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LANDSCAPE DRAWING INDEX



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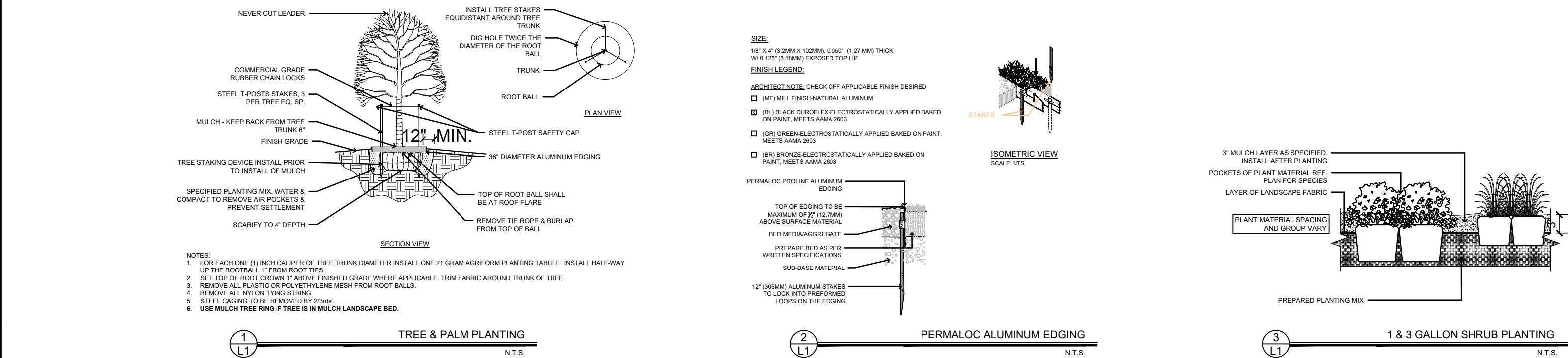
SHEET TITLE:
LANDSCAPE PLAN

These Drawings and Specifications are to be as instrument of service and shall remain the property of the Landscape Architect. They are not to be used on any other projects or extensions to this project except by agreement in writing with the Landscape Architect. The Landscape Architect is not responsible for construction means, methods, sequences or procedures or for safety, hazardous and programs in connection with the project.

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- GENERAL NOTES:

1. SEE CIVIL, MEP AND ARCHITECTURAL SHEETS FOR ALL CIVIL, MEP AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPROVEMENTS
2. THE LOCATION OF ALL TREES, BOULDERS, SHRUBS AND EDGING SHALL BE STAKED OR MARKED IN THE FIELD BY THE CONTRACTOR FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT APPROVAL PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.
3. SOD ENTIRE PROJECT LIMITS AND ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES. DO NOT SOD LANDSCAPE BEDS OR IMPERVIOUS SURFACES.
4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE 12" OF EXISTING SOIL IN ALL LANDSCAPE BEDS AND REPLACE WITH 9" OF PLANTING MIX AND 3" OF MULCH.
5. ALL DIRECTIONAL SIGNAGE TO BE PLACED INSIDE LANDSCAPE BEDS. SEE ARCHITECTURAL SHEETS FOR SIGNAGE.
6. ALL EXISTING AND PROPOSED UTILITIES ARE SHOWN SCHEMATICALLY AND ARE FOR THE CONTRACTORS REFERENCE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE LOCATION, SIZE AND DEPTH OF ALL UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK.
7. IF ANY FIELD CONDITIONS VARY FROM THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT IN WRITING UPON DISCOVERY.
8. MAINTAIN A POSITIVE SLOPE AWAY FROM THE BUILDING FOUNDATION.
9. THE QUANTITIES INDICATED ON THE LANDSCAPE MATERIAL SCHEDULE & PLAN ARE PROVIDED FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS OWN QUANTITY CALCULATIONS AND THE LIABILITY WHICH PERTAINS TO THESE QUANTITIES AND TO ANY RELATED CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND/ OR PRICE QUOTATIONS. QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT.
10. ALL IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED TO COMPLY WITH THE TEXAS ACCESSIBILITY STANDARDS AND THE ARCHITECTURAL BARRIERS ACT OF 1968.
11. ALL PRESERVED TREES SHALL BE TRIMMED BY A CERTIFIED ARBORIST UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT. THIS SHALL BE DONE ONCE CONTRACTOR MOBILIZES AND BEFORE TREE PROTECTIONS ARE PUT INTO PLACE. MAINTAIN MINIMUM 14'-17" OVERHEAD CLEARANCE FOR EMERGENCY VEHICLES. NO MORE THAN 25% OF ANY TREE CANOPY CAN BE REMOVED.
12. IT IS THE CLIENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO SUBMIT AND OBTAIN THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL FROM THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY THAT HAS JURISDICTION OVER THE LANDSCAPE AND IRRIGATION IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS SET OF DRAWINGS.

CITY OF PHARR LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE COMPLIANCE WORKSHEET

DEVELOPMENT AREA	17,955	SF
IMPERVIOUS AREA	11,706	SF
LANDSCAPE AREA	6,249	SF
NUMBER OF PARKING STALLS	11	PARKING STALLS

ZONING DISTRICT	NON-RESIDENTIAL ~ HEAVY COMMERCIAL	
REQUIRED % LOT LANDSCAPE	35	%
PROPOSED % LOT LANDSCAPE	35	%
MINIMUM % TREE CANOPY	35	%
PROPOSED % TREE CANOPY	39	%

PRIMARY LANDSCAPE CALCULATION-

IMPERVIOUS COVERAGE=		11,706 SF	
11,706 SF X 35% =	4,097 / 600 =	7 UNITS	
7 UNITS X 2 TREE =	14 TREES REQUIRED.	PROPOSED TREES =	14 TREES
7 UNITS X 4 SHRUBS =	28 SHRUBS REQUIRED.	SHRUBS PROPOSED	30 SHRUBS

TREE CANOPY CALCULATION

TOTAL LOT AREA = 17,955 SF X 35%= 6,285 SF OF TREE CANOPY REQUIRED

CRAPE MYRTLE	79	CANOPY SF X	5	QTY =	395	TOTAL CANOPY SF
TEXAS PERSIMMON	79	CANOPY SF X	4	QTY =	316	TOTAL CANOPY SF
LIVE OAK -	1256	CANOPY SF X	1	QTY =	1,256	TOTAL CANOPY SF
MONTERREY OAK	1256	CANOPY SF X	4	QTY =	5,024	TOTAL CANOPY SF

PROPOSED TREE CANOPY SF GRAND TOTAL

6,991 SF OF TREE CANOPY PROPOSED (ALL TREES 2" CALIPER)

W SHARM DR. STREET TREE CALCULATIONS (OVERLAPS WITH PRIMARY LANDSCAPE AND TREE CANOPY REQ.)-

LF OF STREET FRONTAGE-	105	LF/	50	=	3 TREES	
GRAND TOTAL OF STREET TREES				=	3 TREES REQUIRED.	3 TREES PROPOSED

PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE CALCULATION (OVERLAPS WITH PRIMARY LANDSCAPE AND TREE CANOPY REQ.)-

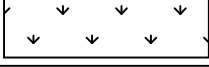
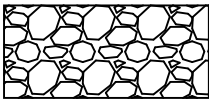

24% OF THE PARKING IS LOCATED BETWEEN BUILDING AND W. SHARM DR. = 13 SF OF LANDSCAPE PER STALL

13	SF PER PARKING STALL	X	11	PARKING STALLS =	143	/	600	=	1	UNITS
1	UNITS X 2 TREES =	2	TREES REQUIRED	2	TREES PROPOSED					
1	UNITS X 4 SHRUBS =	4	SHRUBS REQUIRED	30	SHRUBS PROPOSED					

ALL PARKING STALLS WITHIN 60' OF A TREE TRUNK

ALL PARKING SCREENED WITH 36' HEIGHT PLANTS IN A 3' WIDE BED WITH LANDSCAPE EDGING NEEDED

NO MORE THAN 25% OF ANY REQUIRED TREE IS OF THE SAME SPECIES

LANDSCAPE MATERIAL SCHEDULE				
CODE	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	APPROXIMATE QTY.	COMMENTS
Txp	DIOSPYROS TEXANA	TEXAS PERSIMMON	4	2" CAL., B&B, 6' HT.
Cm	LAGERSTROMIEIA INDICA 'BASHAM PARTY PINK'	BASHAM PARTY PINK CRAPE MYRTLE	5	2" CAL., 30 GALLON, 10' HT., MULTI-STEM
Ts	LEUCOPHYLLUM FRUTESCENS 'GREEN CLOUD'	GREEN CLOUD TEXAS SAGE	30	1 GALLON
MON	QUERCUS POLYMORPHA	MONTERREY OAK	4	2" CAL., 45 GALLON, 10' HT
LO	QUERCUS VIRGINIANA	SOUTHERN LIVE OAK	1	2" CAL., 45 GALLON, 10' HT
SYMBOL	ITEM	TYPE	APPROXIMATE QTY.	COMMENTS
	HYDROMULCH	COMMON BERMUDA	5,662 SF	
	STONE MULCH	WASHED GRAVEL	439 SF (INCLUDES TREE RINGS)	1" - 2", 4" LAYER INSTALLED ON A LAYER OF DEWITT PRO NON-WOVEN LANDSCAPE FABRIC.
	WOOD MULCH	PREMIUM CYPRESS	218 SF	3" LAYER INSTALLED WITH A LAYER OF LANDSCAPE FABRIC
	LANDSCAPE BED EDGING	ALUMINUM	262 LF (INCLUDES TREE RINGS)	4" ALUMINUM, BLACK FINISH EDGING
ALL LANDSCAPE MATERIAL SHALL BE APPROVED PRIOR TO DELIVERY TO THE SITE, AND SHALL BE MATCHING IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT APPROVED SIZE, SHAPE, AND QUALITY.				

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor shall submit manufacturer's specifications for fertilizers, soil amendments and seed mixtures/percentages. Also include sod inspection certificates from the Texas Department of Agriculture and one sod delivery ticket per truckload. Sod delivery tickets shall indicate sod species, nursery certification and the date and time of cutting.
- B. The submittal shall include the manufacturer's name, model number, and manufacturer's installation recommendation, if applicable, for each proposed item.
- C. No partial submittal will be accepted and submittals shall be neatly bound into a brochure and logically organized. After the submittal has been approved, substitutions will not be allowed except by written consent of the Landscape Architect.
- D. Approval of the submittals are required prior to delivery of any materials to the job site.
- E. Shop drawings shall include dimensions, elevations, construction details, arrangements, and capacity of equipment, as well as manufacturer's installation recommendations.

1.5 APPROVAL OF PLANT MATERIAL

- A. All plant material shall be approved by the Landscape Architect prior to installation. At no time shall any approval impair the right of further inspection and rejection during the progress of the work or contract life for failure to conform to the listed size and condition requirements or latent defects, diseases or injuries. Rejected plant materials shall be promptly removed from the site by the Contractor.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Topsoil shall be in accordance to Section 329300.
- B. Sod shall be premium #1 certified sod, grown in a sod nursery on clayey soil, at least one year old, with a heavy top, strong well-knit root system and free of weeds and disease. Refer to drawings for type of sod required.
- C. Seed shall be fresh, clean, new crop seed. Apply uniformly at the following rates for type of seed and planting date:

TYPE	APPLICATION RATE POUND S/AC	SEEDING DATE
HULLED COMMON BERMUDA GRASS 98 / 88 UNHULLED COMMON BERMUDA GRASS 98 / 88	40 40	JANUARY 1 TO MARCH 31
HULLED COMMON BERMUDA GRASS 98 / 88	40	APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30
HULLED COMMON BERMUDA GRASS 98 / 88 UNHULLED COMMON BERMUDA GRASS 98 / 88 ANNUAL RYE GRASS (GULF)	40 40 30	OCTOBER 1 TO DECEMBER 31

- D. Fertilizer shall be water soluble with an analysis of 12 percent Nitrogen, 4 percent Phosphoric Acid and 8 percent Potash. The fertilizer shall be delivered to the site in fully labeled containers. Fertilizer shall be kept dry prior to being used.
- E. Mulch shall be virgin wood cellulose fiber made from whole wood chips. Within the fiber mulch material, at least 20 percent of the fibers will be 10.7 mm in length and .27 mm in diameter. Rate of application shall be 2000 pounds per acre. Mulch shall have a non-toxic green dye to guide in application. Hay or straw shall not be used.
- F. Tackifier shall be equal to Terra Tack. The tackifier shall be applied at a rate of 40 pounds per acre. Terra Type III, or approved equal, shall be used on slopes exceeding 10% and Terra Type I, or approved equal, shall be used in all other areas.
- G. Wetting agent shall be potable water.
- H. Herbicide shall have an active ingredient of 41% glyphosate. The Contractor shall follow all manufacturer's warnings and application instructions.

PART 3 - INSTALLATION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine the areas and conditions under which work of this Section will be performed. Notify the Landscape Architect of unsatisfactory conditions. Correct conditions detrimental to the proper and timely completion of the work. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected and the Landscape Architect has provided written acceptance. Beginning work indicates acceptance of the site as satisfactory by the installer.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Site Preparation: Compacted or unsuitable soils and sub-soils from construction activities must be ripped and tilled until a loose, friable and free-draining condition is met. All existing weeds, grass, stabilized sub-base material, rubble, excavated soil and other material shall be removed from the site and disposed of by the contractor prior to starting any new landscape work. All stones over one (1) inch in any dimension in the top two (2) inches of soil shall be removed. Soil conditions around entire site must be approved by the Landscape Architect prior to rough and finish grading operations. The Contractor shall not install any fill or topsoil in turf areas prior to site condition approval by the Landscape Architect.
- B. Turf Area Preparation: Grade areas to finish grades, filling as needed or removing surplus material. Float all turf areas to a smooth, uniform grade as indicated in the Contract Documents. Add compost and incorporate as stated on Plans. All turf areas shall slope to drain away from structures and planting beds. Areas where no grades are shown shall have a smooth and continual grade between fixed elements and elevations shown. The Contractor shall ensure proper drainage around all structures and adjust grades as necessary or as directed by the Landscape Architect. Lightly compact all turf areas with weighted roller to assure future settling will not occur.
- C. Turf Areas and Herbicide Application: All turf areas shall be free of weeds, grass, insects, or any other deleterious material prior to bed preparation. Contractor shall herbicide all turf areas at least two times prior to installation of any new material (topsoil or seed/sod). The Contractor shall wait seven (7) days from last herbicide application before proceeding with hydromulch or sod material installation.

3.3 INSTALLATION - HYDROMULCH

- A. Prior to commencement of seeding operations, the Contractor shall protect all stationary items from overspray. Any overspray shall be immediately removed from any stationary object while still wet.
- B. The Contractor shall obtain approval of hydromulch area from Landscape Architect prior to application. Immediately after approval begin hydromulch application to reduce potential for erosion and excessive weed growth.
- C. Turf areas shall be seeded with an approved mechanical hydromulcher. Hydraulic equipment used for the application of fertilizer, seed and slurry of prepared wood fiber mulch shall have a built-in agitation system with an operating capacity sufficient to agitate, suspend and homogeneously mix a slurry containing up to forty (40) pounds of fiber plus a combined total of seventy (70) pounds of fertilizer solids for each 100 gallons of water. The discharge line shall be equipped with a set of hydraulic spray nozzles which provide even distribution of the slurry on the area to be seeded. The slurry tank shall have a minimum capacity of eight hundred (800) gallons. The Landscape Architect may authorize equipment with a smaller tank capacity. Apply a visibly uniform coat of slurry mixture to the prepared seed bed.
- D. Keep hydromulched areas moist during germination period. Adjust watering schedule as needed or as directed by the Landscape Architect.
- E. After first cutting water hydromulched areas twice the first week to a minimum depth of six (6) inches with a fine spray and once per week thereafter as necessary to supplement natural rain to the equivalent of one (1) inch or to a six (6) inch depth.
- F. Water for watering purposes shall be provided by the Owner at no cost to the Contractor. The Contractor shall provide equipment needed to connect to source, transport and distribute water.
- G. After germination period all areas that fail to show a uniform stand of grass shall be re-hydromulched and shall be done repeatedly until a uniform stand of grass has been been approved by the Landscape Architect.

3.4 INSTALLATION - SOD

- A. The Contractor shall obtain approval of sod area from Landscape Architect prior to installation. Immediately after approval begin sod installation to reduce potential for erosion and excessive weed growth.
- B. Always lay sod perpendicular to the slope and abut tightly together. Stagger strips of sod so that transverse joints are offset a minimum of eight (8) inches.

- C. Roll all sod with a weighted roller weighing approximately three hundred (300) lbs, to sufficiently set sod roots into underlying soil.
- D. Water the sod with an irrigation system only. Monitor the health of the sod material and adjust water needs accordingly or as directed by Landscape Architect.
- E. Sodded areas shall have fertilizer applied in two (2) applications with a thorough watering immediately following each application. The first application shall be one (1) week before the sod install at the rate of 35 pounds per 1,000 square feet harrowed into the top two (2) inches of seed bed. The second application shall be done at the rate of 25 pounds per 1,000 square feet, immediately following the second mowing.

3.5 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. The Contractor shall perform all necessary cleaning and removal of excess soil, debris, equipment, etc., during installation and upon completion of the work. The Contractor shall immediately repair any damage resulting from turf establishment operations without cost to the Owner.
- B. The Contractor shall protect turf areas from damage, theft, erosion, washout, settlement or other causes until final acceptance. The above damages shall be repaired by the Contractor at no cost to the Owner.

PART 4 - METHOD OF MEASUREMENT

MEASUREMENT:

Turfgrass as described in this section will be paid for on a lump sum basis wherein no measurement will be made.

PART 5 - BASIS OF PAYMENT

PAYMENT:

- A. Turfgrass will be paid for at the Contract lump sum, which price will be full compensation f or furnishing and installing equipment; shop drawings; providing all submittals and warranties; furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment; and incidentals necessary to complete the work as described in this section and related other sections of these Contract Documents, as well as maintenance until final acceptance.

END OF SECTION 329200.

SECTION 329300

PLANTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION OF WORK AND RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Furnish all work and materials, appliances, tools, equipment, facilities, transportation and services required and incidental thereto, as shown on the Drawings and/or specified herein including but not limited to; the procurement and transportation of living plants, the excavation and preparation of all planting beds and planting of all materials, mulching, watering, protection, maintenance guarantee period, bed edging, planting soil/mixes, fertilizer, mulch, trees, palms, shrubs, groundcovers, plant material replacements for all Contractor supplied plant materials, miscellaneous landscape materials.
- B. Related Work Specified Elsewhere:
1. Turf and Grasses: 329200
- 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE
- A. The following Codes, Regulations, Reference Standards, and Specifications apply to work included in this section:
1. "Hortus Third," 1976.
 2. Texas Association of Nurserymen, Grades and Standards for Nursery Stock
 3. "American Standard for Nursery Stock," ANSI Z60.1-1900.
 4. National Arborist Association Standards
 5. "Plants of Deep South Texas - A Field Guide to the Woody and Flowering Species"
- B. Landscape work to be performed by a single firm specializing in commercial landscape work of similar size and quality with a minimum of five (5) years experience. The Landscape Architect shall review qualifications and approve subcontractor prior to commencing work.

1.3 WARRANTY AND MAINTENANCE

- A. The Contractor shall warranty groundcover/shrubs for three months and trees/palms for one year after final acceptance. If plant material is deemed dead or unrecoverable by the Landscape Architect the Contractor will be notified in writing as such. The Contractor shall remove and replace the plant material within two weeks of the notification.
- B. The Contractor shall maintain all plant material described in this Section for ninety days after written approval of substantial completion is received from the Landscape Architect.
- C. Maintenance period work shall include the following tasks completed weekly:
1. Remove and replace dead plant material. Prune plants to remove dead wood and to maintain health of plants.
 2. Maintain all mulched areas at a 3 in. depth. Remove weeds and grass from shrub and ground cover areas and from watering basins.
 3. Provide insect and disease control to maintain health of plants.
 4. Adjust or replace staking as required.
 5. Dispose of all maintenance debris/clippings off-site. Owner's dumpsters shall not be used for disposal.
 6. Keep all paved areas clear and free of grass clippings, mulch or other foreign materials.
 7. Remove staking materials at end of maintenance period and deliver to Owner.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor shall submit manufacturer's specifications for fertilizers, soil amendments, seed mixtures/percentages; all sources for plant materials; a one foot section of edging (as specified on the Drawings); and one pound bag samples each of topsoil, mulch and compost. The submittal shall include the manufacturer's name, model number, and manufacturer's installation recommendation, if applicable, for each proposed item in accordance with Section 01300.
- B. No partial submittal will be accepted and submittals shall be neatly bound into a brochure and logically organized. After the submittal has been approved, substitutions will not be allowed except by written consent of the Landscape Architect.
- C. Approval of the submittals are required prior to delivery of any materials to the job site.
- D. Shop drawings shall include dimensions, elevations, construction details, arrangements, and capacity of equipment, as well as manufacturer's installation recommendations.

1.5 PROTECTION OF ITEMS TO REMAIN

- A. Prior to commencing work the Contractor shall furnish and install orange construction fencing as indicated on the Drawings. Fencing shall be 60" in height, continuous and staked as needed to provide a stable and secure barrier around plant material. No work under this contract may begin until this fencing is in place and approved in writing by the Landscape Architect.

- B. Trees that are to remain on site but be transplanted to a new location shall have orange construction fencing installed at the tree's dripline.

- C. No trucks, machinery, stockpiled or staged material shall be placed or driven within the drip line of any plant material unless that drip line extends over an imperviously surfaced area. The Landscape Architect will determine if plant replacement or other repair is needed to restore the affected area to pre-construction conditions at the sole cost to the Contractor.

- D. The Contractor shall adjust depth of earthwork and loaming when working immediately adjacent to any of the aforementioned features in order to prevent disturbing tree roots, undermining walks and pavements, and damage in general to any existing or newly incorporated item.

- E. Where excavating, fill or grading is required within the branch spread of trees that are to remain, the work shall be performed as follows:

1. TRENCHING: When trenching occurs around trees to remain, the tree roots shall not be cut but the trench shall be tunneled under or around the roots by careful hand digging and without injury to the roots.
2. RAISING GRADES: When the existing grade at a tree is below the new finished grade, and fill not exceeding 16 inches (16") is required, clean, washed gravel graded from one to two inches (1" - 2") in size shall be placed directly around the tree trunk. The gravel shall extend out from trunk on all sides a minimum of 18 inches (18") and finish approximately two inches (2") above the finished grade at tree. Install gravel before any earth fill is placed. New earth fill shall be left in contact with the trunks of any trees requiring fill. Where fill exceeding 16 inches (16") is required, a dry laid tree well shall be constructed around the trunk of the tree. The tree well shall extend out from the trunk on all sides a minimum of three feet (3') and to three inches (3") above finish grade. Coarse grade rock shall be placed directly around the tree well extending out to the drip line of the tree. Clean, washed gravel graded from one to two inches (1" - 2") in size shall be placed directly over the coarse rock to a depth of three inches (3"). Approved backfill material shall be placed directly over the washed gravel to desired finished grade.
3. LOWERING GRADES: Existing trees in areas where the now finished grade is to be lowered shall have regrading work done by hand to elevation as indicated. Roots as required shall be cut cleanly three inches (3") below finished grade and scars covered with tree paint.
4. Trees that are to remain that are located more than six inches (6") above proposed grades shall stand on broad rounded mounds and be graded smoothly into the lower level. Trees located more than 16 inches (16") above proposed grades shall have a retaining structure as detailed on the Drawings, constructed a minimum of five feet (5') from the trunk. Exposed or broken roots shall be cut clean and covered with topsoil.

1.6 APPROVAL OF PLANT MATERIAL

- A. All plant material shall be approved by the Landscape Architect prior to installation. At no time shall any approval impair the right of further inspection and rejection during the progress of the work or contract life for failure to conform to the listed size and condition requirements or latent defects, diseases or injuries. Rejected plant materials shall be promptly removed from the site by the Contractor.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Plant materials shall conform to the following requirements:

1. Plants shall be true to name. The standard names are those adopted by the American Joint Committee on Horticultural Nomenclature. No substitution of species or varieties shall be accepted without the written consent of the Landscape Architect.
2. Plants shall have a normal habit of growth and shall be typical of their species unless the general shape and overall character of a particular plant is specifically noted in the Plant List on the Contract Documents.
3. Plants shall be certified healthy, freshly dug, vigorous and free from defects, decay, disfiguring roots, sun scale injuries, abrasions of the bark, plant diseases insect pests, eggs, or larvae.
4. All plants shall have been grown under climatic conditions similar to those in the locality of the project for at least two (2) years and shall have normal healthy root systems, having been subjected to proper transplanting.
5. Plants shall not be pruned prior to delivery.
6. Balled and burlapped ("B & B") plants shall have firm, natural balls of soil of a diameter to conform to the above standards, but large enough to encompass sufficient fibrous feeding roots to insure full recovery and development of the plants. Plants grown in sand are not acceptable.
7. All precautions, which are customary in good nursery practice, shall be taken to insure the arrival of the plant material in good condition for successful growth. Plant material which arrives to the construction site poorly packed, with roots in a dry condition and/or leaves in a dehydrated condition will not be accepted.
8. All plants shall be freshly dug. All plants shall be typical of their species or variety and shall have a normal habit of growth unless otherwise specified. Trees shall have straight trunks and all old abrasions and cuts shall be completely calloused over.
9. Plants shall have a well-developed fibrous root system.
10. Measurement: Trees and shrubs shall be measured when their branches are in normal position. Height and spread dimensions specified refer to the main body of the plant, and not from branch or root tip to tip. Caliper of trees shall be taken 6" above tree root flare.
11. Palms: All new palms shall be field dug or containerized material in specified sizes shown on the Contract Documents. All palms shall have good form (straight trunks) consistent of its species, free of scars/abrasions/burn marks and disease and insects, with large healthy root systems. Rootballs sizes for B&B material must meet the following minimum specifications:
 - a. Sabal Palms - 12" greater than trunk O.D., 24" height
 - b. Washingtonia Palms - 8" greater than trunk O.D., 24" height
 - c. Chinese Fan, Mediterranean Fan Palms, Others - 30" diameter, 30" height

- B. Fertilizer: 13-13-13 Osmocote slow release fertilizer granules or approved equal.

- C. Planting tablets: Agriform (20-10-15) 21 gram slow release fertilizer tablets or approved equal.

- D. Compost: Premium grade compost

- E. Topsoil: Fertile, agricultural soil, typical for locality, capable of sustaining vigorous plant growth, taken from drained site; free of subsoil, clay or impurities, plants, weeds and roots; minimum pH value of 5.4 and maximum 7.0; organic matter to exceed 1.5%, magnesium to exceed 100 units; phosphorus to exceed 150 units; potassium to exceed 120 units; soluble salts/conductivity not to exceed 900 ppm/0.9 mmhos/cm in soil.

- F. Wood Mulch: Double Shredded Cedar.

- G. Staking material:

1. Commercial grade Rubber chain-locks.
2. Commercial grade T-Posts, 1.25 ga., 8' Ht., black (do not drive through rootball). Include plastic cap on all T-posts, cap color to match T-Post color.

- H. Edging:

1. 4"x36" commercial grade aluminum edging. All edging that terminates at a walkway shall have the top edge rounded.

- I. Planting Mix: 75 percent sandy-loam topsoil; 25 percent premium compost; (3:1 ratio by volume); and specified fertilizer or planting tablets. Provide a mix with a uniform texture without lumps and containing no stones, sticks, roots or other foreign material.

PART 3 - INSTALLATION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine the areas and conditions under which work of this Section will be performed. Notify the Landscape Architect of unsatisfactory conditions. Correct conditions detrimental to the proper and timely completion of the work. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected and the Landscape Architect has provided written acceptance. Beginning work indicates acceptance of the site as satisfactory by the installer.

3.2 EXECUTION

- A. Site Preparation: Compacted or unsuitable soils and sub-soils from construction activities must be ripped and tilled until a loose, friable and free-draining condition is met. All existing weeds, grass, stabilized sub-base material, rubble, excavated soil and other material shall be removed from the site and disposed of by the contractor prior to starting any new landscape work. Soil conditions around entire site must be approved by Landscape Architect prior to rough and finish grading operations. The Contractor shall not install any fill or topsoil in landscape areas prior to site condition approval by Landscape Architect.

- B. Bed Preparation and Herbicide Application: All planting areas shall be free of weeds, grass, insects, or any other deleterious material prior to bed preparation. Contractor shall herbicide all planting areas with 'RoundUp' or approved equal at least two times prior to installation of any new plants. Pre-emergent herbicide shall be applied after planting and before placement of mulch.

- C. Planting Beds Adjacent to buildings and inside parking lot landscape islands: Excavate 12" of existing soil within planting beds and replace with 8" of planting mix. Final grades within all planting beds shall be 3" below adjacent curbs to allow for mulch. Contractor to ensure positive drainage throughout all landscape areas. Adjust grades as necessary to direct water away from planting beds. Report any discrepancies on all drainage issues in writing to the Landscape Architect. The Landscape Architect shall approve planting bed grades prior to planting operations.

- D. Edging: Edging shall be installed as shown on the Drawings. Edging shall allow for drainage points to ensure free drainage away from all structures and walkways. Edging shall be set flush with adjacent paving, sidewalks or driveways.

- E. Turf Areas: Scarify, float and fine grade all areas to receive sod or hydromulch for approval by Landscape Architect prior to placement of sod or application of hydromulch. Supply additional topsoil as necessary to fill any/all low areas and ensure positive drainage away from planting beds.

- F. Berms and Mounding: Supply topsoil and construct berms as indicated on the Drawings.

- G. Berms shall have a maximum slope of 1:4. Landscape Architect to approve berming and mounding prior to planting operations. Berms shall be compacted in 6" lifts.

H. Planting Operations:

1. Installation:
 - a. Excavate planting pit to depth and width indicated on Contract Documents.
 - b. Set root ball on puddle/settled bottom of planting pit. Remove burlap, rope, wire, and all other wrapping material from top of ball. Completely remove any binding rope which is not biodegradable.
 - c. Fill planting pit 2/3 full with planting mix, soak with water and allow to settle, and add fertilizer tablets as detailed. Finish filling pit with planting mix and tamp lightly. Do not place fertilizer tablets at bottom of planting pit.
 - d. Construct a watering basin as detailed on the Drawings and described below. Water-in to completely saturate the root ball and planting mix. Add planting mix where any settling or air pockets occur and saturate with water.
 - e. Stake all trees/palms immediately after planting as detailed. Staking to be maintained throughout the maintenance period.
 - f. Palms: New Washingtonia palms shall be cleaned (skinned) completely of their leafstem bases and fibers to a height 4 feet below the crown. Sabal palms shall be planted with their leafstem bases remaining but cleaned and trimmed evenly. All palms shall be planted with several petioles or fronds tied up straight with natural twine. Remaining fronds shall be trimmed or 'hurricane cut' to lighten wind load on terminal bud. Contractor is responsible for removing or cutting the twine supporting the fronds as directed by the Landscape Architect.

- I. Watering Basins: Watering basins for all trees/palms shall be constructed in a ring shape around each tree or palm trunk. This earthen berm shall be constructed 6" in height and 36" in diameter so as to hold water and allow infiltration around root ball. A minimum of 4 inches of cypress mulch shall be placed within the watering basin. Watering basins must be maintained and kept free of weeds during the entire maintenance period. No mulch shall come in contact with the tree trunk.

J. Pruning Operations:

1. After planting, the branches of deciduous stock shall be pruned to balance the loss of roots while retaining the natural form of the plant type according to best horticultural practice.
2. Trees shall be pruned by removing all dead wood, all surplus, badly formed and interfering limbs. In general, 1/5 of the branches shall be removed but the proportion shall, in all cases, be subject to the approval of the Landscape Architect. Broken, damaged and unsymmetrical branches shall be removed or cut back to ensure healthy and symmetrical growth of new wood. In the case of multiple leaders, the one which will best promote the symmetry of the trees shall be preserved and the remainder shall be removed or cut back so that they will not compete with the selected leader. Surrounding top branches shall be cut back to conform to the leader trimming. Branches to be cut back shall be cut off at the point beyond a lateral shoot or bud a distance of not less than 1/2 the diameter of the supporting branch. The cut shall be made on an angle sloping in the direction of the lateral shoot and in no case shall stubs be left. All cut surfaces over one inch in diameter shall be painted with tree wound dressing.

- K. During excavation, material suitable for backfilling shall be stockpiled in an orderly manner a sufficient distance back from edge of trenches to avoid overloading and prevent slides or cave ins. Material unsuitable for backfilling shall be wasted as directed by the Landscape Architect. When excavated material is of a rocky nature and the topsoil or any other layer of excavated material is suitable for pipe bedding and backfill in the vicinity of the pipe, such material shall be separately stockpiled for use in such bedding and pipe backfill operations, unless satisfactory imported material is used.

- L. All excavations and backfill shall be unclassified and covered in the base bid. No additional compensation will be allowed for rock encountered.

- M. Restore all surfaces, existing underground installations, etc., damaged or cut as a result of the excavations to their original conditions in a manner acceptable to the Landscape Architect.

3.3 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. The Contractor shall perform all necessary cleaning and removal of excess soil, debris, equipment, etc., during installation and upon completion of the work. The Contractor shall immediately repair any damage resulting from planting operations without cost to the Owner.
- B. The Contractor shall protect landscape plants from damage or theft until final acceptance.

PART 4 - METHOD OF MEASUREMENT MEASUREMENT:

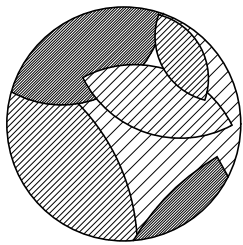
Landscape Planting as described in this section will be paid for on a lump sum basis wherein no measurement will be made.

PART 5 - BASIS OF PAYMENT

PAYMENT:

- A. Landscape Planting will be paid for at the Contract lump sum, which price will be full compensation for furnishing and installing equipment; shop drawings; providing all submittals and warranties; furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment; and incidentals necessary to complete the work as described in this section and related other sections of these Contract Documents, as well as maintenance until final acceptance.

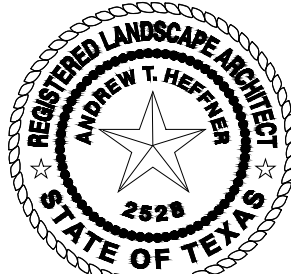
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SHEET TITLE:
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These Drawings and Specifications are to be an instrument of service and shall remain the property of the Landscape Architect. They are not to be used on other projects or extensions to this project except by agreement in writing with the Landscape Architect. The Landscape Architect is not responsible for construction means, methods, sequences or procedures or for safety precautions and programs in connection with the project.

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IRRIGATION SCHEDULE & NOTES

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SHEET NUMBER:

SYMBOL	MANUFACTURER/MODEL	QTY	ARC	PSI	GPM	RADIUS
	Hunter PROS-04 CS-530	10	CST	30	1.3	5'x30'
	Hunter PROS-04 LCS-515	2	LCS	30	0.65	5'x15'
	Hunter PROS-04 RCS-515	1	RCS	30	0.65	5'x15'
	Hunter PROS-04 04A	3	Adj	30	≤ 0.9	4'
	Hunter PROS-04 12A	15	Adj	30	≤ 2.52	12'
	Hunter PROS-04 15A	4	Adj	30	≤ 3.71	15'
	Hunter PROS-04-MSBN 20F	14	360	30	2	2'
SYMBOL	MANUFACTURER/MODEL/DESCRIPTION	QTY		PSI	GPM	RADIUS
	Hunter PGP-ADJ-LA 04 Turf Rotor, 4in. Pop-Up. Adjustable and Full Circle. Low Angle Nozzle.	12		30	1.4	22'
SYMBOL	MANUFACTURER/MODEL/DESCRIPTION	QTY				
	Hunter ICZ-101-25 1" Drip Control Zone Kit. 1in. ICV Globe Valve with 1in. HY100 filter system. Pressure Regulation: 25psi. Flow Range: 2 GPM to 20 GPM. 150 mesh stainless steel screen.	1				
	Area to Receive Dripline Rain Bird XFS-09-12 XFS Sub-Surface Pressure Compensating Dripline w/Copper Shield Technology. 0.9 GPH emitters at 12" O.C. Laterals spaced at 12" apart, with emitters offset for triangular pattern. UV Resistant. Specify XF insert fittings.	370.2 l.f.				
SYMBOL	MANUFACTURER/MODEL/DESCRIPTION	QTY				
	Hunter PGV-101G 1" 1in. Plastic Electric Remote Control Valve, for Residential/Light Commercial Use. Female NPT Inlet/Outlet. Globe Configuration, With Flow Control.	8				
	Shut Off Valve	1				
	Febco 765 3/4" Pressure Vacuum Breaker, brass with ball valve SOV. Install 12in. above highest downstream outlet and the highest point in the downstream piping.	1				
	Hunter A2C-1200-SS 12-Station controller in an outdoor stainless steel wall mount enclosure.	1				
	Hunter WSS Wireless Solar, rain freeze sensor with outdoor interface, connects to Hunter PCC, Pro-C, and I-Core Controllers, install as noted. Includes 10 year lithium battery and rubber module cover, and gutter mount bracket.	1				
	Water Meter 5/8"	1				
	Irrigation Lateral Line: PVC Class 200 SDR 21 3/4"	1,113 l.f.				
	Irrigation Lateral Line: PVC Class 200 SDR 21 1"	52.5 l.f.				
	Irrigation Mainline: PVC Schedule 40 1 1/4"	235.3 l.f.				
	Pipe Sleeve: PVC Schedule 40 4"	29.4 l.f.				

The diagram shows a valve symbol consisting of a rectangle divided into three sections. The top section contains a hash symbol (#) and a solid black circle. The bottom-left section contains a hash symbol with a double prime symbol (#'') and a solid black circle. The bottom-right section contains a hash symbol (#) and a solid black circle. Three callout lines point from the circles to labels on the right: 'Valve Number' points to the top circle, 'Valve Flow' points to the bottom-right circle, and 'Valve Size' points to the bottom-left circle.

NUMBER	MODEL	SIZE	TYPE	GPM	HEADS	PIPE 3/4"	PIPE 1"	WIRE	DESIGN PSI	FRICTION LOSS	VALVE LOSS	PSI	PRECIP
1	Hunter ICZ-101-25	1"	Area for Dripline	5.55	370.2 l.f.	111.9		56.5	20	0.54	5.33	25.9	2.54 in/h
2	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Spray	5.6	7	74.3		53.3	30	0.58	1.9	32.5	2.49 in/h
3	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Rotor	7	5	100.0		50.2	30	0.65	1.9	32.6	0.68 in/h
4	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Bubbler	14	7	65.4	25.8	47.0	30	1.6	1.66	33.3	27.23 in/h
5	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Rotor	9.8	7	141.5		43.9	30	2.48	1.9	34.4	0.92 in/h
6	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Spray	9.06	8	119.4		144.8	30	2.04	1.9	33.9	1.25 in/h
7	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Spray	11.63	10	124.7	5.8	147.9	30	1.88	1.8	33.7	0.79 in/h
8	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Turf Spray	12.21	10	111.2	18.9	150.9	30	2.45	1.77	34.2	0.82 in/h
9	Hunter PGV-101G	1"	Bubbler	14	7	264.5	2.1	154.1	30	4.55	1.66	36.2	27.23 in/h
	Common Wire							235.3					