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TITLE: Soft Landscape Scheme

AT: Land at The Bungalow, Hilcrest Road, Rochdale, OL11 2QB

Tree planting

Species	Ref	Form	Girth (cm) root condition	No reqd
Sorbus Asplenifolia	SA	heavy std	12-14	3

Tree planting specification, aftercare & maintenance

1. Trees to be planted in tree pits 600 x 600 x 600mm with incorporation of irrigation tube. The back fill shall include 3 litres peat free tree & shrub compost.
2. "Enmag" slow release fertilizer to be added to pits.
3. Trees to be staked with min 8cm diam. peeled round softwood stake. Top of stake to finish approx 1.7m above ground. Stake to be driven beneath base of pit until stable.
4. Trees to be fastened with a single tie and rubber spacer.
5. 10 litres of water to added to tree pits on a weekly basis in dry weather during the months of May to August for a period of 2 years post planting
6. Adjust tree ties in years 2, 3 and 4 and remove in year 5.
7. Trees that fail or become diseased within 5 years of planting shall be replaced.
8. 1.0m in diameter around each tree to mulched to 75mm depth with coarse forest bark mulch and maintained weed free.
9. Final position of trees subject to confirmation of service location and approval of statutory undertakers

Shrub planting

Species	Ref	Plant height (cm)	Root condition/pot size	No. reqd
Vinca minor Illumination	VM	15-20	2L container	36
Cotoneaster Repens	CR	30-40	2L container	27
Skimmia Rubella	SR	20-30	2L container	52
Lavandula Munstead	LM	15-20	2L container	27

Shrub planting specification, aftercare & maintenance

1. Cultivate planting bed and keep free from weed and grass growth for 5 year period post planting.
2. Finished beds to be lightly forked over and dressed using 75mm depth of coarse forest bark mulch or covered with Terram "Weed Guard" geotextile membrane with minimum 100mm depth of Cotswold chippings (20 mm).
3. Planting bed to be watered on a weekly basis in dry weather during the months of May to August for a period of 2 years post planting.

Amendments;

