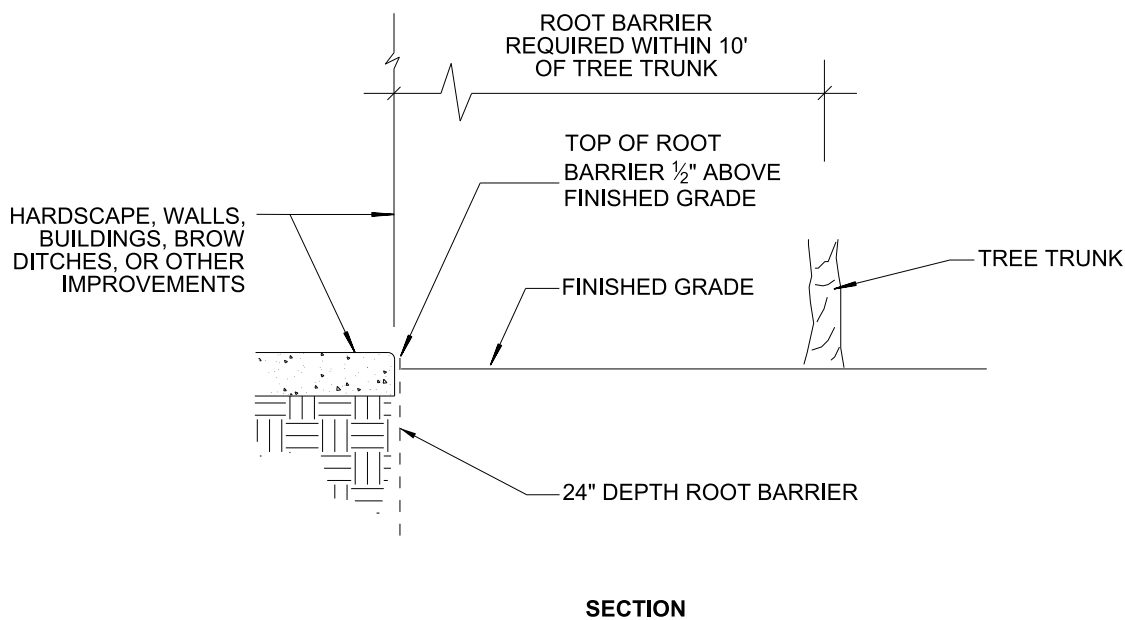
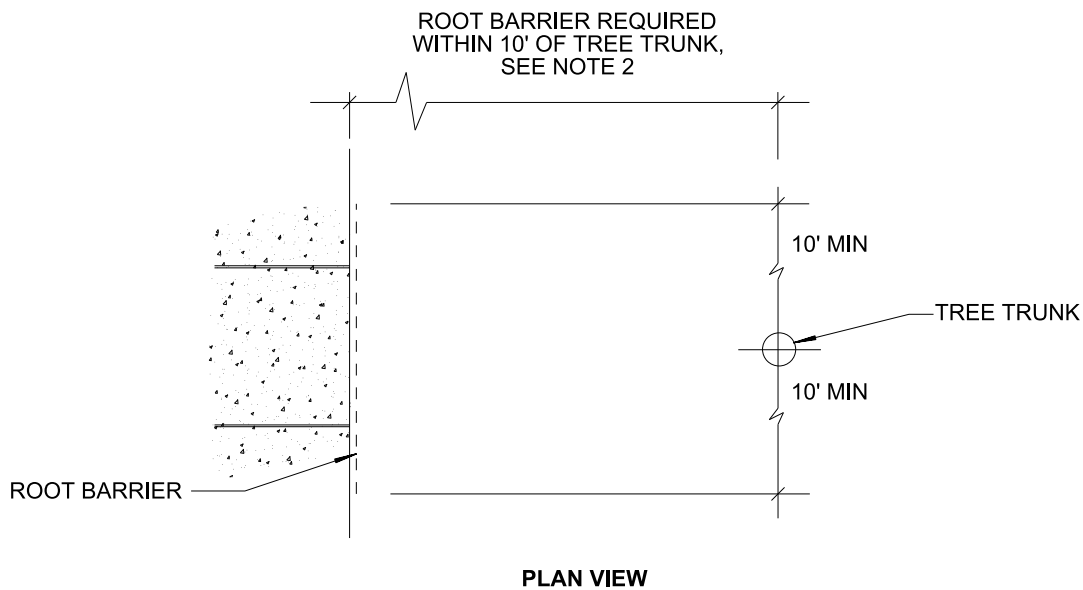
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**NOTES:**

1. CONCRETE TO BE REMOVED FOR EACH TREE PLANTING SHALL BE SAW CUT FULL DEPTH.
2. BOLTS, NUTS AND WASHERS SHALL BE GRADE 316 STAINLESS STEEL. GRATE FRAME SHALL BE HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED AFTER FABRICATION. ALL GRATES SHALL BE REMOVABLE & FASTENERS SHALL BE ACCESSIBLE TO MAINTENANCE .
3. GRATES SHALL BE MINIMUM 40 SQUARE FEET IN SIZE, AND 2 SEPARATE PIECES, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS. SLOT OPENINGS IN GRATE DESIGN SHALL HAVE 3/8" MAXIMUM WIDTH. GRATE DESIGNS AND INSTALLATION SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT ADA STANDARDS AND THE LATEST EDITION OF THE CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE, WITH A MINIMUM UNIFORM LIVE LOAD OF 250 POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT IN SIDEWALKS.
4. IMMEDIATE NOTIFICATION SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE ENGINEER OF ANY BELOW GRADE IMPROVEMENTS ENCOUNTERED.
5. SET GRATE IN FRAME PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF PAVEMENT. ANY WARPED OR NON-FLUSH FITTING GRATES SHALL BE REPLACED.
6. TREE SHALL BE CENTERED IN GRATE OPENING. GRATES SHALL HAVE A PERMANENT SLIP RESISTANT FINISH.
7. ADJACENT SIDEWALK SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM CLEARANCE WIDTH OF 4' FROM THE EDGE OF GRATE.
8. GRATE SHALL BE UNIFORM WITH ADJACENT GRADE.
9. PROVIDE MINIMUM DISTANCE FROM OTHER OBJECTS AS FOLLOWS: 12' STREET LIGHTS, 10' FIRE HYDRANTS, 10' SEWER LINES, AND 20' TRAFFIC SIGNALS.
10. SUBMIT GRATE DESIGN FOR APPROVAL.

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				<b>TREE GRATE</b>	DRAWING NUMBER <b>SDL-104</b>



**NOTE:**

1. ROOT BARRIER SHALL BE INSTALLED ADJACENT TO THE IMPROVEMENT AND NOT AROUND THE ROOTBALL.
2. ROOT BARRIER REQUIRED WHEN TREE TRUNK IS WITHIN 10' OF HARDSCAPE, WALLS, BUILDINGS, BROW DITCHES, OR OTHER IMPROVEMENTS.
3. FOR ROOT BARRIER INSTALLATION WITH THE TREE GRATES **SEE SDL-104.**

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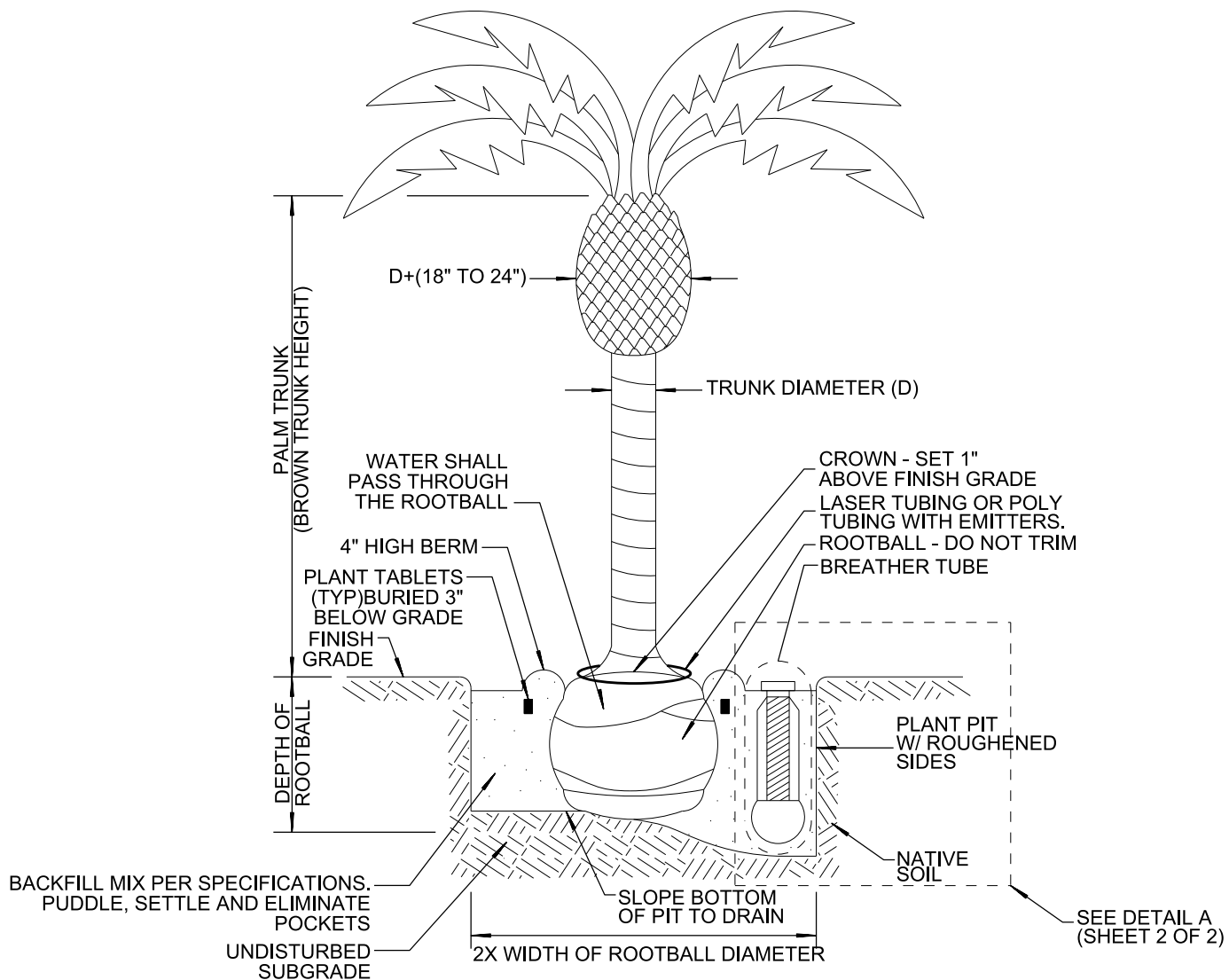
**ROOT CONTROL BARRIER**

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DRAWING NUMBER **SDL-106**



**NOTES:**

1. TIE PALM FRONDS TOGETHER WITH BIODEGRADABLE SISAL TWINE. TWINE SHALL BE REMOVED AFTER 90 DAYS OF TRANSPLANTING UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
2. PALM TRUNKS SHALL BE SKINNED, TRIMMED, AND VERTICAL.
3. STEM DIAMETER REQUIREMENT APPLIES ONLY TO PHOENIX SPECIES.

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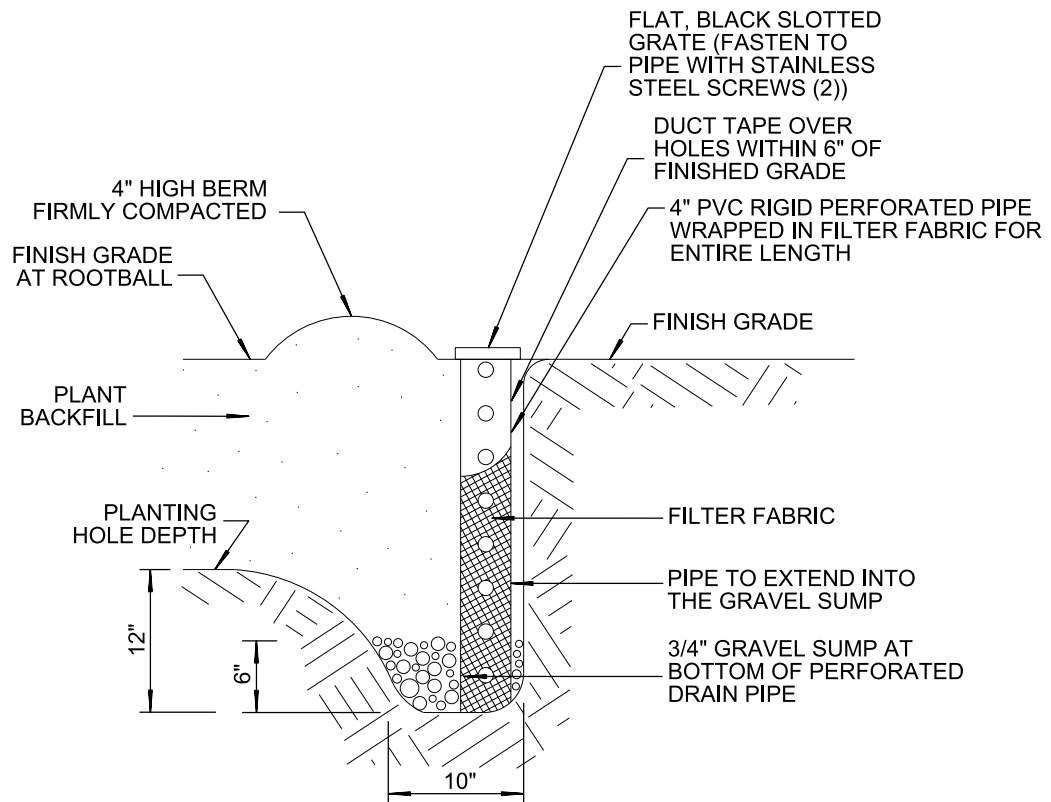
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**PALM TREE PLANTING**

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**DETAIL - A  
BREATHER TUBE**

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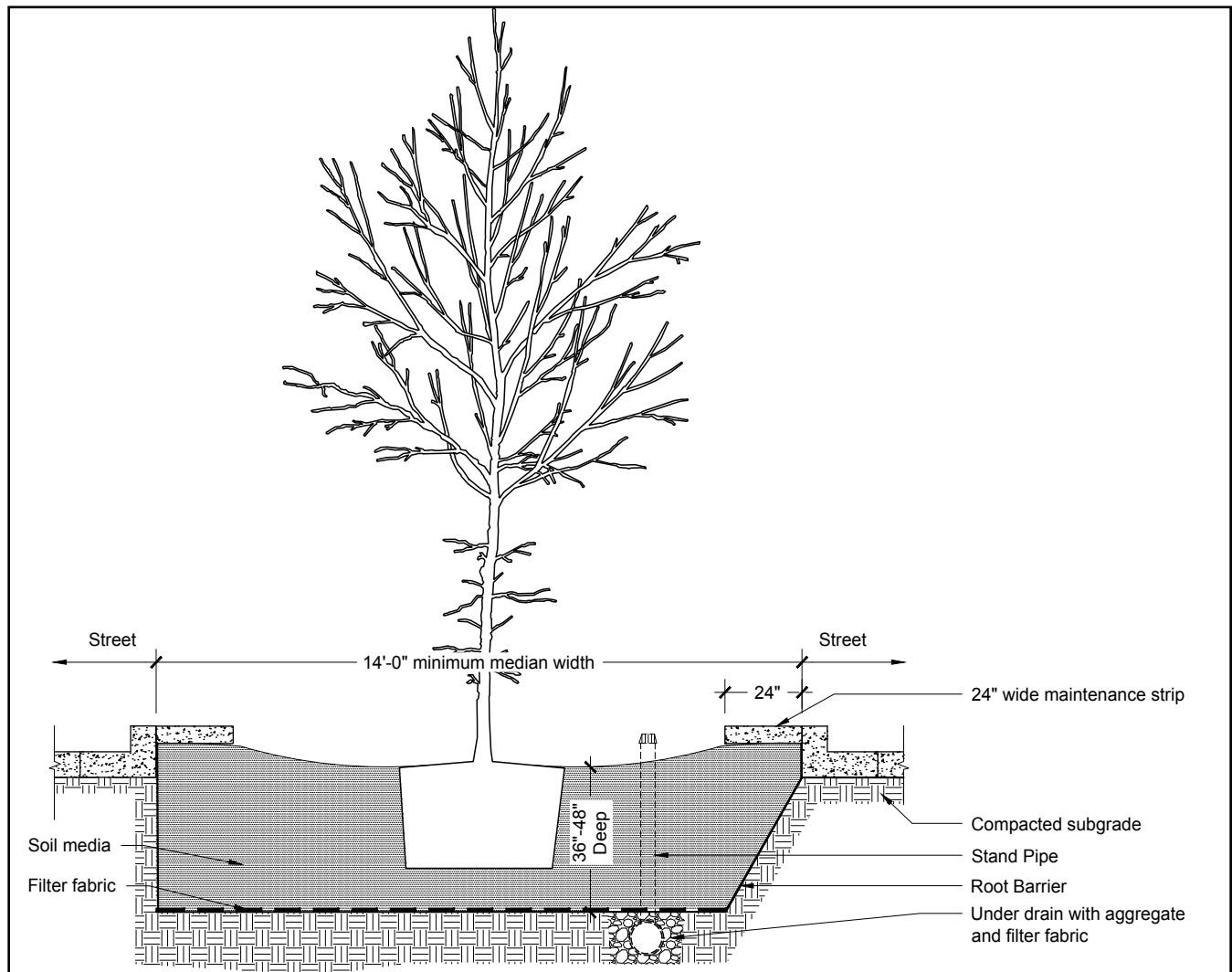
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## 4.1 STREET TREES/STREETSCAPE

The creation of specific tree planting criteria and the recommendation of a minimum soil volume area for new tree plantings is one of the most important components of this Urban Greening Plan and the Green Street Toolbox. How to integrate multiple improvements - tree planting, storm water management / infiltration, pedestrian and alternative transportation along with typical right-of-way improvements and components into the same three dimensional run of roadway is the challenge that this community faces. This section addresses the tree planting and soil volume aspects of the green street needs.

### Tree Planting Details

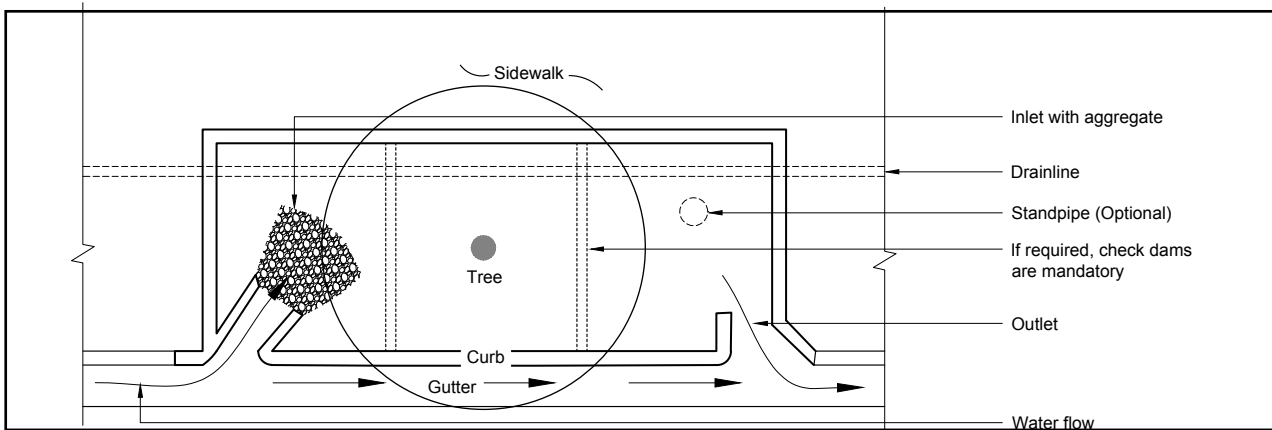
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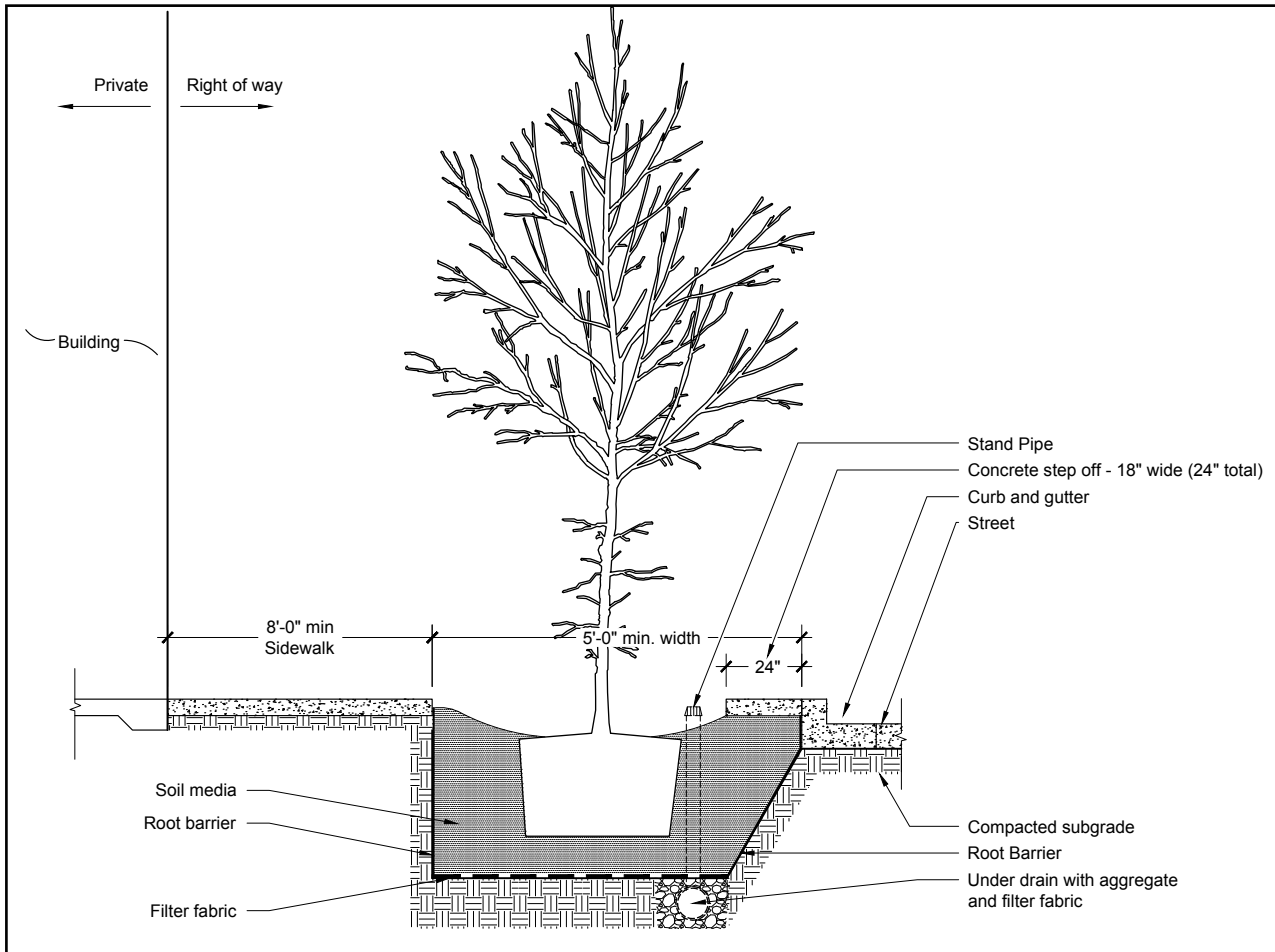
Tree Planting Detail - Median



**PARKWAY(S)/ BIO-SWALE(S)**

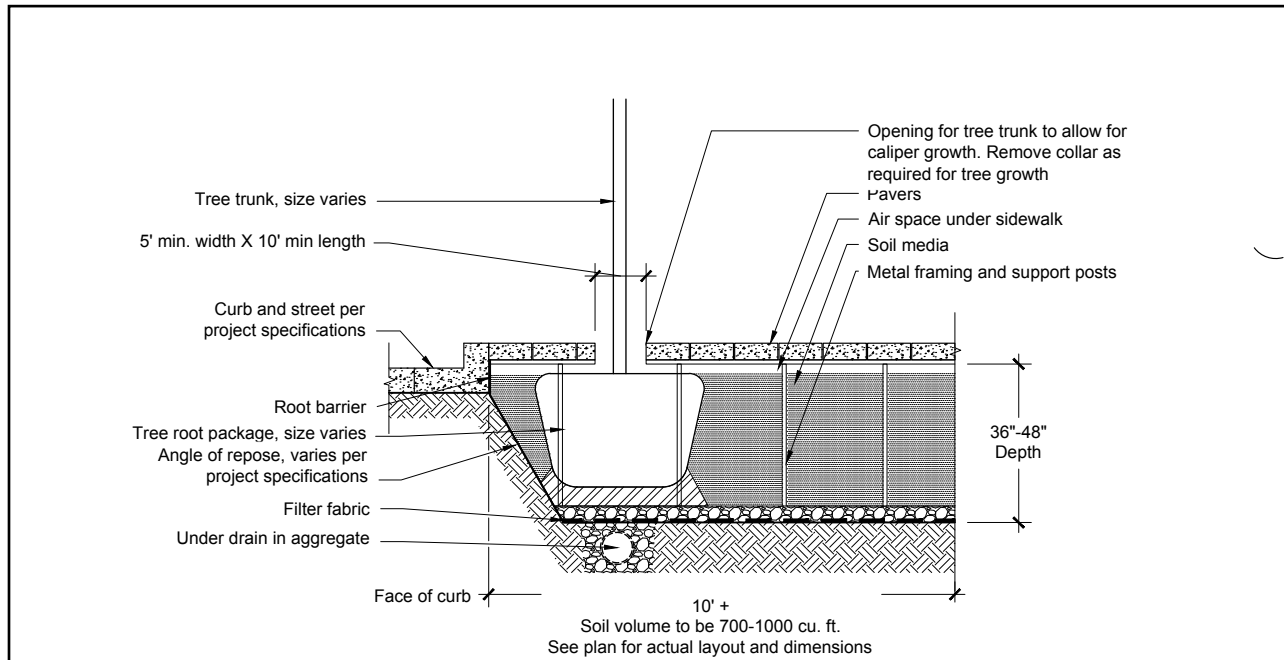


Plan View - Inlet/Outlet

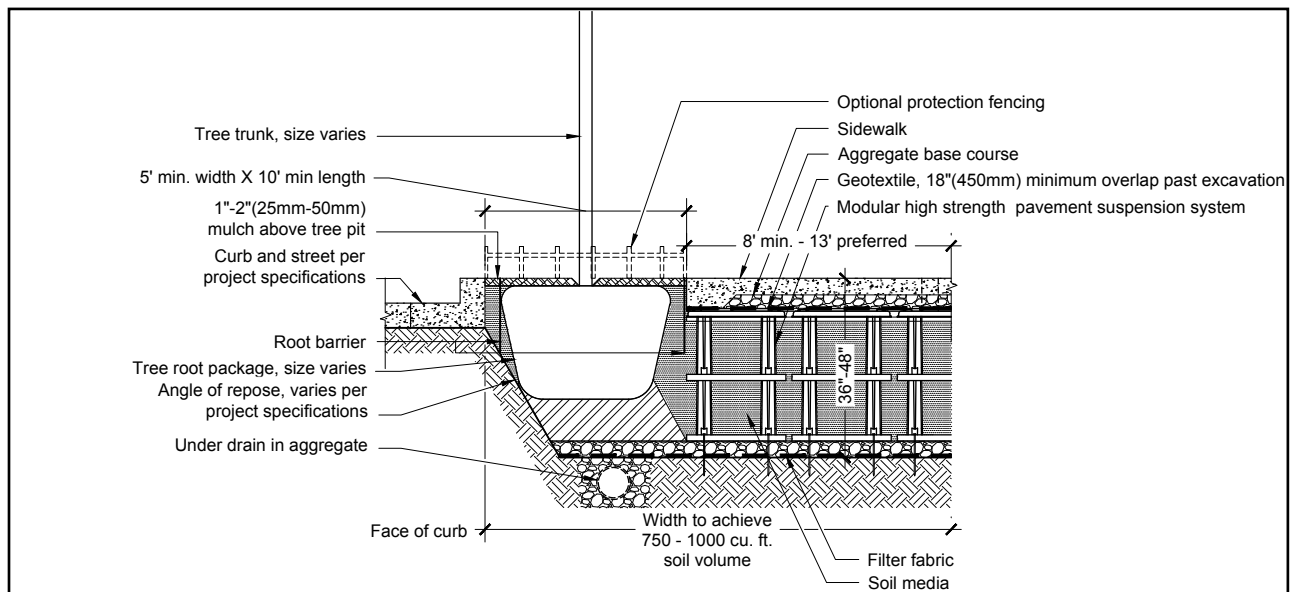


Tree Planting Detail - Parkway/Bio-Swale

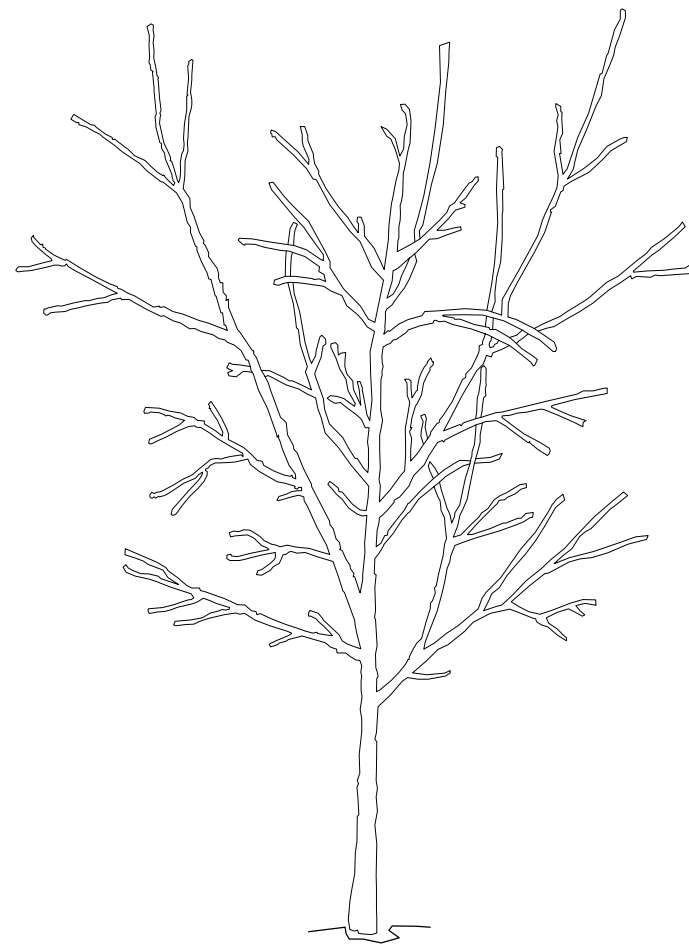
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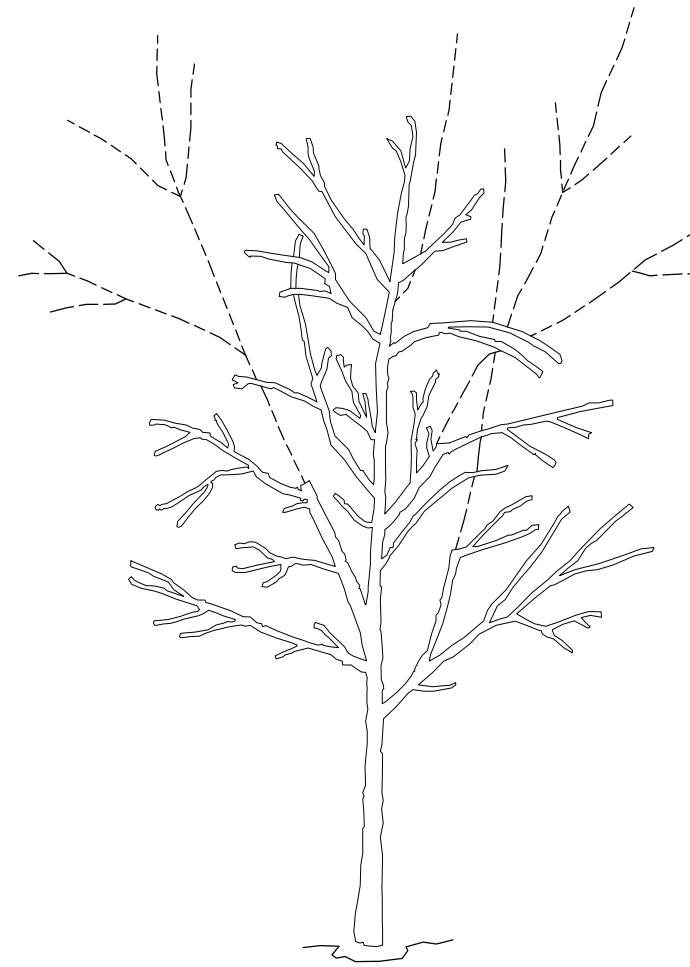
Tree Planting Detail - Suspended Pavers



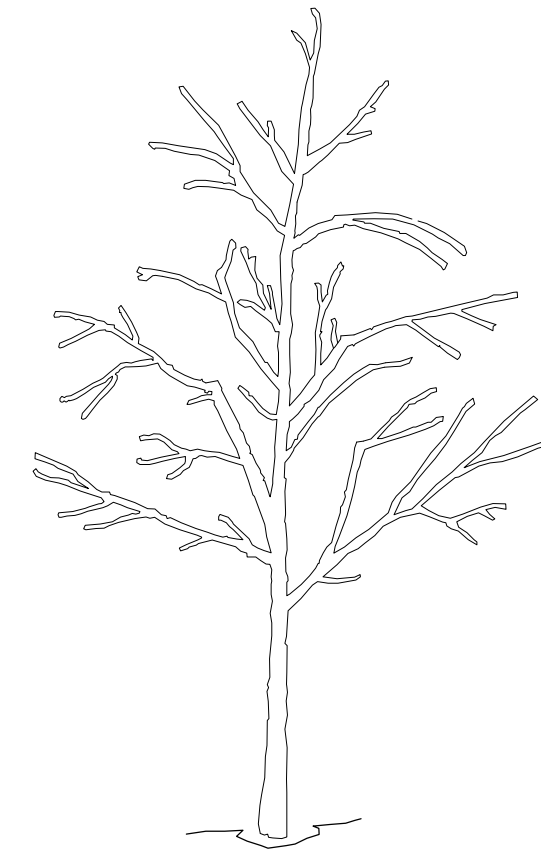
Tree Planting Detail - Suspended Pavement



Before planting, tree has three codominant stems. The two that compete with the one in the center should be pruned to suppress their growth.



Two competing stems were reduced substantially, in this case removing about 70% of their foliage using reduction cuts.



After pruning, tree has only one dominant stem.

Notes:

- 1- All trees shown are rejectable unless they undergo recommended treatment.
- 2- Tree shall meet crown observation detail following correction.



CROWN CORRECTION DETAIL

**ACCEPTABLE**

One central leader  
(No codominant leaders)

Aspect ratio is less than 0.66.

Example		
A	B	Aspect Ratio
1.50"	0.50"	0.33
2.50"	0.90"	0.36
2.0"	1.00"	0.50
2.50"	1.60"	0.64

Aspect ratio of B:A less than 0.66 as measured 1" above the top of the branch union.

**REJECTABLE**

Multiple leaders  
(Several codominant leaders)

Aspect ratio is greater than 0.66.

Example		
A	B	Aspect Ratio
2.50"	1.80"	0.72
2.0"	2.0"	1.0
2.50"	2.0"	0.80
4.0"	3.0"	0.75

Aspect ratio of B:A greater than or equal to 0.66 as measured 1" above the top of the branch union.

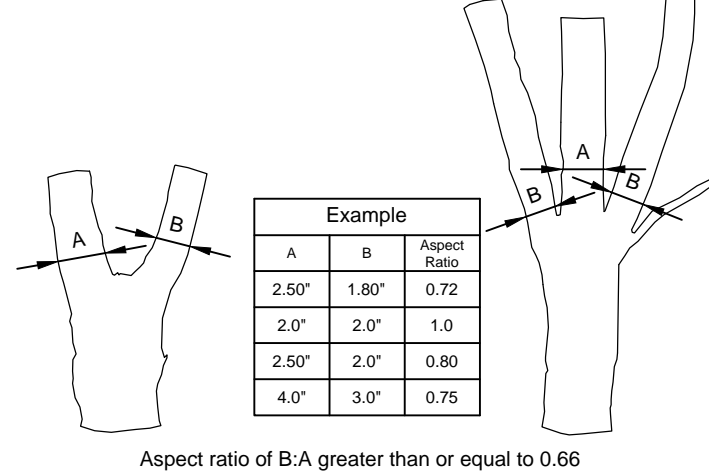
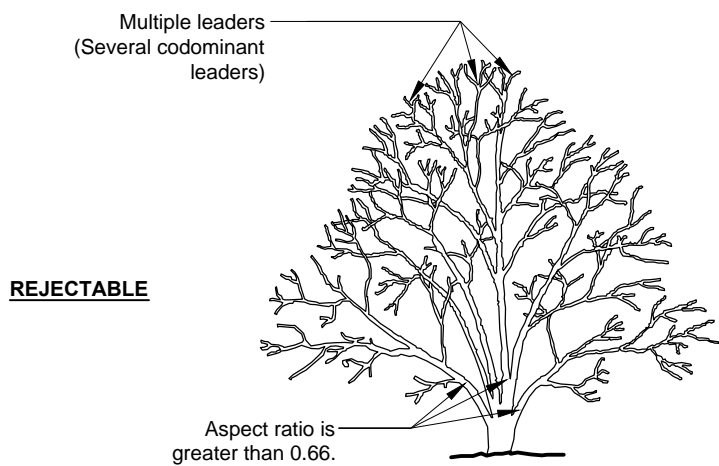
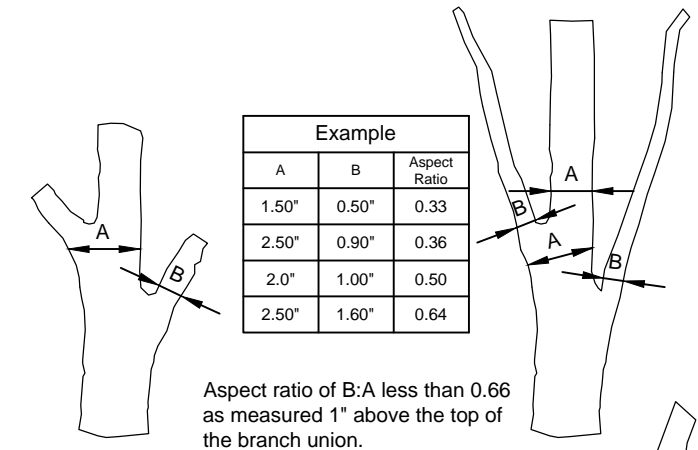
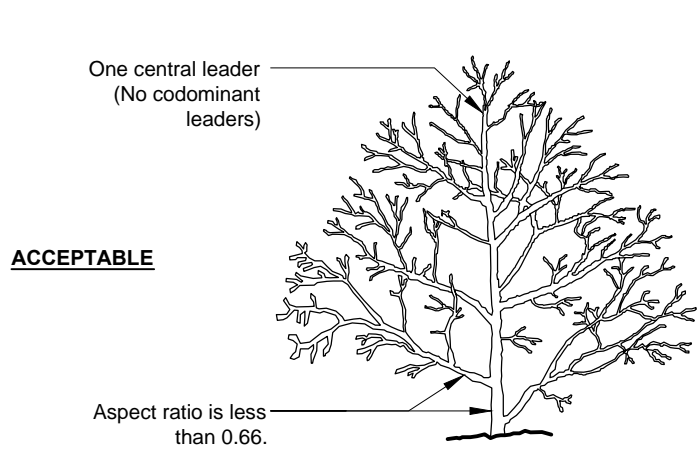
Notes:

1- Aspect ratio shall be less than 0.66 on all branch unions. Aspect ratio is the diameter of branch (B) divided by the diameter of the trunk (A) as measured 1" above the top of the branch union.

2- Any tree not meeting the crown observations detail may be rejected.



## CROWN OBSERVATIONS - HIGH BRANCHED



**Notes:**

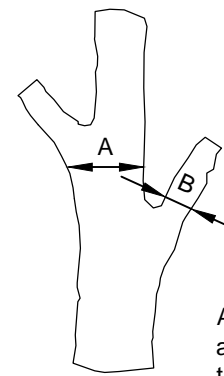
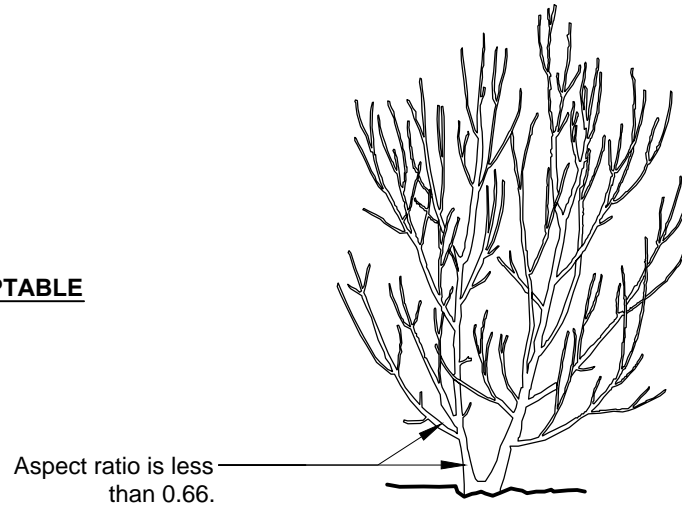
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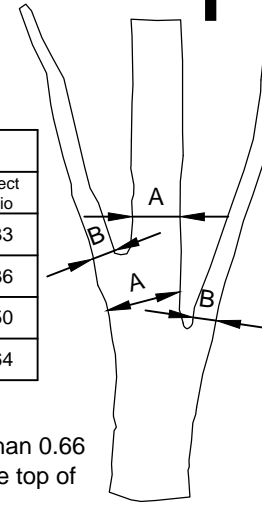


## CROWN OBSERVATIONS - LOW BRANCHED

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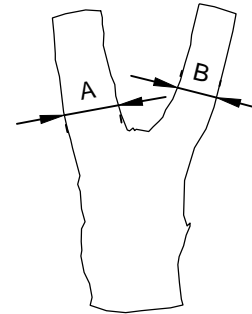


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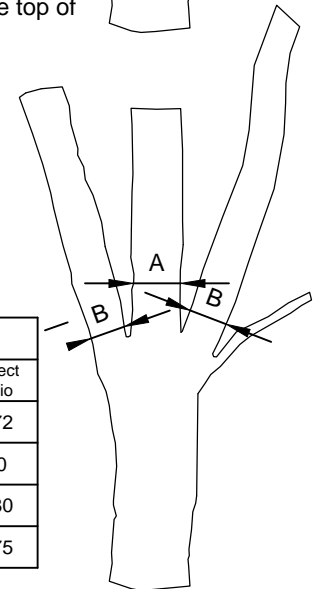


Aspect ratio of B:A less than 0.66 as measured 1" above the top of the branch union.

**REJECTABLE**



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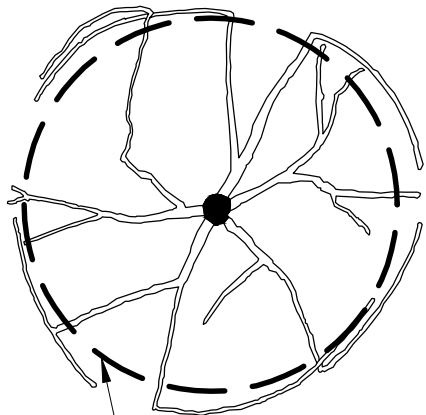
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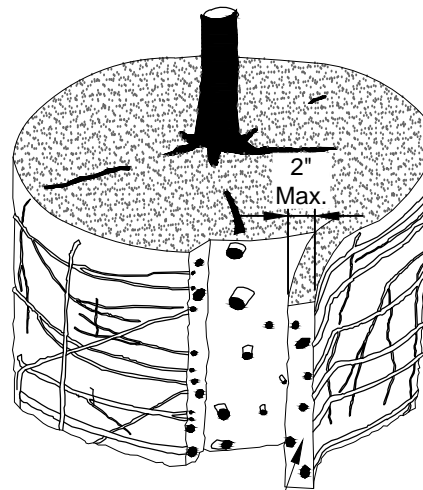
**CROWN OBSERVATION DETAIL - MULTI**

### BEFORE SHAVING



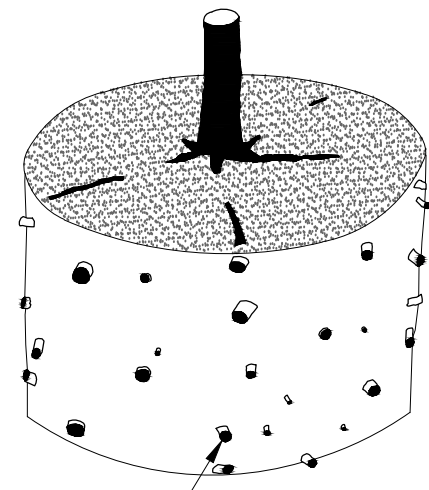
Shave root ball here to remove all roots growing on periphery.

### SHAVING PROCESS



Shave outer periphery of the root ball a maximum of 2" thick.

### SHAVING COMPLETE



Root tips exposed at periphery of root ball. All roots growing around periphery are removed.

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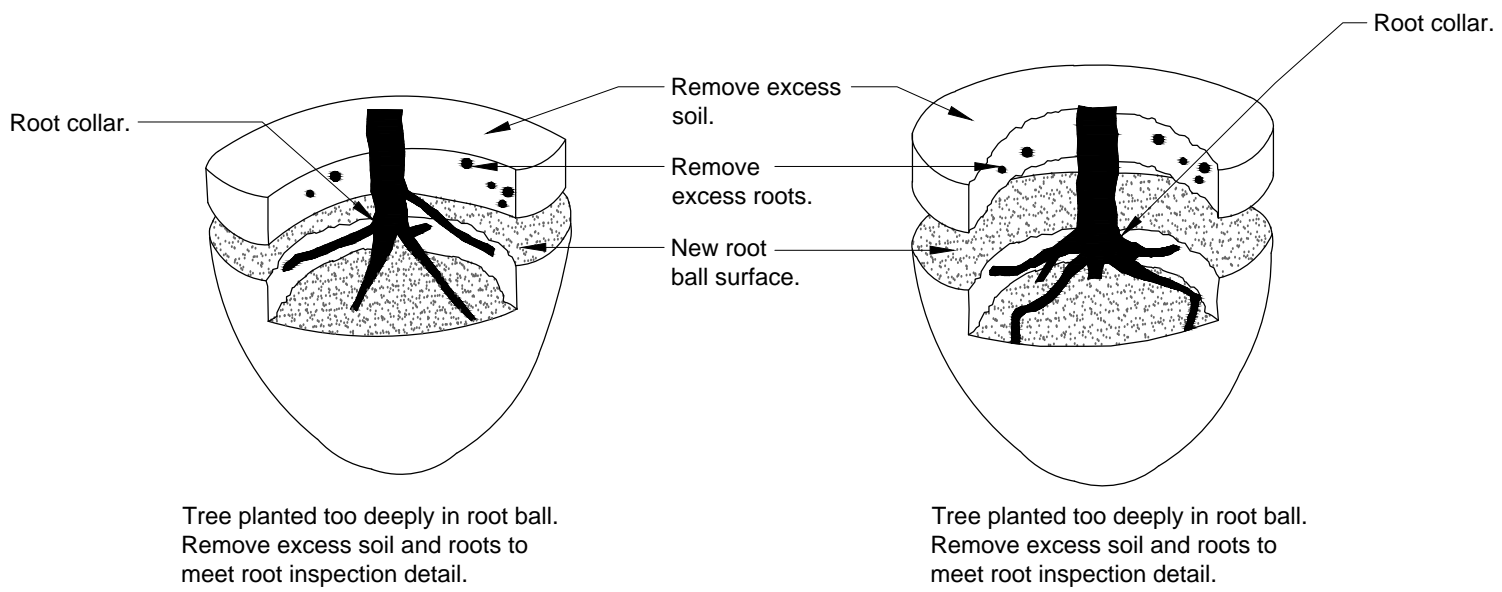
- 1- Shaving to be conducted using a sharp blade or hand saw eliminating no more than needed to remove all roots on the periphery of root ball.
- 2- Shaving can be performed just prior to planting or after placing in the hole.

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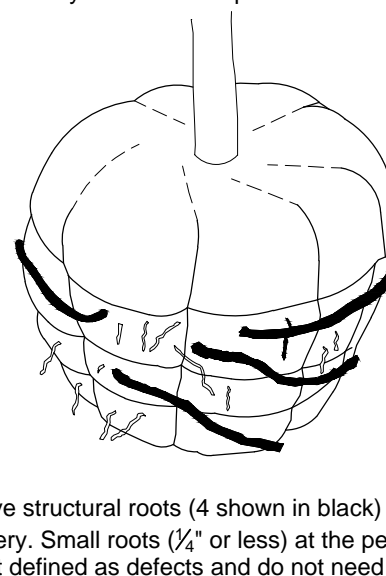
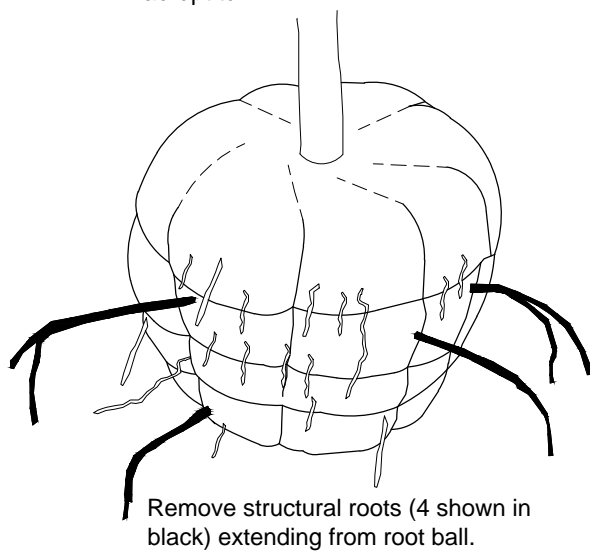
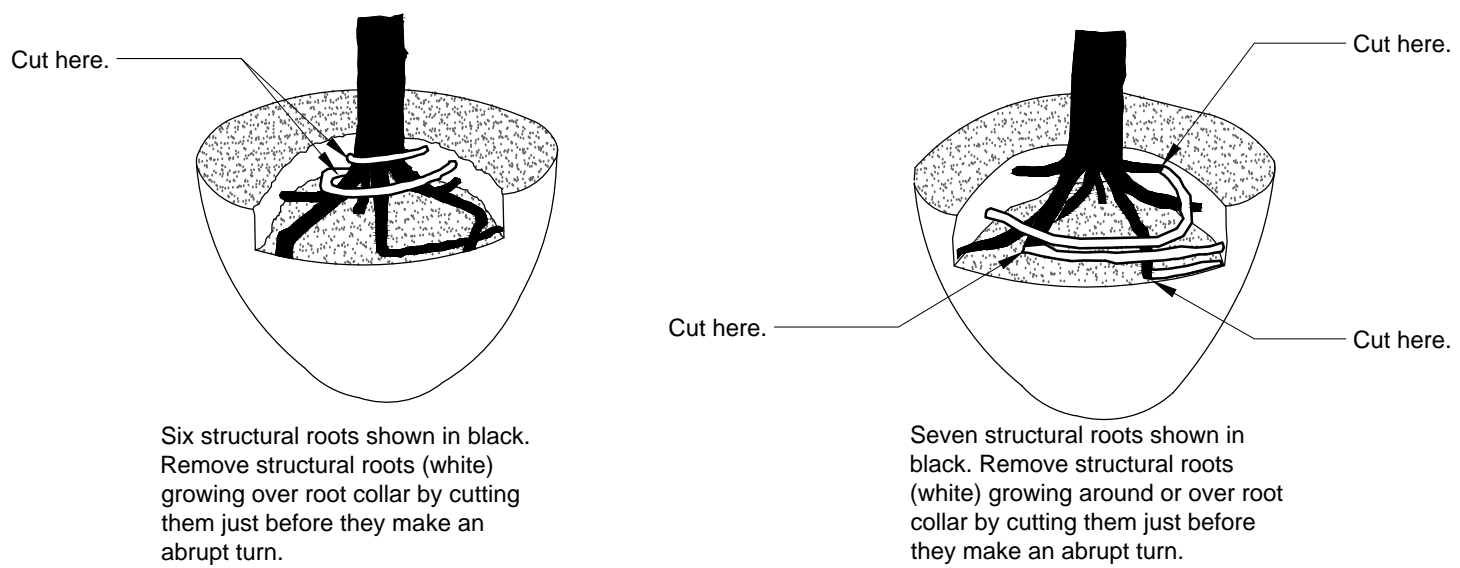
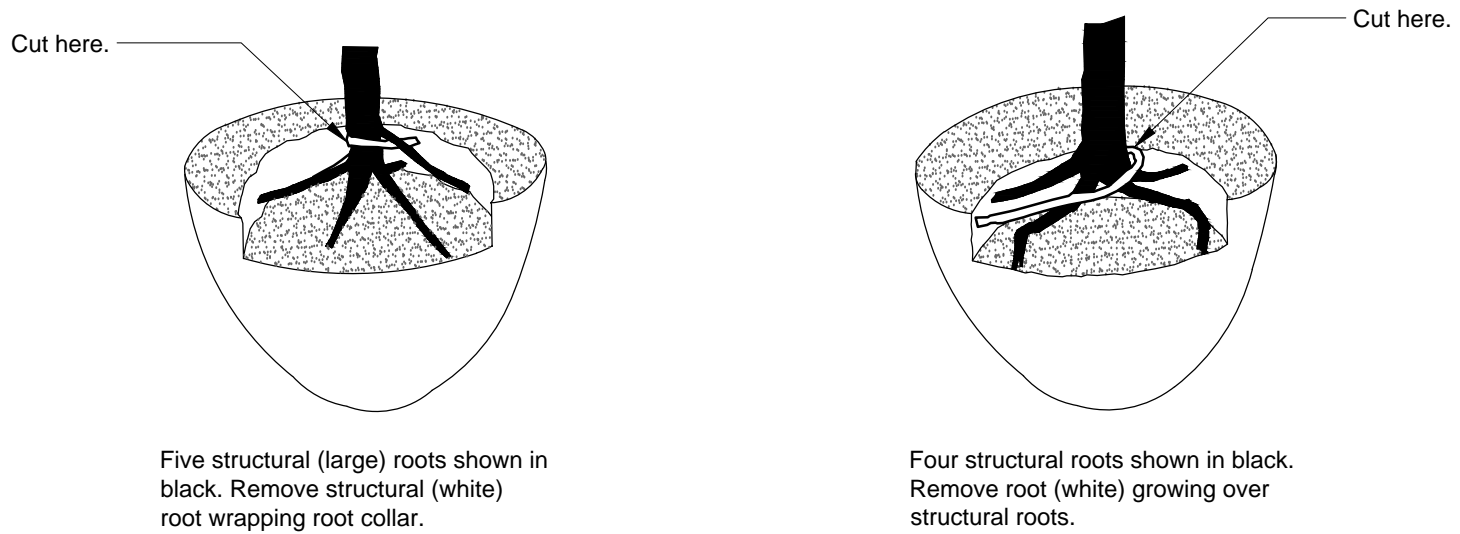


## ROOT BALL SHAVING CONTAINER DETAIL

**Step 1 - Remove soil and roots over the root collar.**



**Step 2 - Remove defects.**

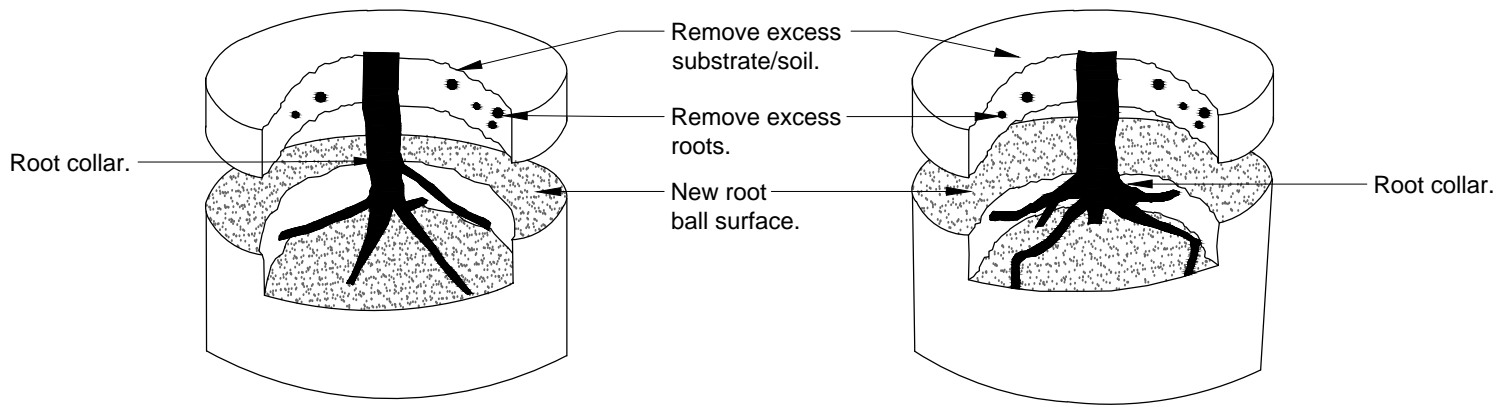


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- 2- First step 1, then step 2. Adjust hole depth to allow for the removal of excess soil and roots over the root collar.
- 3- Roots and soil may be removed during the correction process; substrate/soil shall be replaced after the correction has been completed.
- 4- Trees shall pass root observations detail following correction.



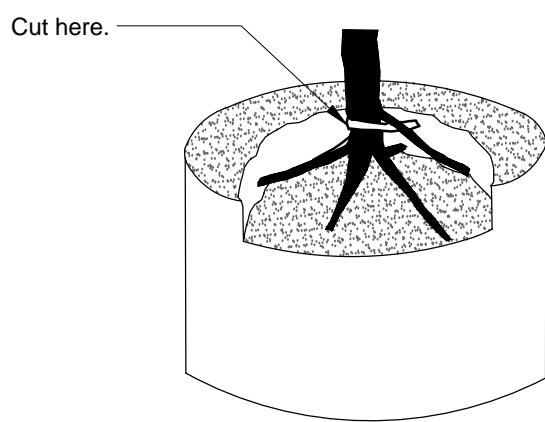
**Step 1 - Remove substrate over root collar.**



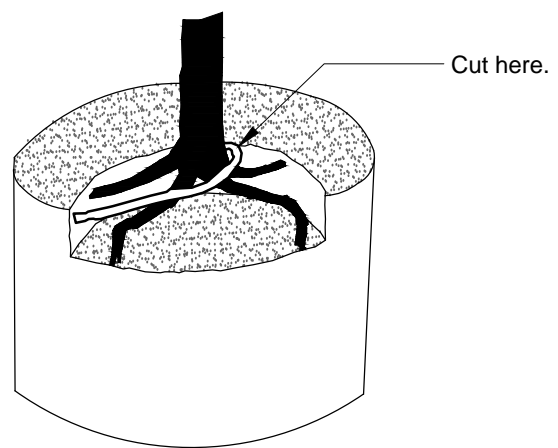
Tree planted too deeply in root ball. Remove excess substrate and roots to meet root inspection detail.

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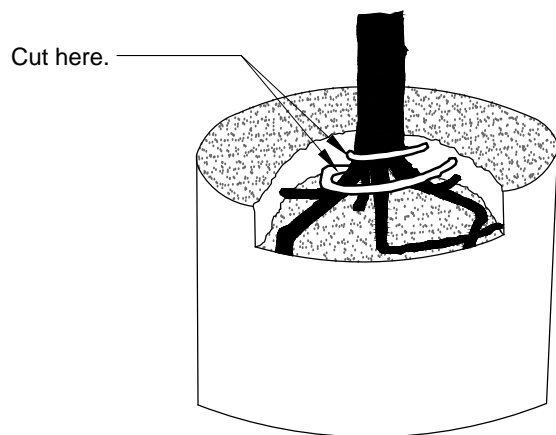
**Step 2 - Remove defects.**



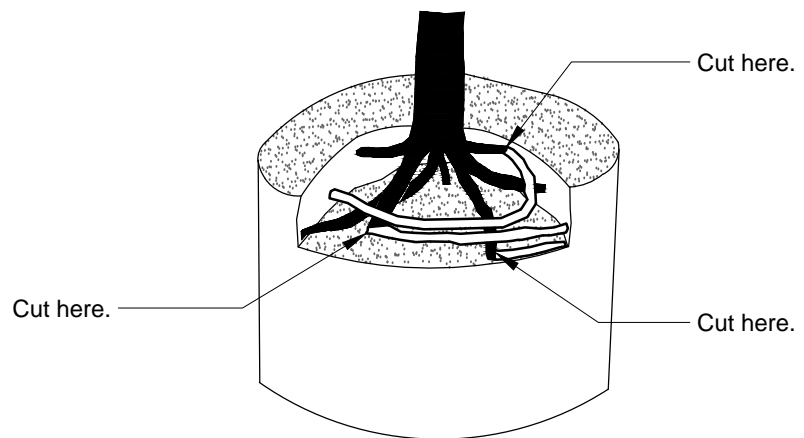
Five structural (large) roots shown in black. Remove structural root (white) wrapping root collar.



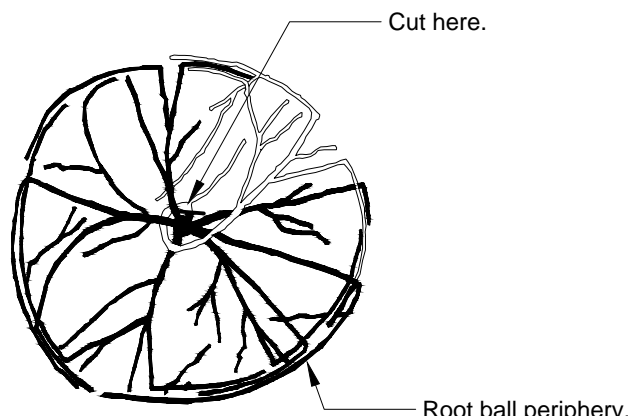
Four structural roots shown in black. Remove root (white) growing over structural roots.



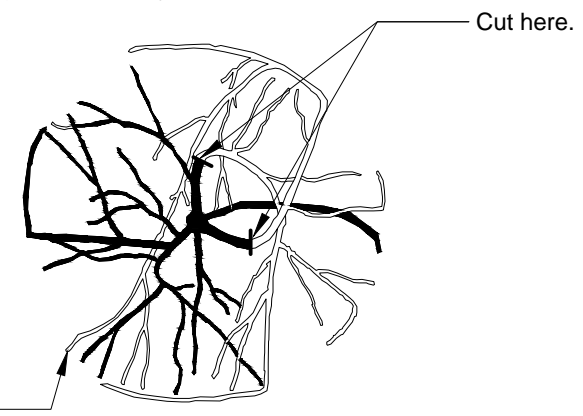
Six structural roots shown in black. Remove roots (white) growing over root collar by cutting them just before they make an abrupt turn.



Seven structural roots shown in black. Remove structural roots (white) growing around or over root collar by cutting them just before they make an abrupt turn.



Cut structural root just before it makes abrupt turn. Pruning cut should be made tangent (parallel) to the trunk.



Cut structural roots just before they make abrupt turn by cutting tangent (parallel) to the trunk (two cuts shown).

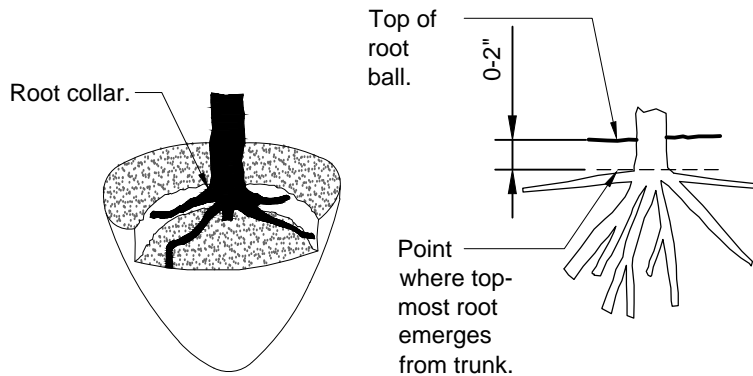
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- 2- First Step 1, then Step 2. Roots and soil may be removed during the correction process; substrate/soil shall be replaced after correction has been completed.
- 3- Trees shall meet root observations detail following correction.
- 4- Small roots (1/4" or less) on the periphery of the root ball are common with container plant production. These small roots are not defined as "defects" and can be addressed at the time of installation (See root ball shaving container detail).

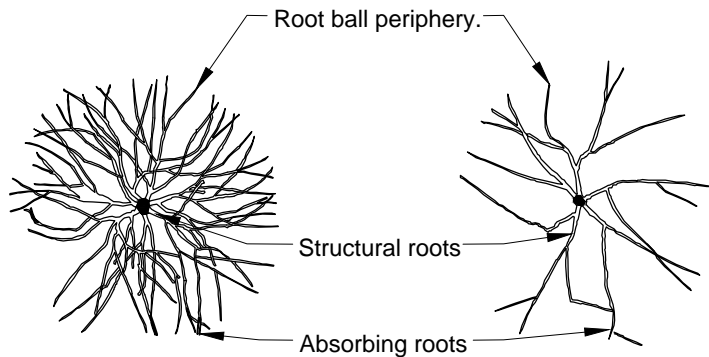


**ROOT CORRECTION DETAIL - CONTAINER**

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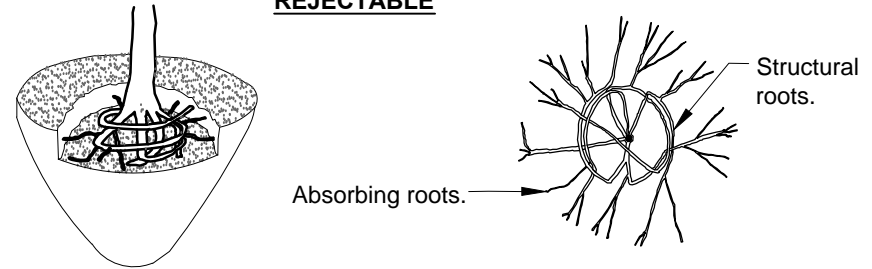


The point where top-most root(s) emerges from the trunk (root collar) should be within the top 2" of substrate. The root collar and the root ball interior should be free of defects including circling, kinked, ascending, and stem girdling roots. Structural roots shall reach the periphery near the top of the root ball.



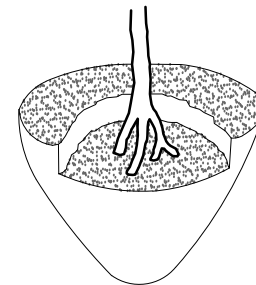
Roots radiate from trunk and reach side of root ball without defecting down or around.

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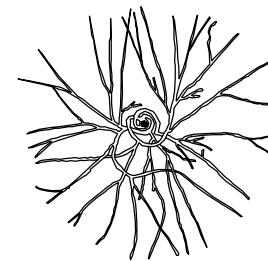


Structural roots circle interior of root ball. No structural roots are horizontal and reach the root ball periphery near the top of the root ball.

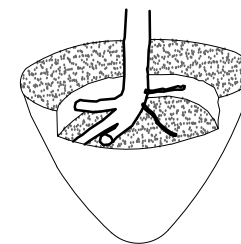
Only absorbing roots reach the periphery near the top of the root ball. Structural roots mostly wrap or are deflected on the root ball interior.



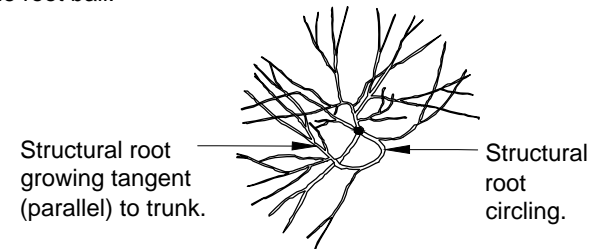
Structural roots descend into root ball interior. No structural roots are horizontal and reach the root ball periphery near the top of the root ball.



Structural roots circle and do not radiate from the trunk.



Structural roots primarily grow to one side.



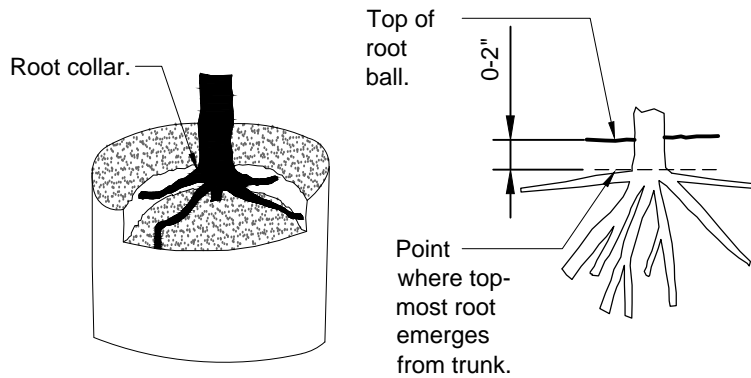
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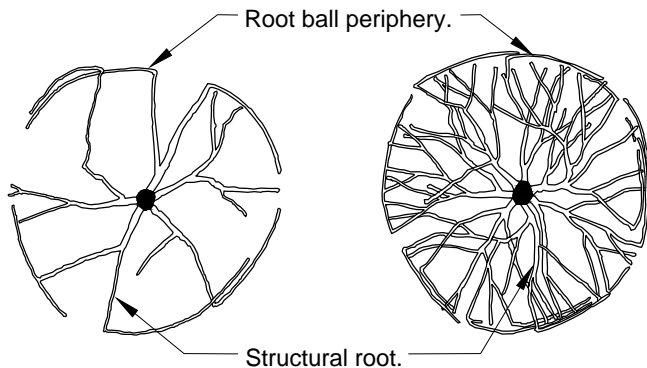
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2- See specifications for observation process and requirements.

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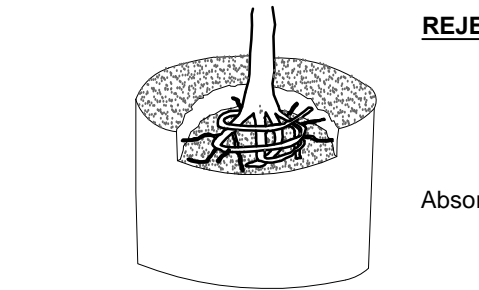


The point where top-most root(s) emerges from the trunk (root collar) should be within the top 2" of substrate. The root collar and the root ball interior should be free of defects including circling, kinked, ascending, and stem girdling roots. Structural roots shall reach the periphery near the top of the root ball.

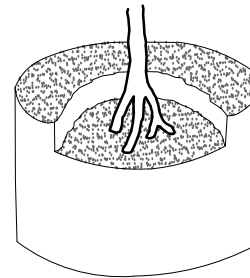


Roots radiate from trunk and reach side of root ball without deflecting down or around.

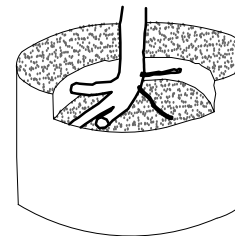
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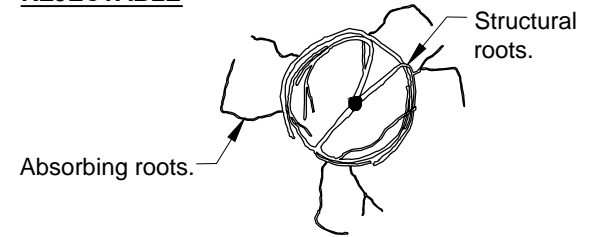
Structural roots circle interior of root ball. No structural roots are horizontal and reach the root ball periphery near the top of the root ball.



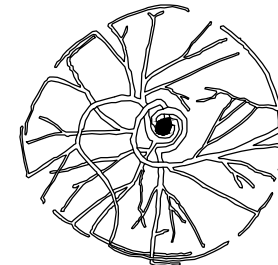
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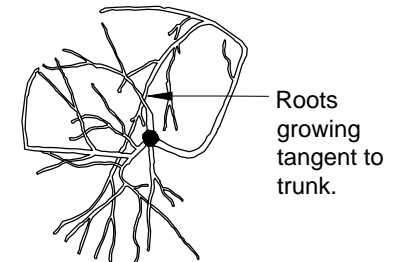
Structural roots primarily grow to one side.



Only absorbing roots reach the periphery near the top of the root ball. Structural roots mostly wrap or are deflected on the root ball interior.



Structural roots circle and do not radiate from the trunk.



Structural roots missing from one side, and/or grow tangent to trunk.

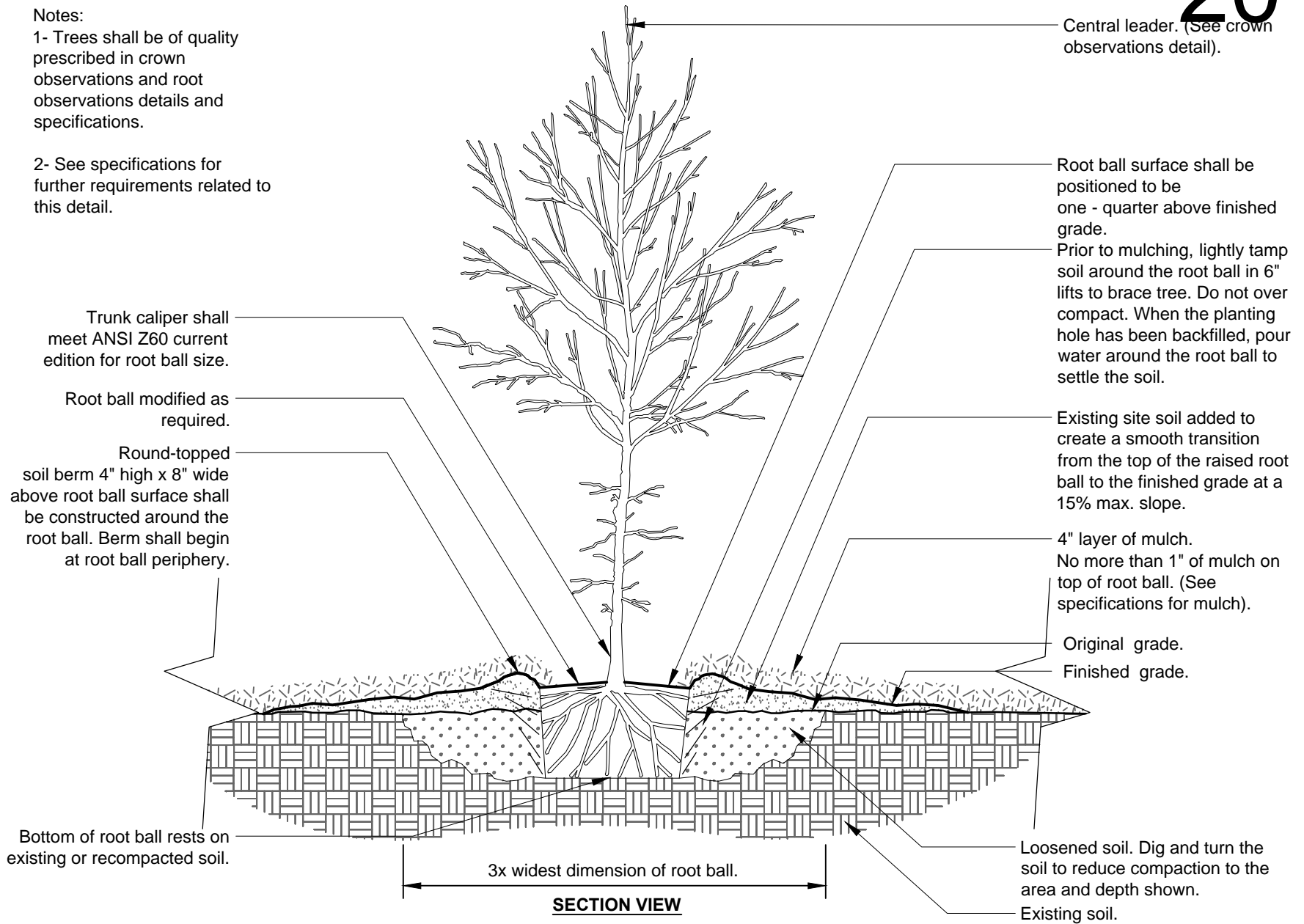
### Notes:

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- 2- Small roots ( $\frac{1}{4}$ " or less) that grow around, up, or down the root ball periphery are considered a normal condition in container production and are acceptable however they should be eliminated at the time of planting. Roots on the periphery can be removed at the time of planting. (See root ball shaving container detail).
- 3- See specifications for observation process and requirements.

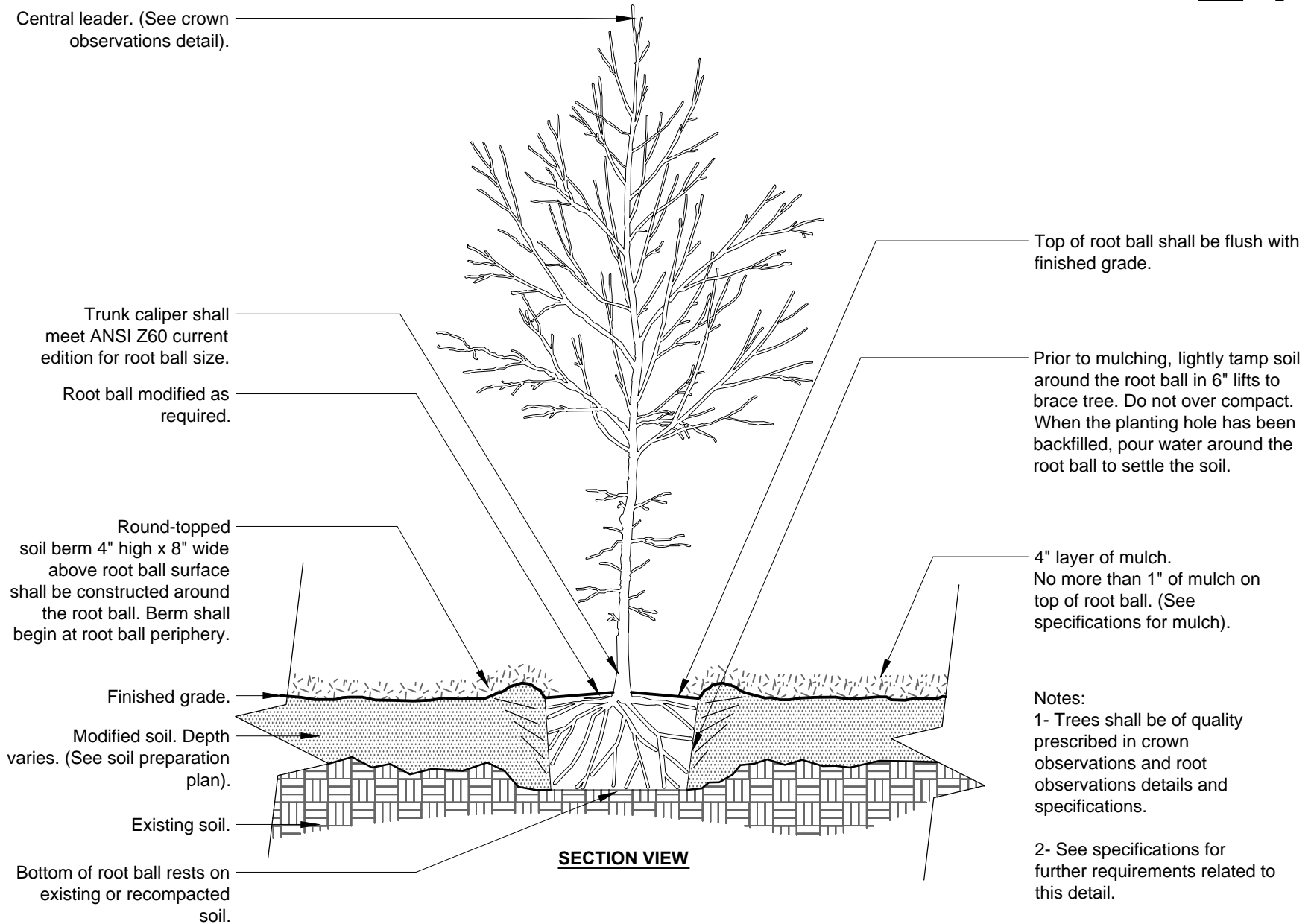
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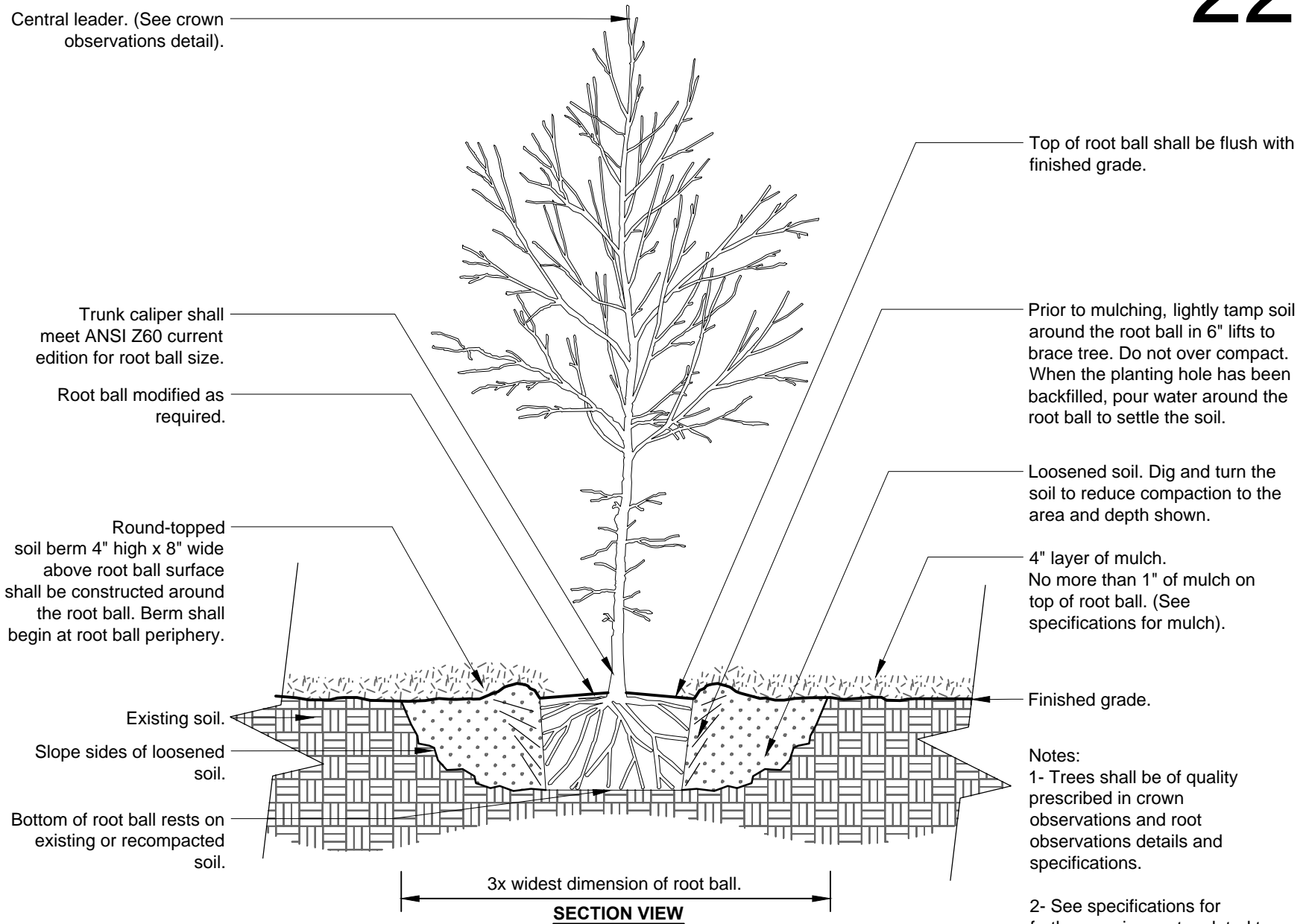


**TREE IN POORLY DRAINED SOIL**



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## TREE w/ BERM (EXISTING SOIL MODIFIED)



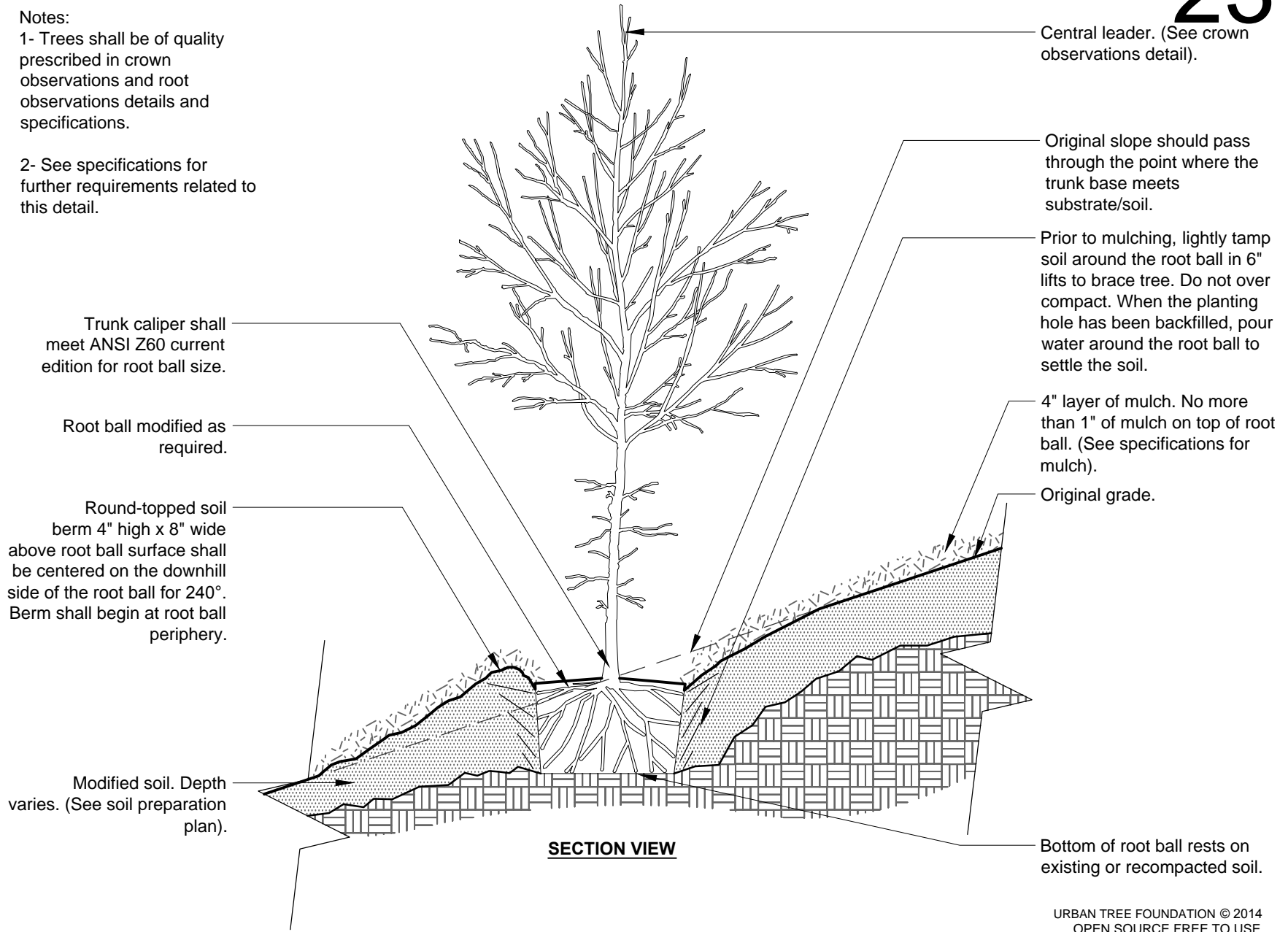
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**TREE w/ BERM (EXISTING SOIL NOT MODIFIED)**

Notes:

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**TREE ON SLOPE 5% (20:1) TO 50% (2:1) (EXISTING SOIL MODIFIED)**

Notes:

1- Trees shall be of quality prescribed in crown observations and root observations details and specifications.

2- See specifications for further requirements related to this detail.

Trunk caliper shall meet ANSI Z60 current edition for root ball size.

Root ball modified as required.

Round-topped soil berm 4" high x 8" wide above root ball surface shall be centered on the downhill side of the root ball for 240°. Berm shall begin at root ball periphery.

4" layer of mulch. No more than 1" of mulch on top of root ball. (See specifications for mulch).

Existing soil.

3x widest dimension of root ball

**SECTION VIEW**

Central leader. (See crown observations detail).

Original slope should pass through the point where the trunk base meets substrate/soil.

Prior to mulching, lightly tamp soil around the root ball in 6" lifts to brace tree. Do not over compact. When the planting hole has been backfilled, pour water around the root ball to settle the soil.

Loosened soil. Dig and turn the soil to reduce the compaction to the area and depth shown.

Slope sides of loosened soil.

Original grade.

Bottom of root ball rests on existing or recompacted soil.

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## TREE ON SLOPE 5% (20:1) TO 50% (2:1) - UNMODIFIED SOIL



