

Planting Notes: Cultivation, Planting, Mulching

1. All planting beds to be weeded by hand prior to any work commencing.
2. All arising removed to tip.
3. All areas shall be kept weed free
4. All planting areas to be stone picked prior to commencement of planting with stone and other inorganic items larger than 20mm removed to tip
5. No residual herbicide to be used on planting areas as at any time
6. No ground works to be carried out while temperature is below 0 degrees or when ground is waterlogged
7. Planting area to be cultivated with a layer of soil improver together with bonemeal applied at 4ozsq yard or equivalent
8. All container grown plants to be planted within two days of arrival. If this is not possible, plants to be temporarily stored upright in a sheltered position away from drying winds and frost pockets with all plants being kept well irrigated
9. Container grown plants to be well watered prior to planting
10. All plants to be removed from pots and firmed in just below the finished soil height
11. All plants to be kept well irrigated after planting until the project is signed of by designer/client
12. All rootball trees to be planted within two days of arrival. Where this is not possible, plants to temporarily stored upright in a sheltered position away from drying winds and frost pockets with all plants being kept well irrigated during times of storage
13. No flora is to be planted whilst ground is frozen or when ground is waterlogged or excessively wet
14. Rootballed trees to be planted in a planting hole dug deep enough to accommodate the rootball. Tree to be placed into the planting hole complete with wire netting cut and peeled away from the top of the rootball prior to backfilling the planting hole. Planting hole to be backfilled and soil firmed to finish height covering the top of rootball @50mm and of the surrounding soil level
15. All areas to be mulched with woodchip grade 5-40mm to a 50mm depth, unless otherwise
16. Tree Pit Accessories - Perforated watering pipe to be supplied and fixed to each tree size appropriate to be fitted in accordance to the manufacturers instructions
17. Tree planting in these areas will need a tree pit for each tree to provide a planting hole x2 diameter of the rootball
18. Tree staking all standard trees with double short stakes, feathered trees with low single stake. Stakes to be first grade pressure impregnated round timber with chamfered tops. Position stake close to tree on windward side and drive vertically at least 300mm into bottom of pit before planting.
19. Backfilling: consolidate material around stake
20. Height of stakes: cut to approximately one third of the tree height above ground level. Ties: Hessian. Tying: secure tree firmly but not rigidly to stake with at least 2 ties within 25mm of top of stake
21. Tree locations may be relocated due to services/easements

Soil and Trees

22. Stockpiling of soil shall be avoided whenever possible to minimise loss of physical quality, diffusion of oxygen and biological activity
23. Tree rooting depth shall normally be 900mm. This will comprise of both topsoil and subsoil, the depth of topsoil spread shall not normally exceed 300mm.
24. Suitable (loosened) subsoil shall provide the remainder of the minimum rooting depth
25. Tree planting pit minimum soil volume to be no less than 9m3

Implementation

26. Planting and Ecology works will be carried out in the next available planting season after completion of the construction works



- 7no. Sorbus torminalis / Standard / RB / 8-10cm
- 16no. Acer campestre 'Huibers Elegant' / Standard / RB / 8-10cm
- 7no. Amelanchier 'Robin Hill' / Standard / RB / 8-10cm
- 11no. Alnus glutinosa / Standard / RB / 8-10cm girth
- 15no. Acer x freemanii 'Armstrong Two' / RB / 8-10cm
- 9no. Sorbus aucuparia / RB / 8-10cm
- 3no. Acer campestre 'Elsrijk' / standard / RB / 8-10cm
- exisiting trees

- Native Tree and Shrub screening boundary
Br / h600 - 900 mm
Trees planted in grps of 3 @ 3mtr centres.
Quercus robur grps of 3
Shrubs Planted in grps of 3 @ 1.5 centres
24no. Prunus padus Br
21no. Alnus glutinosa Br
24no. Acer campestre Br
18no. Betula pubescens Br
18no. Betula pendula Br
21no. Salix viminalis Br
15no. Quercus robur Br
24no. Corylus avellana Br
42no. Cornus sanguinea Br
30no. Crataeus monogyna Br
30no. Prunus spinosa Br
36no. Euonymus europaeus Br
28no. Viburnum lantana Br

- 900no. Cornus sanguinea Midwinter Fire / Br / h600-900mm / @even cntr
- 40no. Cornus sericea 'Flaviramea' / Br / h600-900mm / @ even cntr
- 810no. Lonicera nitida / Br / h3-400mm / @ even cntr
- 460no. Rosa rugosa Rubra / Br / h4-600mm / @ even cntr
- 106no. Luzula nivea / 2ltr / 6 - 900mm / @even cntr
- 100no. Punus otto luyken / Br / 3-400mm / @even cntr

- 2740no. Mixed native hedge / Br / h 6-900mm / staggered double row with 380mm between rows and 450mm between plants
50% Crataegus monogyna
10% Prunus spinosa
10% Rosa canina
10% Acer campestre
10% Corylus avellana
10% Prunus padus

- 294m2 Naturescape N7 Wet Meadow mix
- 1200m2 Naturescape N11 Meadow Mix

- GreenBlue Rootsafe barrier -
Barrier depth to safeguard Water treatment from tree root incursion

- 600x600cm Paving for pedestrian access to car boot

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