



Landscape Certification

Forest Conservation Branch
Site Development and Inspections Division
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This form must be filled out by the property owner/representative and landscape contractor no more than 30 days before the Forest Conservation Branch (FCON) final bond release inspection.

LANDSCAPE INSPECTOR(S): _____

PROJECT MANAGER: _____

PROJECT ADDRESS: _____

This letter certifies all plant material for _____ Plan Name/Plan Number _____ is installed per the approved site plan and a professional landscape contractor examined and assessed all plantings on _____ Today's Date _____ to ensure they still conform to the approved site plan. **(DATE MUST BE WITHIN 30 DAYS OF INSPECTION DATE TO ENSURE PLANT CONDITION AT TIME OF FCON FINAL LANDSCAPE INSPECTION).**

PLEASE NOTE: IF THE BELOW ITEMS ARE NOT COMPLETED, THE LANDSCAPE INSPECTION WILL BE CANCELED IMMEDIATELY.

Please initial completed items.

- _____ Mulch bed is 2-4 inches deep. Near, but not touching, the trunk (Figures 1 & 2) per ANSI A300.6. PFM 12.0505.5F2
- _____ Plantings are established at the correct depth and width—root flare is exposed (Figures 1 & 2) per ANSI A300.6. PFM 12.03104E
- _____ Burlap and at least 1/2 of the wire basket are removed (if used) per ANSI A300.6 (Figure 1). PFM 12.0505.3
- _____ All plantings are ALIVE and in good condition per ANSI Z60.1. Replace any dead or dying. PFM 12.05051D
- _____ All plantings are the same SPECIES and SIZE (per ANSI Z60.1) as noted on the approved site plan. Substitutions can be made through the proper procedure with FCON. PFM 12.0505.1A
- _____ Staking (per ANSI A300.6), if necessary, is completed with ArborTie® or equivalent. Hose & Wire will not be accepted. PFM 12.0505.3C
- _____ Pruning cuts follow ANSI A300.1. PFM 12.0506.5
- _____ Plantings are not in easements, are at least four feet from signs, and are the prescribed distances from transformer boxes. At the time of installation, if conflicts between plantings and site utilities arise, minor shifts in planting location may be acceptable upon notice to FCON. ANSI A300.7. PFM 12.0315.5

IF APPLICABLE

Soil Remediation (Fill out and attach soil test)

Organic material used (quantity and type) _____

Description of methods and procedures (including tilling depth) _____

REQUIRED

LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR/FOREMAN: Print and Sign _____

PROPERTY OWNER/OWNER REPRESENTATIVE: Print and Sign _____

Please email the completed form to the site inspector

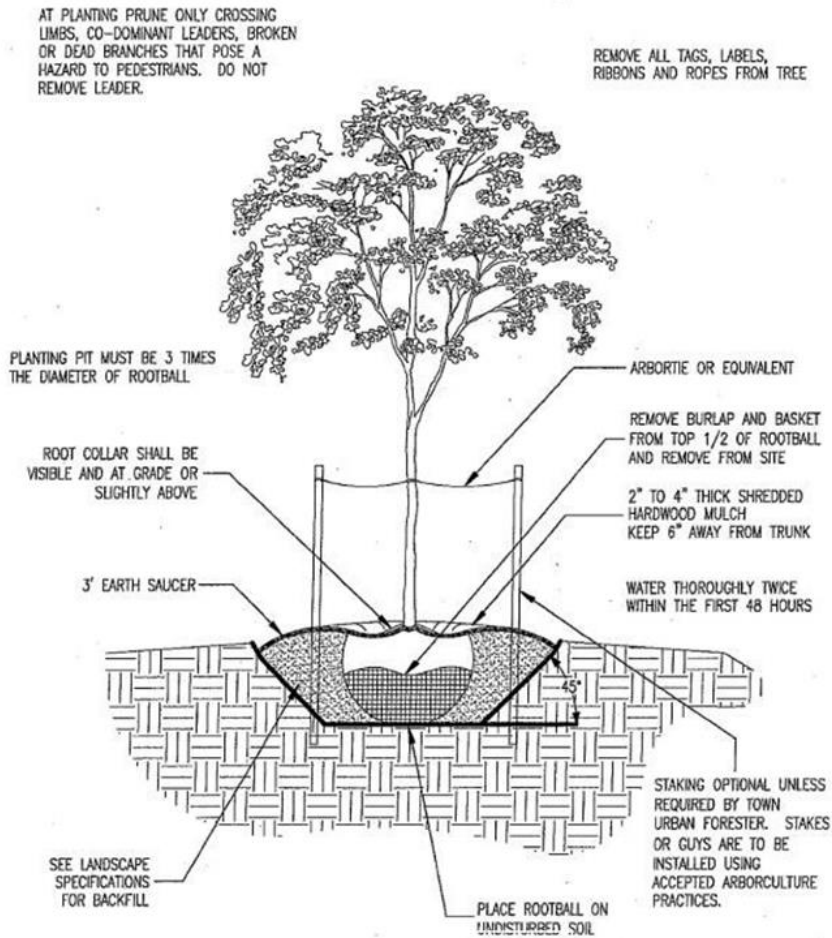


Figure 1. Proper plant installation procedure.

Not To Scale

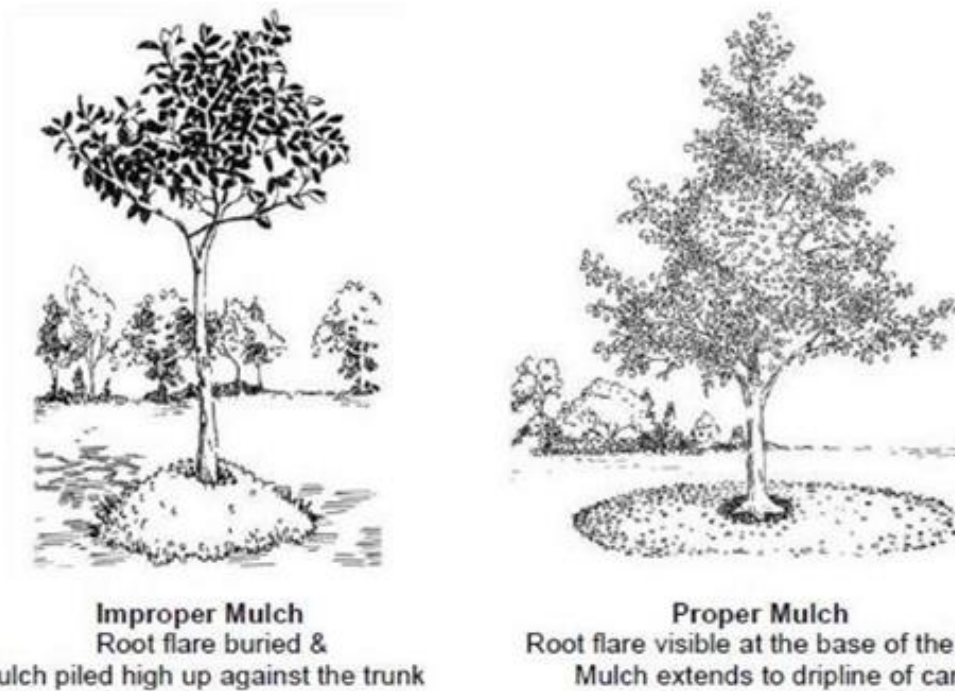


Figure 2. Graphic demonstrating correct and incorrect mulching techniques. Copyright © 2016 Treefolks.org

PLEASE REFER TO THE APPROVED SITE PLAN FOR ADDITIONAL LANDSCAPE REQUIREMENTS