



TYPICAL PLANTING BED - SECTION

PLANTING NOTES

CULTIVATE EXISTING SUB-GRADE TO 100mm DEPTH. REMOVE STONES EXCEEDING 50mm ϕ AND ANY ORGANIC MATTER EXCEEDING 25mm ϕ INCLUDING ROOTS, STICKS AND WEEDS BROUGHT TO THE SURFACE DURING CULTIVATION. REMOVE ANY MATERIAL DETRIMENTAL TO PLANT GROWTH.

EITHER AMELIORATE EXISTING SITE TOPSOIL AS SPECIFIED OR IMPORT TOPSOIL. ALL IMPORTED TOPSOIL SHALL COMPLY WITH AS 4419 'SOILS FOR LANDSCAPING AND GARDEN USE'. TOPSOIL SHALL BE AN ORGANIC SOIL WITH MAX. 30% SCREENED COMPOSTED ORGANIC MATTER, HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY 15-30 cm/hr AND pH RANGE TO BE 5-6.5. AFTER APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED TOPSOIL, DEPOSIT AND SPREAD TOPSOIL TO ACHIEVE A 300mm MINIMUM THICKNESS TO ALL PLANTING AREAS AFTER SLAB OR EDGE CONSTRUCTION.

PLACE AND LIGHTLY COMPACT TOPSOIL IN LAYERS OF 150mm, ENSURING THAT NO AIR POCKETS REMAIN IN THE SOIL. RAKE OVER LIGHTLY TO ACHIEVE SMOOTH SOIL PROFILES, AND ENSURE THAT ANY MOUNDING HAS A SMOOTH AND EVEN PROFILE.

USE 25mm GRADE HOOP PINE BARK MULCH IN A 100mm LAYER, FREE FROM SOIL, WEEDS & ANY OTHER MATERIAL TOXIC TO PLANT GROWTH. SPREAD EVENLY & RAKE SMOOTH. FINISH MULCH 25mm BELOW FINISHED SURFACE LEVEL OF SURROUNDING EDGE/TREATMENT.



THIS DRAWING IS NOT TO BE AMENDED WITHOUT REFERENCE TO STANDARDS COMMITTEE			
No.	AMENDMENT	APPROVED	DATE

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ISSUED

DO NOT SCALE TAKE FIGURED DIMENSIONS ONLY	
DRAFTING BY TECHNICAL SERVICES BRANCH	
PASSED - COORDINATOR OPEN SPACE ASSETS	
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