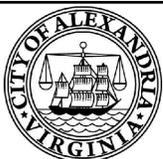


NOTES

1. ROOT PRUNING SHALL BE DONE WITH TRENCHER OR VIBRATORY PLOW TO DEPTH OF 18". ROOTS OVER 1.5" IN DIAMETER SHALL HAVE A CLEAN CUT MADE BY A CLEAN SAW ON THE SURFACE OF THE ROOT, WHICH IS STILL ATTACHED TO THE TREE. DO NOT BREAK OR CHOP. DO NOT PAINT THE CUT ROOT END. IF EXCAVATION IS FOR INSTALLATION OF UNDERGROUND UTILITIES, LEAVE THE ROOT INTACT AND THREAD THE LINES UNDERNEATH.
2. ROOT PRUNING SHALL TAKE PLACE PRIOR TO ANY CLEARING AND GRADING. EXACT LOCATION OF TREE PROTECTION AREAS SHALL BE STAKED OR FLAGGED PRIOR TO TRENCHING AND SHALL BE APPROVED BY CITY STAFF.
3. ROOT PRUNING SHALL BE CONDUCTED WITH THE SUPERVISION OF AN ISA CERTIFIED ARBORIST. CERTIFICATION SHALL BE PROVIDED TO THE CITY UPON COMPLETION.
4. BACKFILL THE ROOT-PRUNING TRENCH WITH APPROVED LOOSE TOPSOIL MIX AND TOP WITH 3-4" BARK MULCH AND MARK LOCATION FOR FUTURE REFERENCE. SILT FENCE MAY BE INSTALLED IN TRENCH PRIOR TO BACKFILLING AS LONG AS THE TRENCH IS NOT OPEN FOR LONGER THAN 48 HOURS WITHOUT WATERING.
5. ROOT PRUNING WORK SHALL NOT BE DONE WHEN MORE THAN THE TOP 1 INCH OF SOIL IS FROZEN. ROOT PRUNING SHALL NOT BE UNDERTAKEN WHEN THE SOIL IS WET AND CONDITIONS ARE MUDDY.
6. CITY OF ALEXANDRIA STAFF SHALL BE NOTIFIED 72 HOURS PRIOR TO TRENCHING AND WHEN ALL ROOT PRUNING AND TREE PROTECTION FENCE INSTALLATION IS COMPLETE.

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