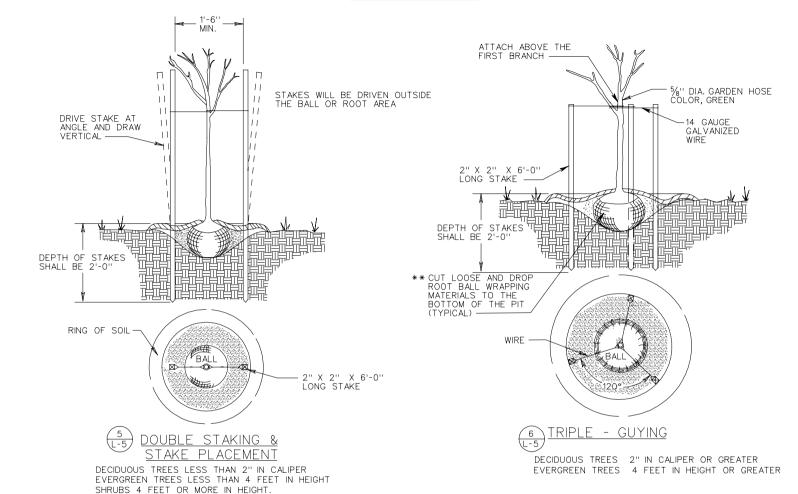
STAKING, GUYING



GENERAL NOTES

- 1. ALL DECIDUOUS TREES OVER 4 FT. IN HEIGHT AND ALL EVERGREEN TREES OVER 4 FT. IN HEIGHT OR TALLER SHALL BE STAKED AND GUYED WITH 3 STAKES AS SHOWN.
- 2. MULTIPLE STEMMED DECIDUOUS TREES 4 FT. IN HEIGHT SHALL BE STAKED WITH 3 STAKES IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO STABILIZE 3 MAINSTEMS.
- 3. THE WOOD STAKES SHALL BE 2"X2"X6'-0" LONG DRESSED HARDWOOD AND DECAY RESISTANT.

THE WIRE TIES SHALL BE 14 GAUGE GALVANIZED WIRE, AND BE PROVIDED WITH A ONE FOOT PIECE OF GREEN RUBBER HOSE PLACED TO PREVENT INJURY TO THE BARK. THERE SHOULD BE A 1" - 3" SWAY IN THE TREE (THE WIRES SHOULD NOT BE PULLED TIGHT) FOR BEST ESTABLISHMENT. OTHER ANCHORING METHODS AND MATERIALS MAY BE APPROVED FOR USE BY THE ENGINEER.

** REMOVAL OF BINDING MATERIALS FROM TRUNKS AND STEMS, AND METAL CAGES FROM ROOT BALLS SHALL CONFORMTO THE CURRENT ROAD & BRIDGE SPECS.

SPECIFICATION REFERENCE
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PLANTING DETAILS

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