



Central Leader-prune for central leader.

Any Tree Tags or ribbons on tree are to be removed.

Broken Branches are removed.

Guying consists of straps of 2" X 1/16" vinyl. Space Straps several inches apart where possible. Do not over tighten the tree should be able to move slightly.

6ft wooden stakes are parallel to the trunk and installed outside the root ball

Bud/Graft Union - use to locate the root flare on balled and burlapped trees. Estimate root flare at six inches below the bud/graft union.

Mulch is placed over soil 4 inches thick. No deeper than one inch deep next to the trunk and dished away.

Root Flare must be exposed and slightly above the finished grade. No fill should be placed on top of the root ball.

Water thoroughly!

Flare the Planting Hole edges in all soils.

Glazed Soil on side of planting hole is broken up.

Burlap remove as much burlap as possible and dispose of properly

Planting Base under root ball soil should be undisturbed. If the hole is too deep, compact fill beneath the tree.

The top half of the Wire Basket is removed and the remaining points are folded down. Remove the entire wire basket if possible.

## STANDARD TREE PLANTING DETAIL

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FIGURE 23