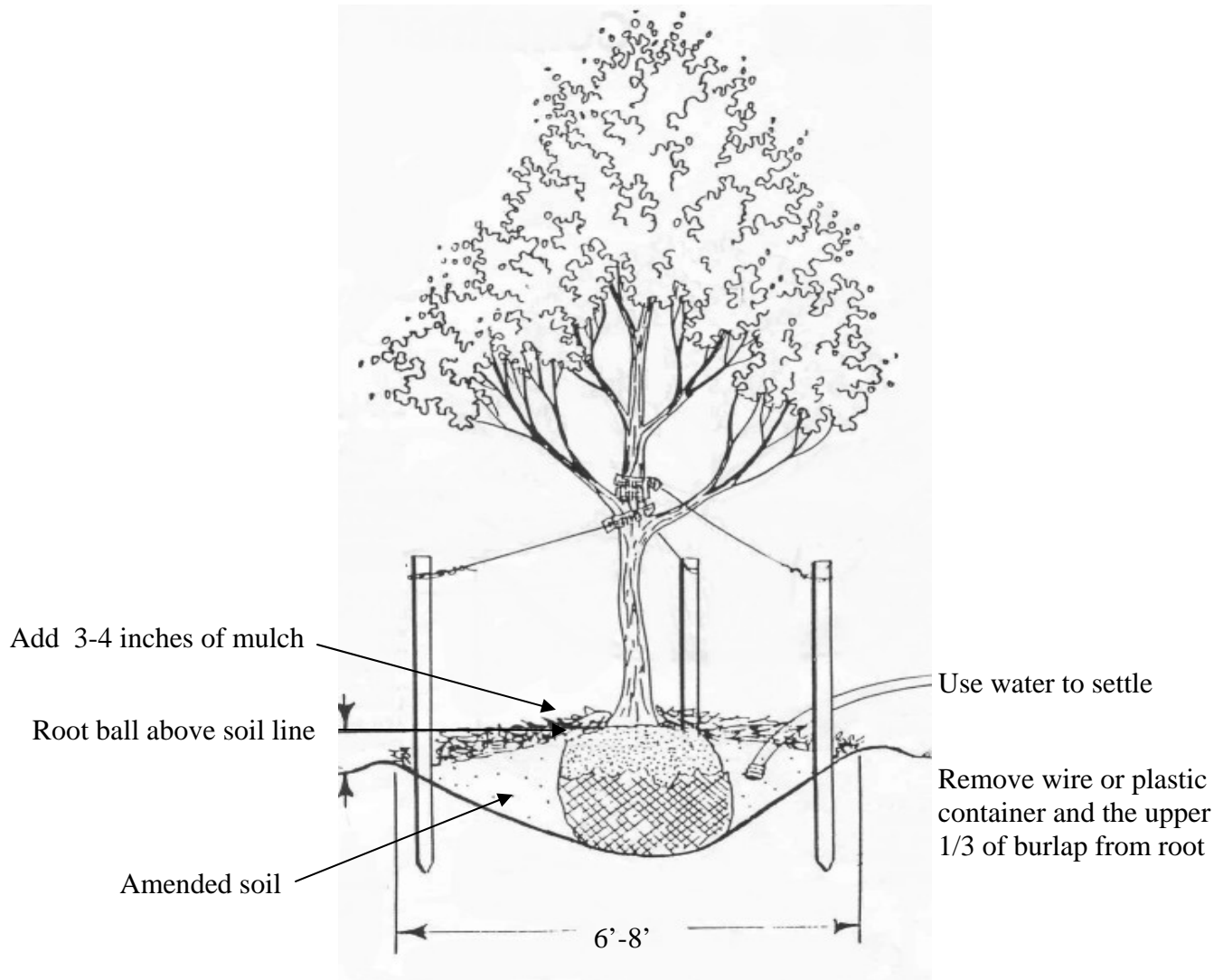


The Village Garden Center

Planting Instructions for

B&B or Large Container Trees



Prepare 6' to 8' circle before planting, amend loosened soil with 3 pounds of sulfur and 4 cubic feet of compost.

Dig hole just deep enough so that root ball sits on undisturbed soil and is 2-3 inches above surrounding soil level.

Remove wire basket or plastic container before planting. Also cut off the upper 1/3 of the burlap from root ball.

Backfill with amended soil. Run hose slowly to settle soil. **DO NOT TAMP.**

In Spring or Summer fertilize with Starter Fertilizer or Tree and Shrub Fertilizer.

Cover entire area with 3-4 inches of organic mulch.

Stake tree only if necessary and remove stakes and ties after 1 year.