

15. OWNER (CONTRACTOR) SHALL EMPLOY QUALIFIED SOILS TESTING LABORATORY TO INSPECT EARTHWORK OPERATIONS. NOTIFY LABORATORY PRIOR TO PERFORMING EARTHWORK OPERATIONS.

## TELEPHONE, FIBER OPTIC, CABLE, AND GAS LINE SERVICES

b. THE TREE PIT SHALL BE BACKFILLED WITH A SOIL MIXTURE AS PER SPECIFICATIONS. THE PIT SHALL BE FILLED HALFWAY INITIALLY AND TAMPED FIRMLY. ALL ROPES, WIRES, ETC. ON THE ROOTBALL SHALL BE CUT AND THE BURLAP OR BALL WRAP PULLED BACK TO THE EDGE OF THE ROOTBALL. COMPLETE BACKFILLING PLANT PIT AND TAMP FIRMLY. BACKFILL SOIL SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN 10% OF ROOTBALL WEIGHT AND SAUCED WITH MINIMUM OF 3 INCHES SHREDDED OR CHIPPED HARDWOOD OR PINE MULCH. WATER THOROUGHLY OR UNTIL PLANT PIT IS FILLED.

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