

THE LANDSCAPE MANUAL

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## INTRODUCTION

The importance of landscaping, and in particular the amount of tree canopy coverage, is basic to a sub-tropical environment such as South Florida. However, even in this most favorable growing environment, South Florida falls short of many communities in canopy coverage, even when compared to cities with less favorable growing environments. Increasing canopy coverage and water conserving xeriscape methods will provide immeasurable benefits both environmentally and aesthetically. The specific purpose of this manual is to illustrate and augment the criteria included in the ordinance. The criteria illustrated in the manual which are requirements of the Landscape Code (Chapter 18A) are clearly noted. All other information should be considered as recommendations. There are some innovative examples illustrated in this manual that may require prior approval and/or a public hearing.

The basic objective of the ordinance and manual are:

To use xeriscape principles to reduce water consumption, to expand the use of native species and to protect existing native habitats, to promote energy conservation through the use of landscape and the use of landscape design as an integral part of the site and architectural design of our community.

A major component of the landscape ordinance is the site plan review process by the Department of Planning and Zoning. The following guidelines and general principles will be used by the Department in all site plan reviews:

A. Landscape design shall enhance architectural features, relate structure design to the site, visually screen dissimilar uses, and unsightly views, reduce noise impacts from major roadways and incompatible uses, strengthen important vistas and reinforce neighboring site design and architecture.

B. Existing specimen trees, native vegetation (including canopy, understory and ground cover) and Natural Forest Communities shall be preserved to the maximum extent possible and all requirements of Section 24-60 of the Code of Miami-Dade County shall be met.

C. In order to conserve water, reduce maintenance, and promote plant health, plant species shall be selected and installed based on their water needs, growth rate and size, and resource inputs. Plants with similar water needs shall be grouped in hydrozones. Adequate growth area based on natural mature shape and size shall be provided for all plant materials.

D. The plan shall include the use of native plant species in order to re-establish an aesthetic regional quality and take advantage of the unique diversity and adaptedness of native species to the environmental conditions of South Florida. Where feasible the re-establishment of native habitats shall be incorporated in the landscape plan.

E. Trees and shrubs shall be planted in the energy conservation zone where feasible, in order to reduce energy consumption by shading buildings and shall be used to reduce heat island effects by shading paved surfaces.

F. Street trees shall be used to shade roadways and provide visual order. Where feasible, various species shall be used to establish a road hierarchy, by defining different road types.

G. Special attention shall be given to the use of appropriate species under or adjacent to overhead power lines, and near native plant communities and near underground utility lines. Adequate growth area shall be provided for all plant materials.

H. Landscaping shall be designed in such a way as to provide safe unobstructed views at intersections of roadways, driveways, recreational paths, and sidewalks in accordance with Section 33-11, Miami-Dade County Zoning Code.

I. Historic landscapes and landscape features designated by local, state or federal governments shall be preserved.

The manual is basically an illustration of the ordinance requirements and recommended methods of installing and protecting trees and other plant material. Included in the manual are: examples of landscaping parking lots, and roadways buffering techniques, wall design, xeriscape principles, irrigation design, energy conservation, planting and construction details, pruning and in the appendix an example of a complete set of landscape drawings and comprehensive plant lists.

The following drawings indicate calculations for various development types in accordance with Chapter 1B-A Landscape Code. Additional calculations are indicated on the Landscape Legend provided in the appendix.

Notice: Implementation of components of design illustrations contained in this manual may require the applicant or permittee to obtain a variance(s) to the Miami-Dade County Code. You are advised to provide complete plans when requesting zoning or permit approval in an effort to avoid unnecessary delays.

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# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## SINGLE-FAMILY RU-1

### TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED TREES - 3 TREES PER LOT PLUS 5  
STREET TREES FOR A TOTAL OF 8 TREES ON UNIT A.

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER  
FOR 175 LINEAL FT. = 5 STREET TREES

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE  
AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY  
WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO  
RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE  
MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE  
APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY.  
STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS  
SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE  
OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT  
WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS 50%  
OF THE NET LOT AREA OR .50 X 7,500 S.F.  
(LOT SIZE) = 3,750 S.F. MAXIMUM LAWN AREA PER LOT.

### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT  
(8 X 10 = 80 SHRUBS)

NOTE: (SEE OTHER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TREE SIZE, USE OF  
PALMS, NATIVE SPECIES, BUFFER REQUIREMENTS ETC. IN CHAPTER 18A  
LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE). ALSO SEE CHAPTER 33 FOR SPECIFIC  
ZONING REQUIREMENTS.

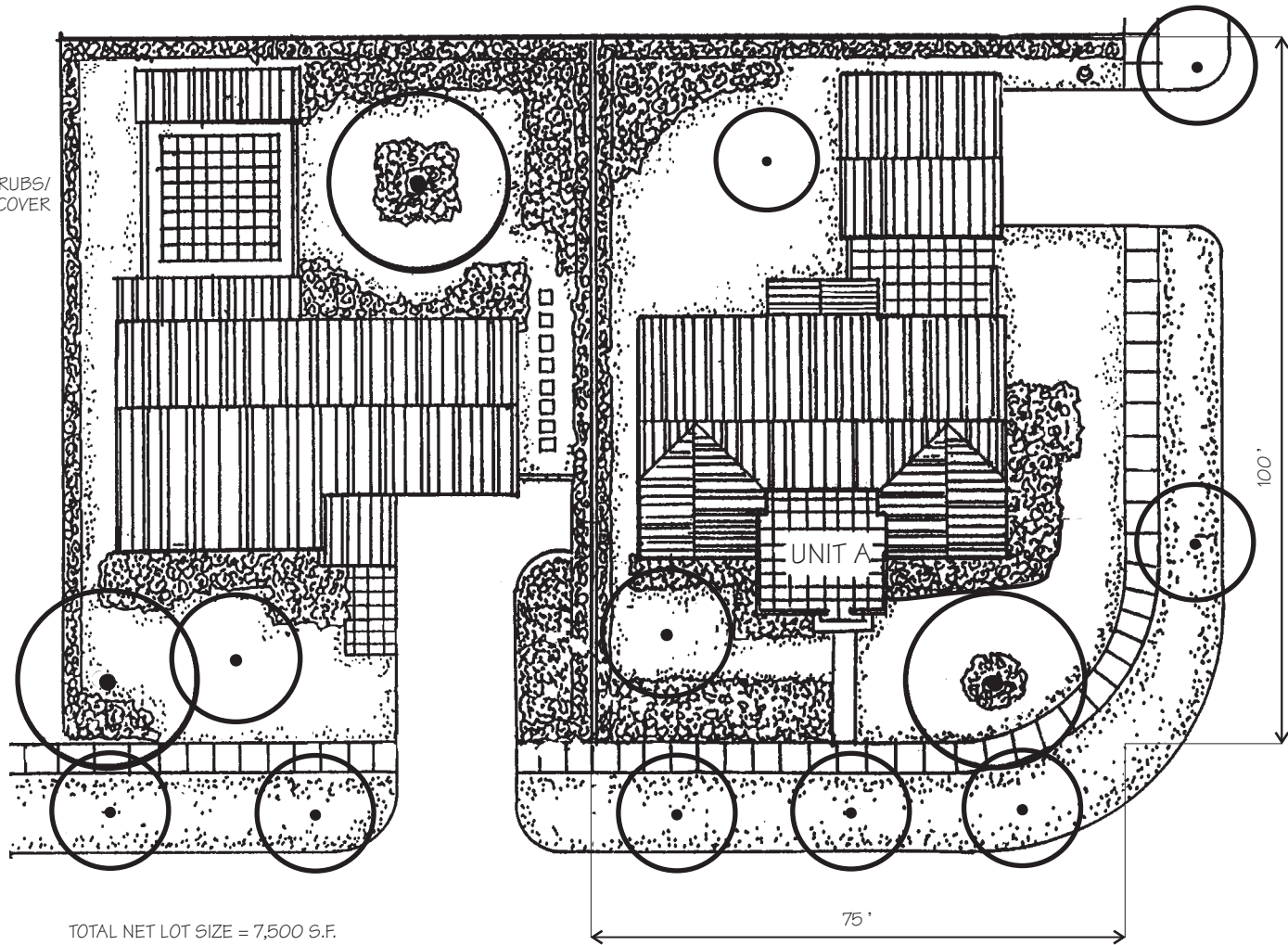
NOTE: (SINGLE FAMILY UNITS AND ADDITIONS TO SINGLE FAMILY UNITS  
IN EXISTENCE PRIOR TO THE ADOPTION OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE EXEMPT  
FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 18A, THE LANDSCAPE CODE.  
LANDSCAPE PLANS FOR A NEW DETACHED SINGLE FAMILY HOME CAN  
BE PREPARED BY OWNER OR OWNERS AGENT).

NOTE:(ALL CALCULATIONS ARE ROUNDED OFF TO THE NEAREST WHOLE  
NUMBER).

*See landscape legend in appendix for possible additional requirements.*

EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
SINGLE FAMILY RU-1

SHRUBS/  
GROUNDCOVER



TOTAL NET LOT SIZE = 7,500 S.F.

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA PERMITTED = 50% OF NET AREA  
= .50 X 7500 = 3,750 S.F.  
MAXIMUM LAWN AREA PROVIDED = 3,150 S.F.

UNIT A  
LOT TREES REQUIRED - 3  
STREET TREES REQUIRED - 5  
SHRUBS REQUIRED - 8 TREES x 10 = 80 SHRUBS  
(NOTE: UNLESS OTHERWISE MODIFIED BY THE  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, STREET TREES  
SHALL BE PLANTED IN THE R.O.W.).

NOTE: SEE LANDSCAPE LEGEND IN  
APPENDIX FOR ADDITIONAL  
REQUIREMENTS.

# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## SINGLE FAMILY RU-1M(A)

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED LOT TREES -3 PER LOT

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

THE 35 FT AVERAGE SPACING REQUIREMENT FOR MULTIPLE SINGLE FAMILY UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON THE TOTAL LINEAL FOOTAGE OF THE ROADWAY FOR THE ENTIRE PROJECT AND NOT BASED ON INDIVIDUAL LOT WIDTHS-BASED ON THE PARTIAL ROADWAY INDICATED (350' OF ROAD DIVIDED BY 35 = 10 STREET TREES).

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY. STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS 35% OF THE NET LOT AREA OR .35 X 5,000 S.F. (LOT SIZE) = 1,750 S.F. MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

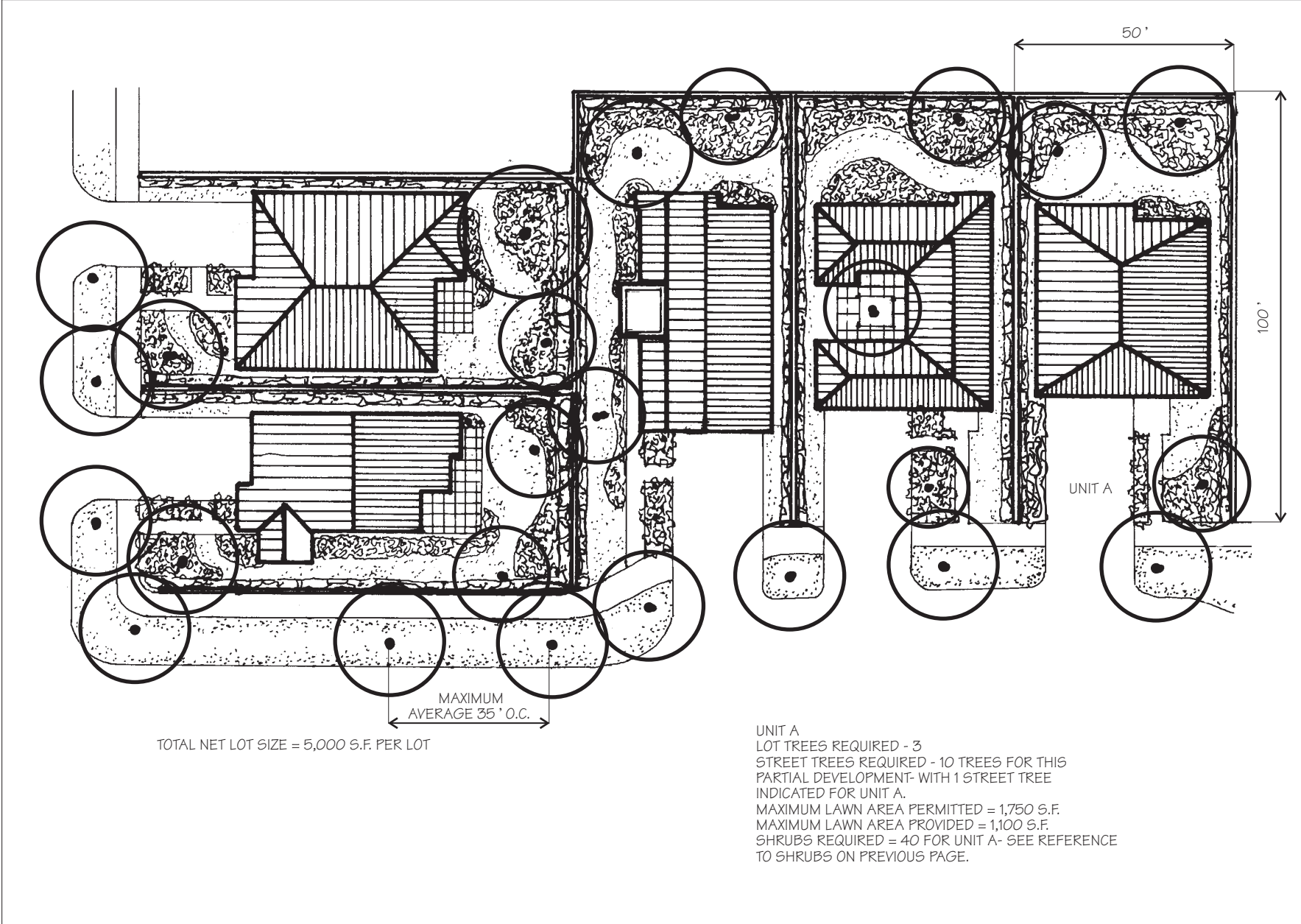
REQUIRED TREES = 3 LOT TREES  
+ 1 STREET TREE = 4 TREES  
REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT  
(4 TREES x 10 = 40 SHRUBS FOR UNIT A)

NOTE: SEE OTHER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TREE SIZE, USE OF PALMS, NATIVE SPECIES, BUFFER REQUIREMENTS ETC. IN CHAPTER 18A LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE.

NOTE: SINGLE FAMILY UNITS IN EXISTENCE PRIOR TO THE ADOPTION OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 18A, THE LANDSCAPE CODE.

Note: See landscape legend for additional requirements

EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
 RU-1 M(A)



# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## PRIVATE SCHOOL OR DAY CARE CENTER RU-3

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED LOT TREES = 28 TREES PER NET ACRE  
1.03 NET LOT AREA  
(LESS ACTIVE RECREATION AREA OF 33 ACRE)\* =  
(.70) ACRES X 28 TREES = 20 TREES

### REQUIRED STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER FOR  
450 FT. OF ROADWAY = 13 TREES  
TOTAL LOT AND STREET TREES = 33

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE  
AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY  
WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO  
RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE  
MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE  
APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY.  
STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS  
SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE  
OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT  
WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

REQUIRED TREES (33) X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT OF  
330 SHRUBS

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT DOES NOT APPLY  
IN THIS CASE SINCE LAWN AREAS USED FOR ACTIVE  
RECREATION DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS LAWN  
RESTRICTION REQUIREMENTS

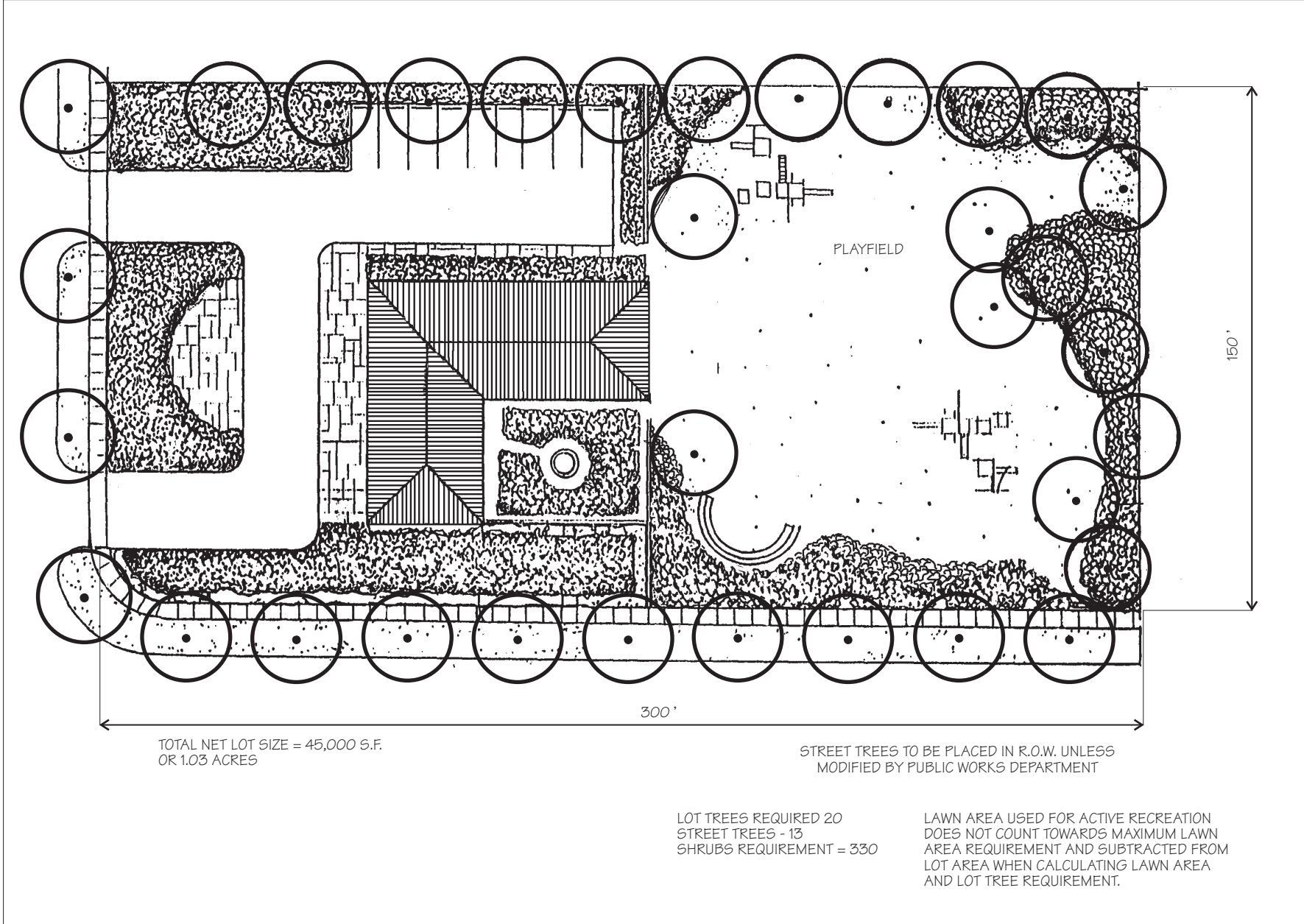
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REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING OPEN SPACE AND IRRIGATION).

\*AREAS DESIGNATED AS UNPAVED ACTIVE RECREATION AREAS ARE  
SUBTRACTED FROM TOTAL NET ACREAGE WHEN CALCULATING THE  
TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES AND MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

Note: See landscape legend in appendix for possible additional  
requirements.



EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
 PRIVATE SCHOOL OR DAY CARE CENTER (RU-3)



# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL RU-3M

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED LOT TREES = 28 TREES PER NET ACRE  
2.34 ACRES X 28 TREES = 66 TREES.

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER.  
(675 FT. OF ROADWAY ÷ BY 35 = 19 TREES).

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY. STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS BASED ON 60% OF THE REQUIRED OPEN SPACE OF 25% OF THE NET LOT AREA AS PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 33- ZONING.

THE CALCULATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:  
NET LOT SIZE 102,350 S.F. X .25  
(OPEN SPACE) = 25,588 S.F. OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE.

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA IS 60% OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE  
OR .60 X 25,588 S.F. = 15,353 S.F. MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

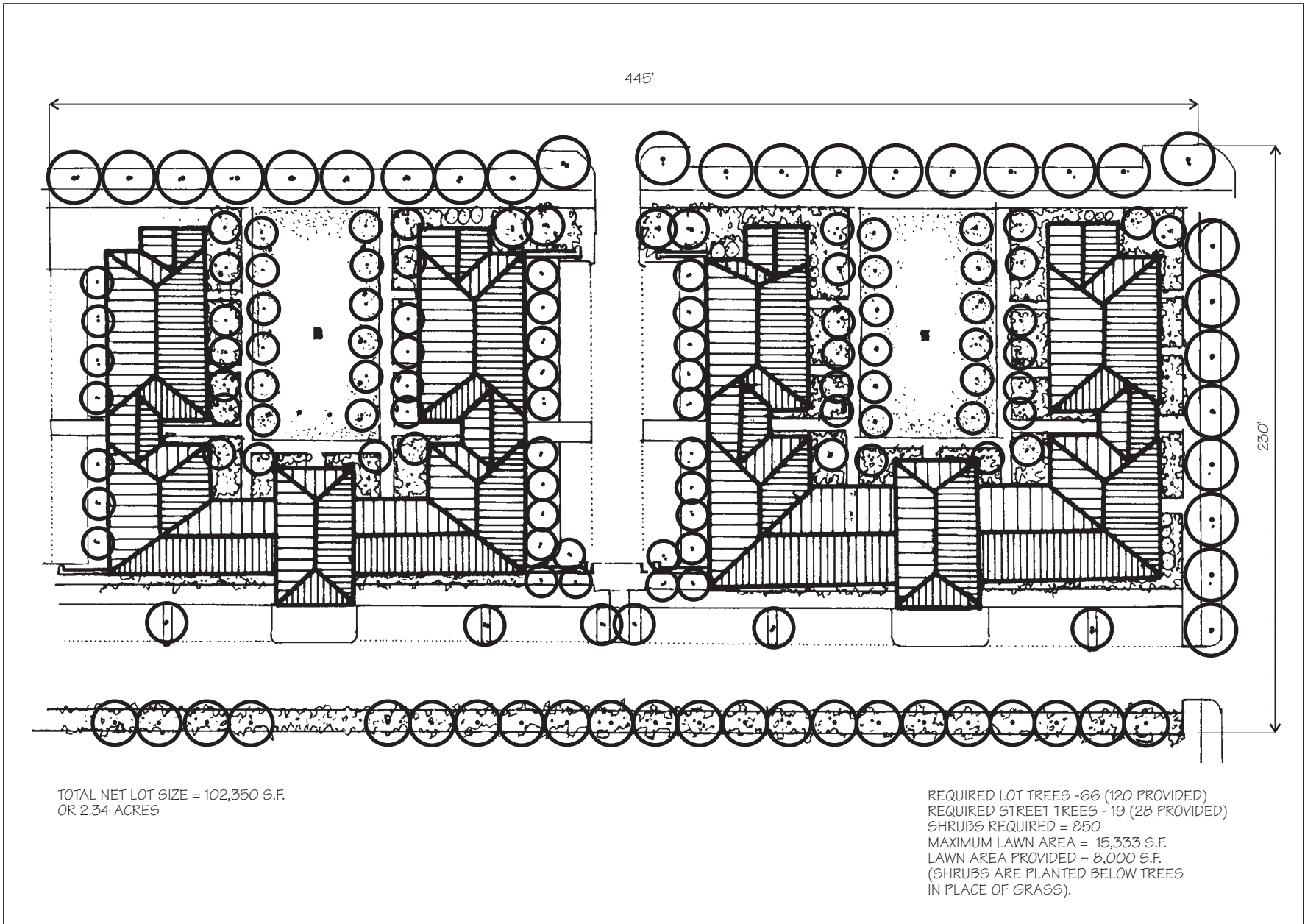
### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT  
(85 TREES X 10 = 850 SHRUBS)

(NOTE: SEE OTHER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TREE SIZE, USE OF PALMS, NATIVE SPECIES, BUFFER REQUIREMENTS ETC. IN CHAPTER 18A LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE). ALSO SEE CHAPTER 33 FOR SPECIFIC ZONING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING OPEN SPACE AND IRRIGATION)

Note: See landscape legend in the appendix for additional calculations.

EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL RU-3M



TOTAL NET LOT SIZE = 102,350 S.F.  
OR 2.34 ACRES

REQUIRED LOT TREES - 66 (120 PROVIDED)  
REQUIRED STREET TREES - 19 (28 PROVIDED)  
SHRUBS REQUIRED = 850  
MAXIMUM LAWN AREA = 15,333 S.F.  
LAWN AREA PROVIDED = 8,000 S.F.  
(SHRUBS ARE PLANTED BELOW TREES  
IN PLACE OF GRASS).

# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## SHOPPING CENTER BU-2

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

22 TREES PER NET ACRE OF LOT =  
9.7 ACRES X 22 TREES = 213 TREES

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER FOR  
1,300 FT OF ROADWAY = 37 TREES

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY. STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS 20% OF THE REQUIRED OPEN SPACE OF 14%\* OF THE NET LOT AREA AS PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 33- ZONING.

THE CALCULATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:  
NET LOT SIZE = 9.7 ACRES (422,500) X .14 = 59,150 S.F. OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE.

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA IS 20% OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE OR .20 X 59,150 S.F. = 11,830 S.F. OF MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

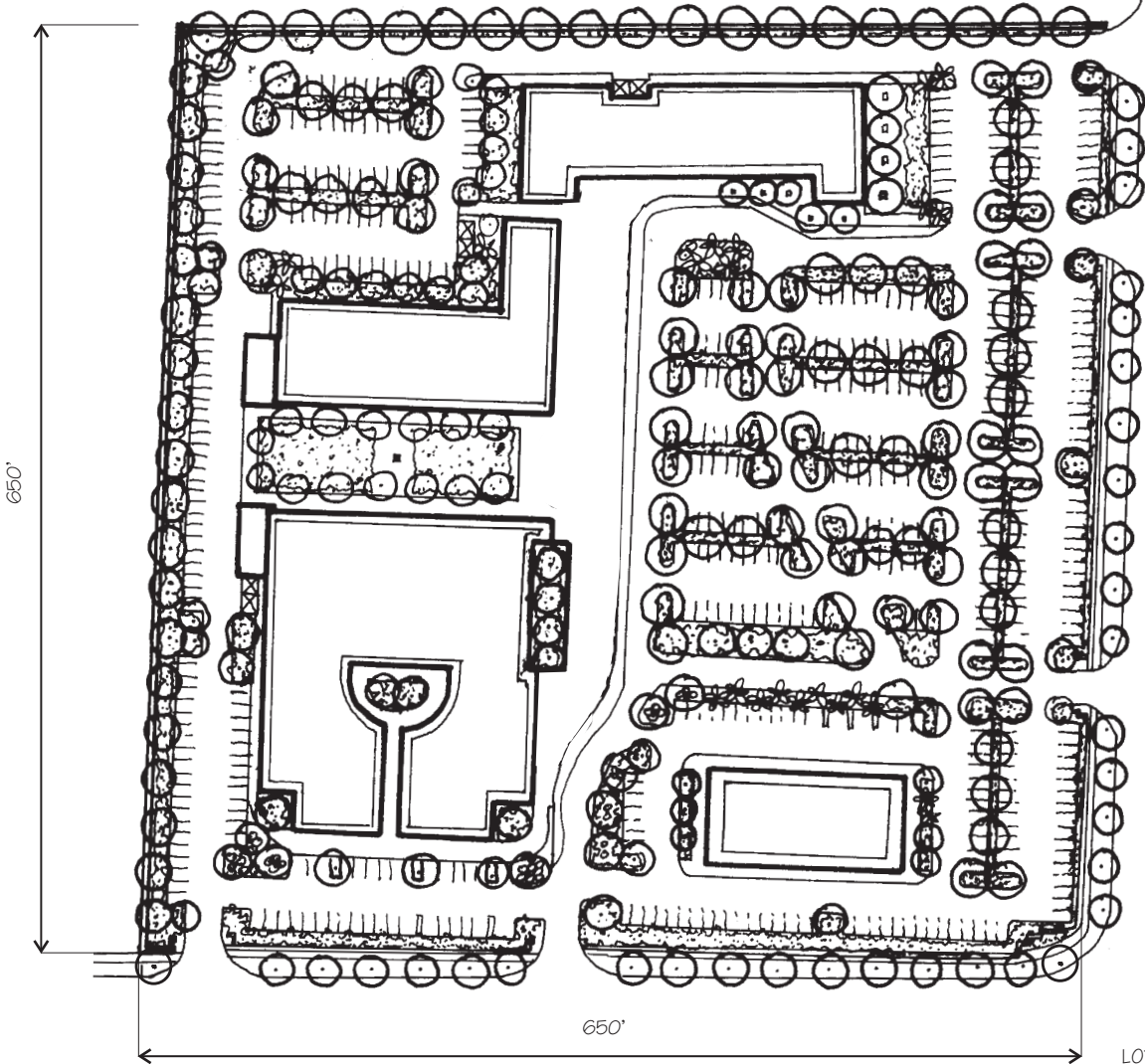
### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT OF  
(10 x 250) 2,500 SHRUBS

(NOTE: SEE OTHER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TREE SIZE, USE OF PALMS, NATIVE SPECIES, BUFFER REQUIREMENTS ETC. IN CHAPTER 18A LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE. ALSO SEE CHAPTER 33 FOR SPECIFIC ZONING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING OPEN SPACE AND IRRIGATION).

\* Open Space varies by district  
Note: See landscape legend in appendix for other calculations.

EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
 SHOPPING CENTER BU-2



TOTAL NET LOT SIZE = 422,500 S.F.  
 OR 9.7 ACRES

LOT TREES REQUIRED - 213  
 LOT TREES PROVIDED - 218  
 STREET TREES REQUIRED - 37  
 MAXIMUM LAWN AREA = 11,830 S.F.  
 LAWN AREA PROVIDED = 0 S.F.  
 SHRUBS REQUIRED = 2,500

# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## INDUSTRIAL IU-1

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED LOT TREES - 15 TREES PER NET ACRE =  
10 ACRES X 15 TREES = 150 TREES + 38 STREET TREES =  
188 TOTAL TREES

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER (1330 FT  
OF ROADWAY ÷ 35 = 38 STREET TREES)

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE  
AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY  
WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO  
RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE  
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OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT  
WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS  
20% OF THE REQUIRED OPEN SPACE OF 10%\* OF THE NET  
LOT AREA AS PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 33- ZONING.

THE CALCULATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:  
NET LOT SIZE = 442,225 S.F. (LOT AREA) X .10  
(OPEN SPACE) = 44,223 S.F. OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE.

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA IS 20% OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE  
OR .20 X 44,223 S.F. = 8,845 S.F. OF MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

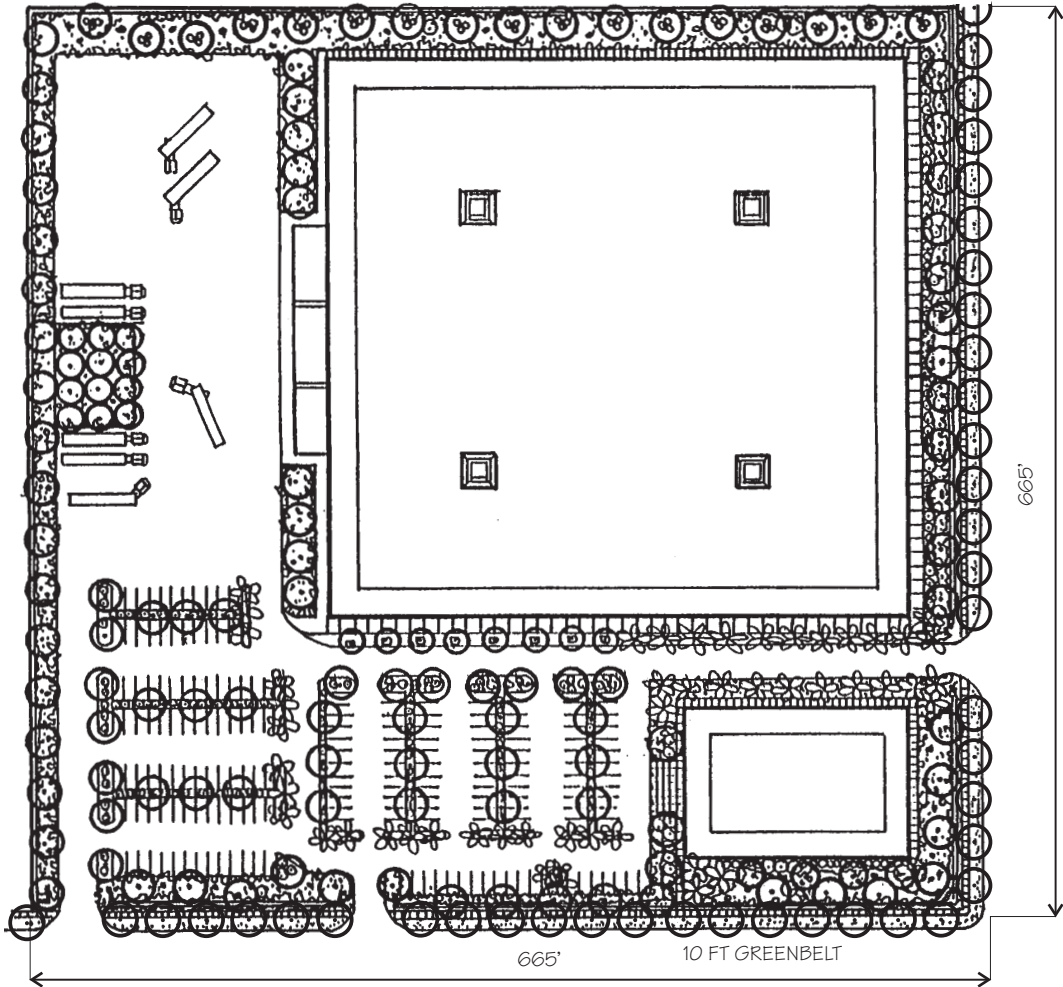
REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT  
(188 TREES X 10 = 1,880 SHRUBS)

(NOTE: SEE OTHER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TREE SIZE, USE OF  
PALMS, NATIVE SPECIES, BUFFER REQUIREMENTS ETC. IN CHAPTER 18A  
LANDSCAPE ORDINANCE. ALSO SEE CHAPTER 33 FOR SPECIFIC  
ZONING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING OPEN SPACE AND IRRIGATION).

\* Open Space varies by district

Note: See landscape legend in appendix for additional calculations.

EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
INDUSTRIAL IU-1



TOTAL NET LOT SIZE = 442,225 S.F.  
OR 10 ACRES

LOT TREES REQUIRED - 150  
STREET TREES REQUIRED AND PROVIDED -38  
LAWN AREA MAXIMUM = 8,845 S.F.  
LAWN AREA PROVIDED = 0 S.F.  
SHRUBS REQUIRED = 1,880

# LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS:

## SERVICE STATION BU-1A

### LOT TREE CALCULATION

REQUIRED LOT TREES - 22 PER NET ACRE = .94 ACRES X 22 = 21 TREES.

### STREET TREE CALCULATION

SPACED AT AN AVERAGE OF 35 FT. ON CENTER.  
410 FT. OF ROADWAY / 35 FT. SPACING = 12 TREES

STREET TREES SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE SWALE AREA OR SHALL BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY WHERE DEMONSTRATED TO BE NECESSARY DUE TO RIGHT-OF-WAY OBSTRUCTIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE MIAMI-DADE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OR THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY. STREET TREES PLANTED ALONG PRIVATE ROADWAYS SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE EDGE OF ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND/OR WHERE PRESENT WITHIN SEVEN (7) FEET OF THE SIDEWALK.

### MAXIMUM LAWN AREA CALCULATION

THE MAXIMUM LAWN AREA REQUIREMENT IS BASED ON 20% OF THE REQUIRED OPEN SPACE OF 18%\* OF THE NET LOT AREA AS PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 33- ZONING.

THE CALCULATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:  
NET LOT SIZE = 40,800 S.F. X .18 (OPEN SPACE) = 7,344 S.F. OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE

MAXIMUM LAWN AREA IS 20% OF REQUIRED OPEN SPACE  
OR .20 X 7,344 S.F. = 1,469 S.F. OF MAXIMUM LAWN AREA.

### SHRUB REQUIREMENT

REQUIRED TREES X 10 = SHRUB REQUIREMENT  
(10 SHRUBS X 33 TREES = 330 SHRUBS)

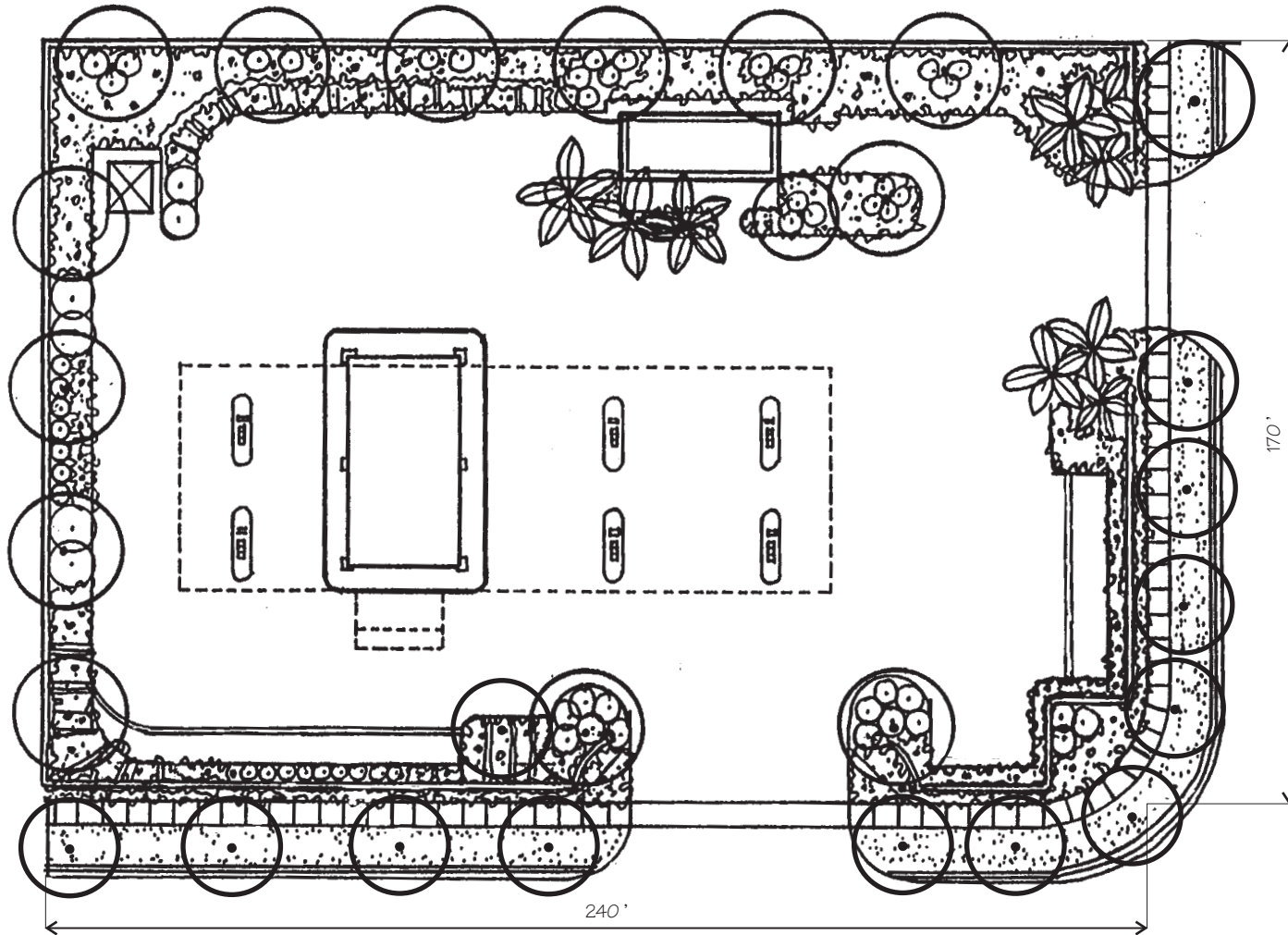
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\* See landscape legend in appendix for other required information.

\* Open Space varies by district.



EXAMPLE OF LANDSCAPE CODE REQUIREMENTS  
SERVICE STATION BU-1A



TOTAL NET LOT SIZE = 40,800 S.F.  
OR .94 ACRES

TREE CALCULATION

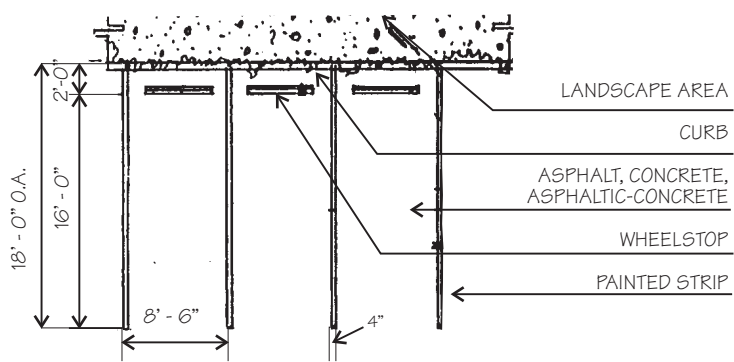
LOT TREES REQUIRED AND PROVIDED - 21  
(NOTE: PALMS COUNT AS 2 PALMS PER TREE)  
STREET TREES REQUIRED - 12  
STREET TREES PROVIDED - 12

SHRUBS REQUIRED = 33  
MAXIMUM LAWN AREA = 1,469 S.F.  
LAWN AREA PROVIDED = 0 S.F.

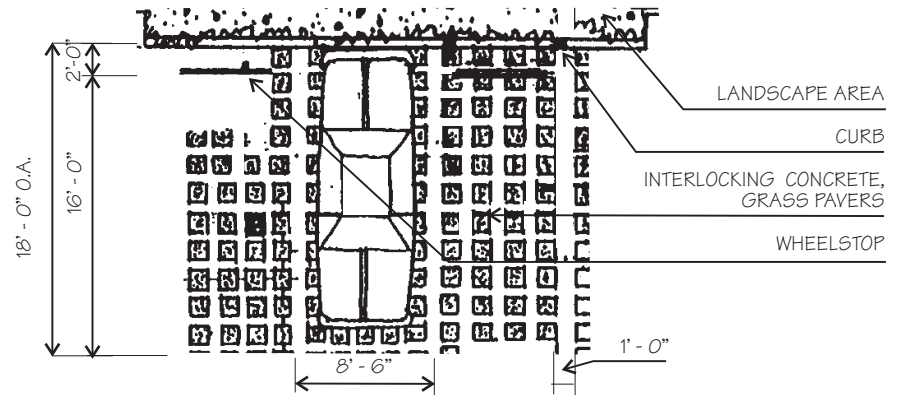
## PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE

Chapter 18A as amended does not specify the location of trees in parking lots, however, one tree shall be planted for each 80 S.F. of landscaped area. Additionally, Chapter 18A requires ten square feet of landscaped area per parking space to plant trees and shrubs. The following sketches offer various landscape alternatives.

# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE

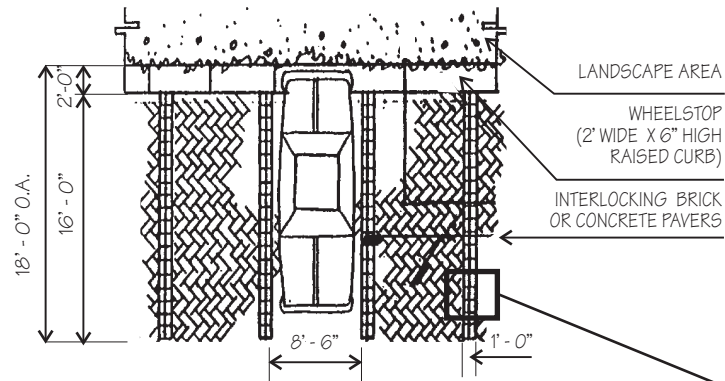


°RESIDENTIAL PARKING STALL° (TYPICAL)°



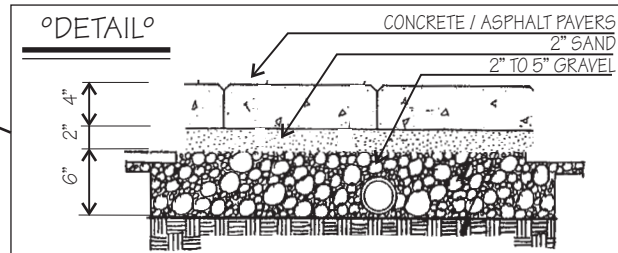
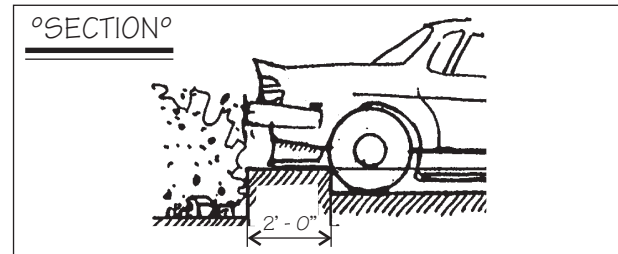
°INTERLOCKING GRASS PAVERS°

NOTE: SEPARATE PARKING STALLS BY WIDENING CONCRETE STRIP BETWEEN OPENING.



°INTERLOCKING BRICK OR CONCRETE PAVERS°

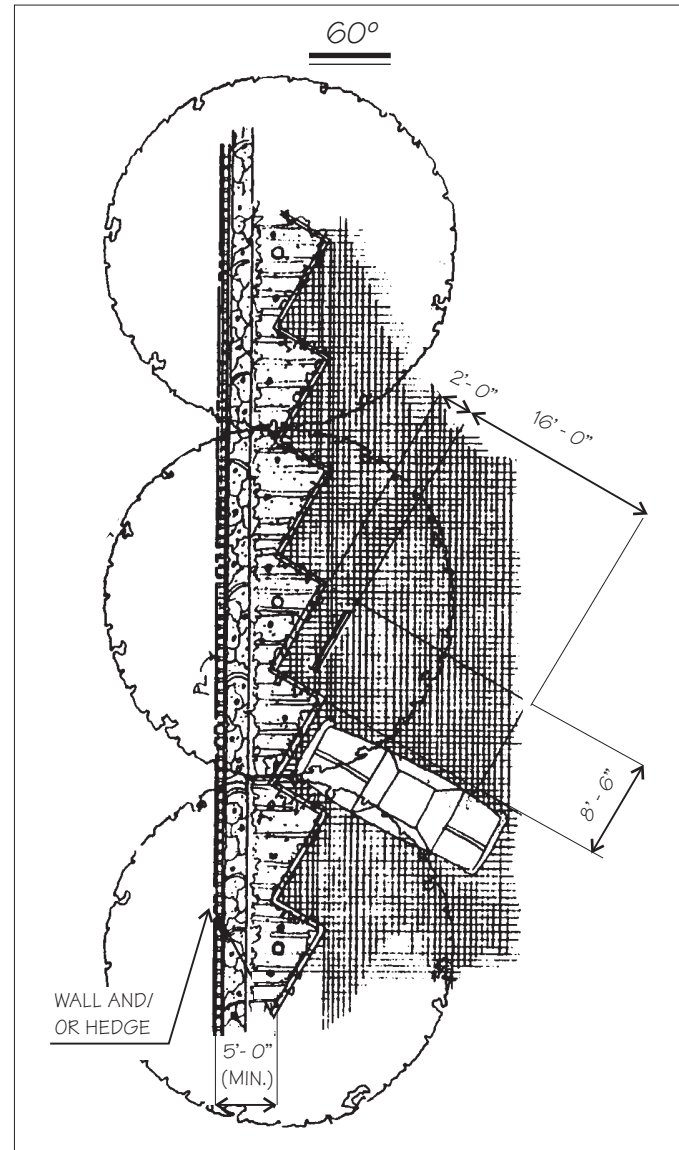
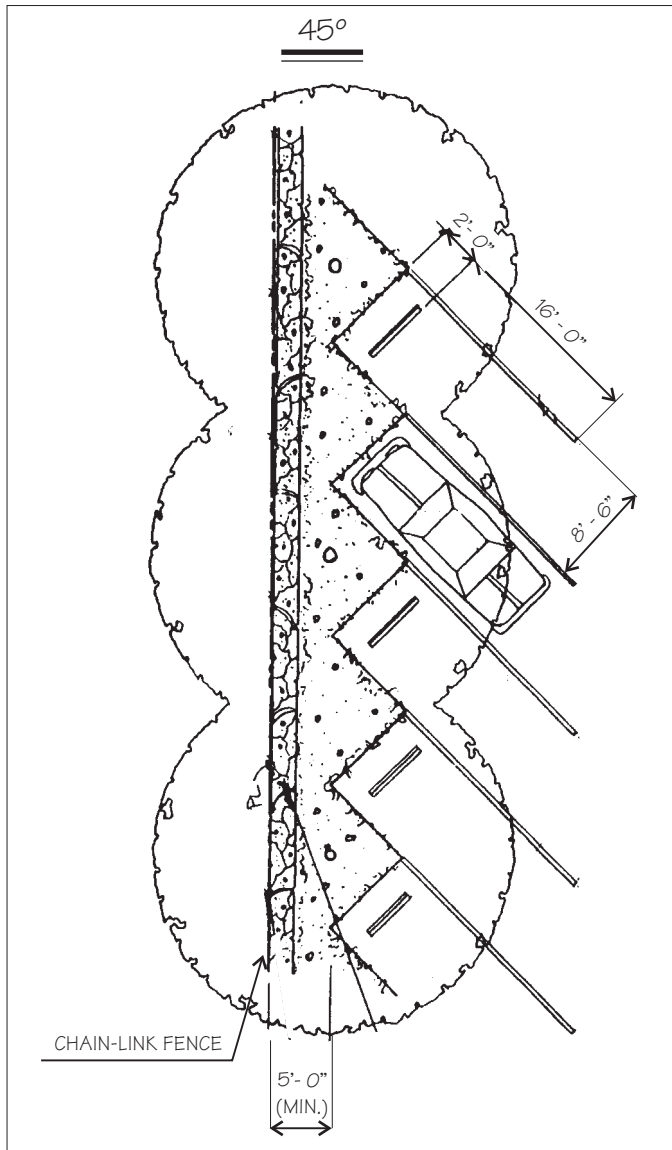
NOTE: REFER TO CHAPTER 33 OF THE DADE COUNTY ZONING CODE FOR PARKING AND STRIPING DETAILS AND POSSIBLE PUBLIC HEARING REQUIREMENTS.



The top drawing illustrates the typical approach to parking lot layout design. Other alternatives can be used to enhance the appearance of parking lots. Where cost permits, the use of interlocking pavers, brick and other similar textured materials

improves the appearance of parking areas. These schemes are particularly appropriate for small dual purpose parking areas. Pervious paving materials reduce runoff.

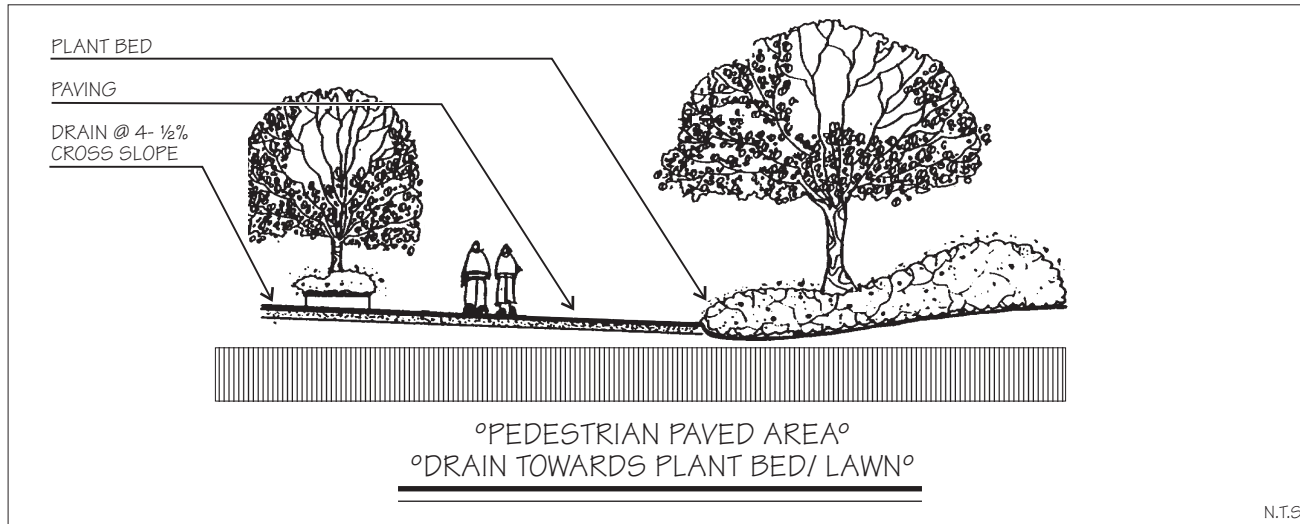
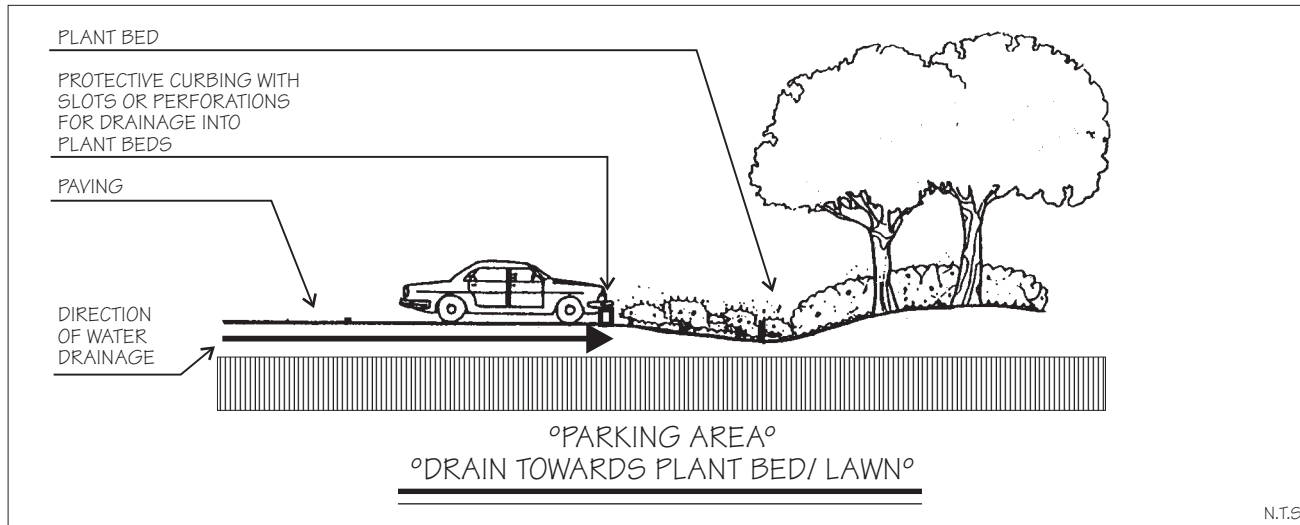
# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE



°ANGLE PARKING °

The landscape area created by angle parking should be planted with drought tolerant ground cover.

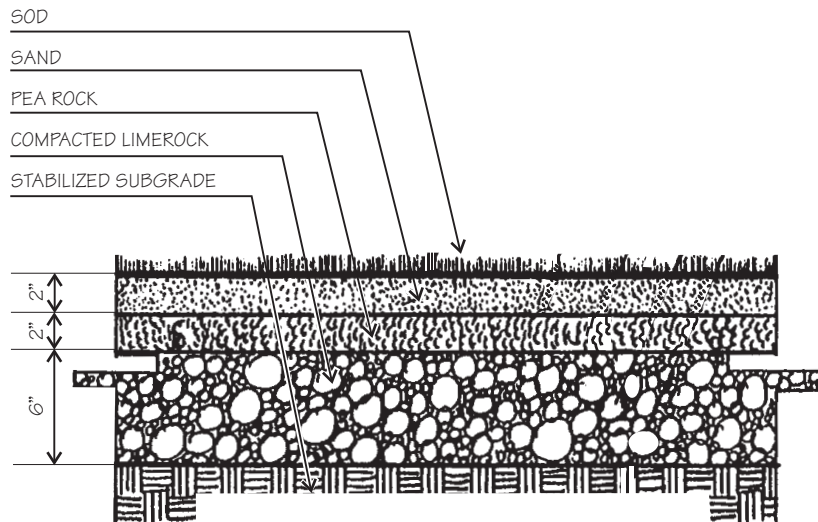
# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE



Where feasible paved surfaces should be sloped to drain water into landscape areas.

NOTE: DRAINING INTO PLANTING AREA FROM PARKING LOT REQUIRES APPROVAL FROM DERM.

## PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE

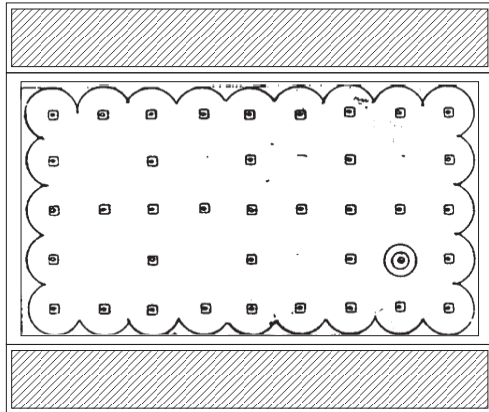


°COMPACTED LAWN PARKING SECTION°

Grassed parking areas can be used for infrequent parking use such as for religious facilities and guest or overflow parking. Use of grassed areas for parking improves the appearance of a development, reduces glare, and minimizes the amount of impervious surface. Also such areas, when not used for parking, provide active and passive recreation areas. This sectional sketch illustrates a method of preparation for grassed parking areas.

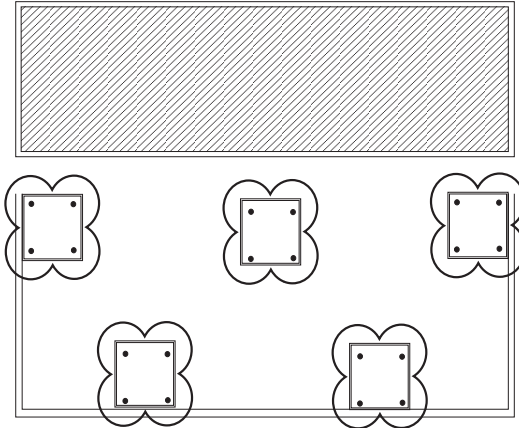
NOTE: A PUBLIC HEARING MAY BE REQUIRED FOR PARKING STALLS WHICH ARE NOT HARD SURFACED. SEE CHAPTER 33 OF THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY ZONING CODE.

# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE



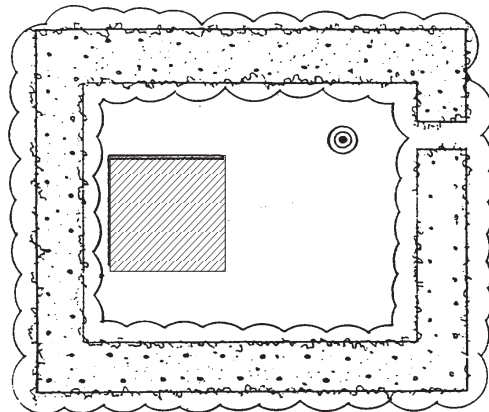
° PARKING AREA 1 °

DISTRIBUTION OF  
TREES ON A  
GRID - PLAZA CONCEPT



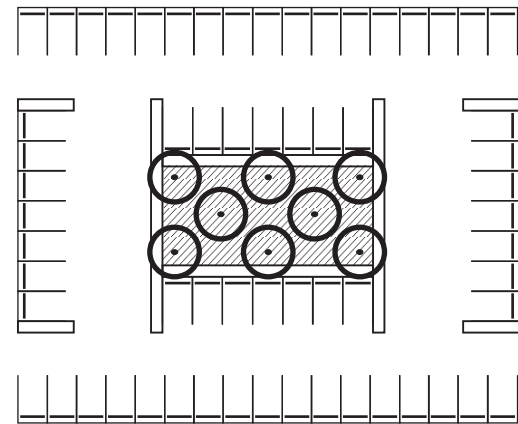
° PARKING AREA 2 °

DISTRIBUTION OF  
LARGE HEAVILY  
LANDSCAPE ISLANDS



° PARKING AREA 3 °

HEAVY DISTRIBUTION OF  
TREES AROUND  
EXTERIOR BOUNDARIES



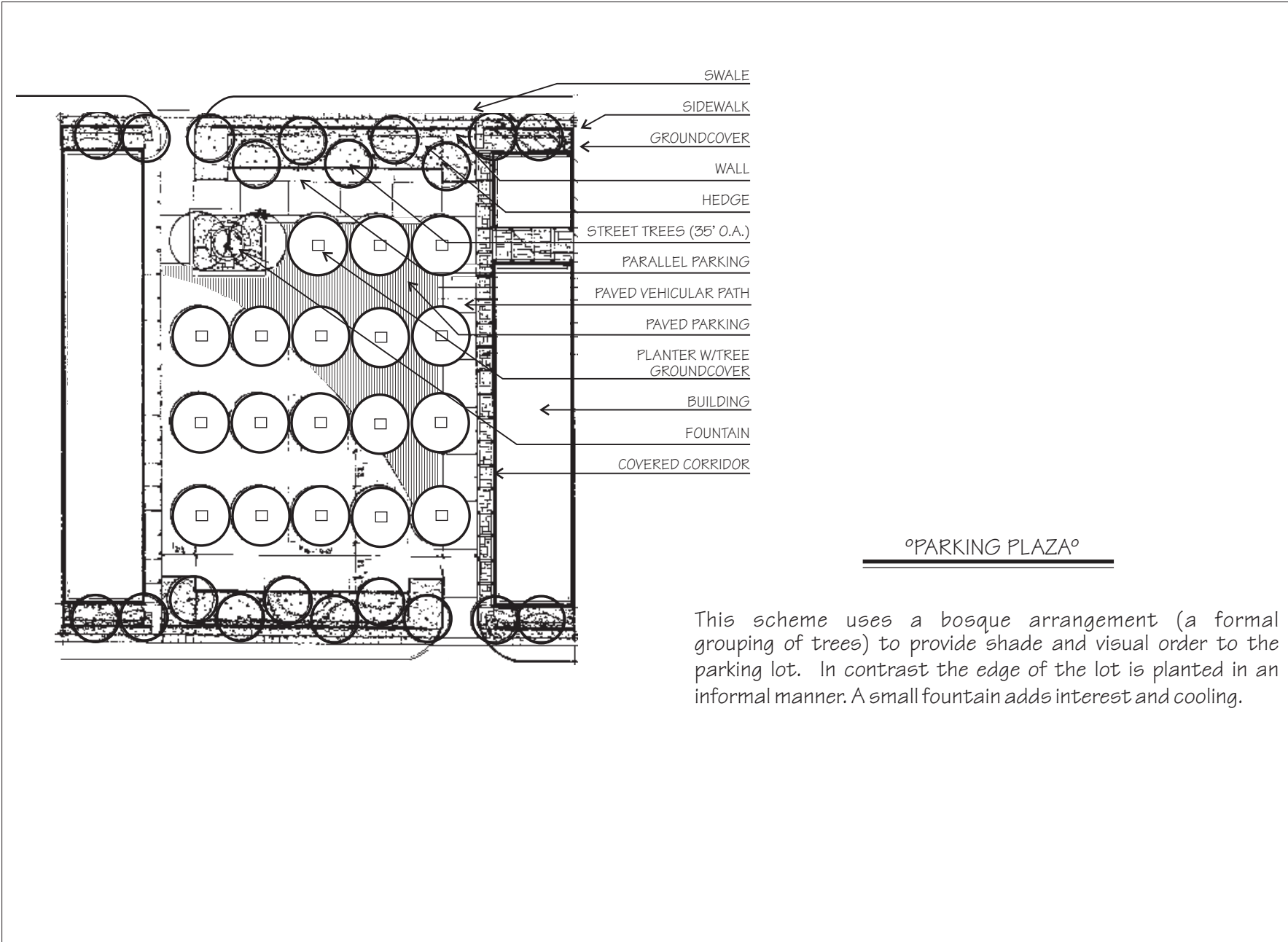
° PARKING AREA 4 °

A SQUARE BECOMES  
THE FOCAL POINT OF  
THIS SMALL PARKING LOT

The above conceptual parking schemes offer alternatives to typical parking lot landscape with trees spaced every few parking spaces. Through the implementation of creative parking schemes, the entire lot becomes an integral part of the collective project. Scheme 1 places trees in geometric pattern creating a plaza for parking, scheme 2 shows large planting areas which promote a sense of

natural tree massing, and scheme 3 has extensive planting at the edge which provides a sense of entering an outdoor room. Scheme 3 is best suited for small parking lots applicable to a church or other small civic buildings. Scheme 4 incorporates a square as rest area within a parking lot. It should be noted that shading of parking areas is critical to parking lot design.

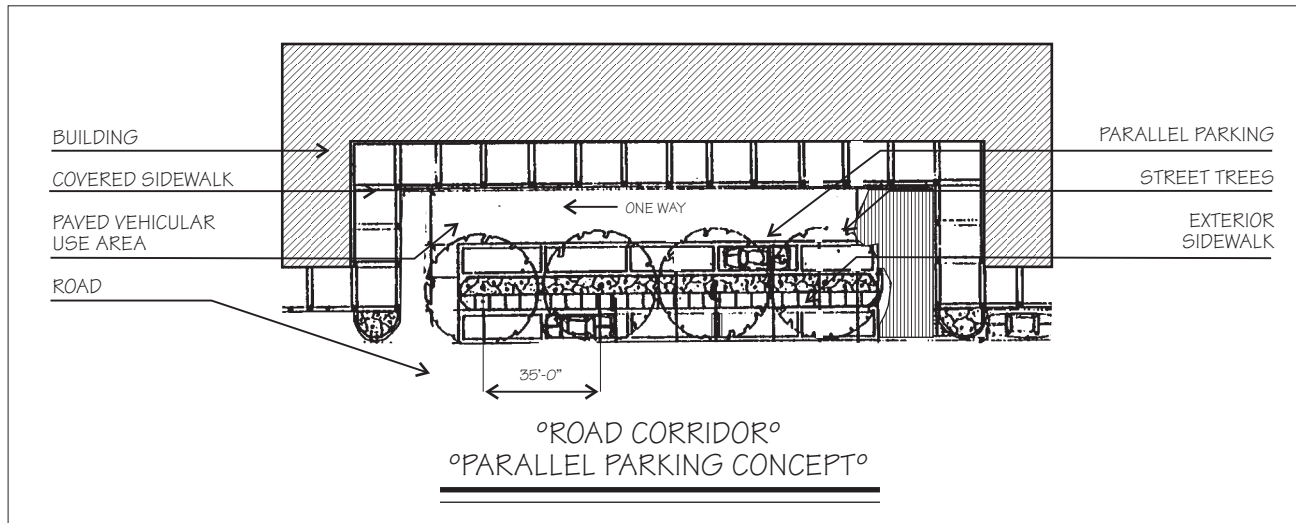
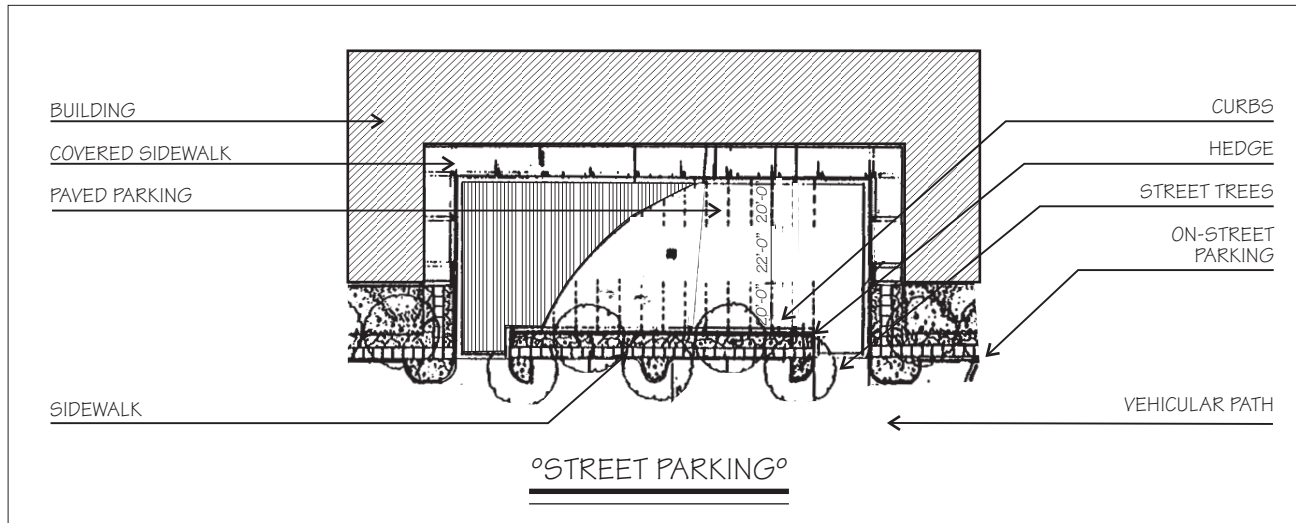
# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE



This scheme uses a bosque arrangement (a formal grouping of trees) to provide shade and visual order to the parking lot. In contrast the edge of the lot is planted in an informal manner. A small fountain adds interest and cooling.



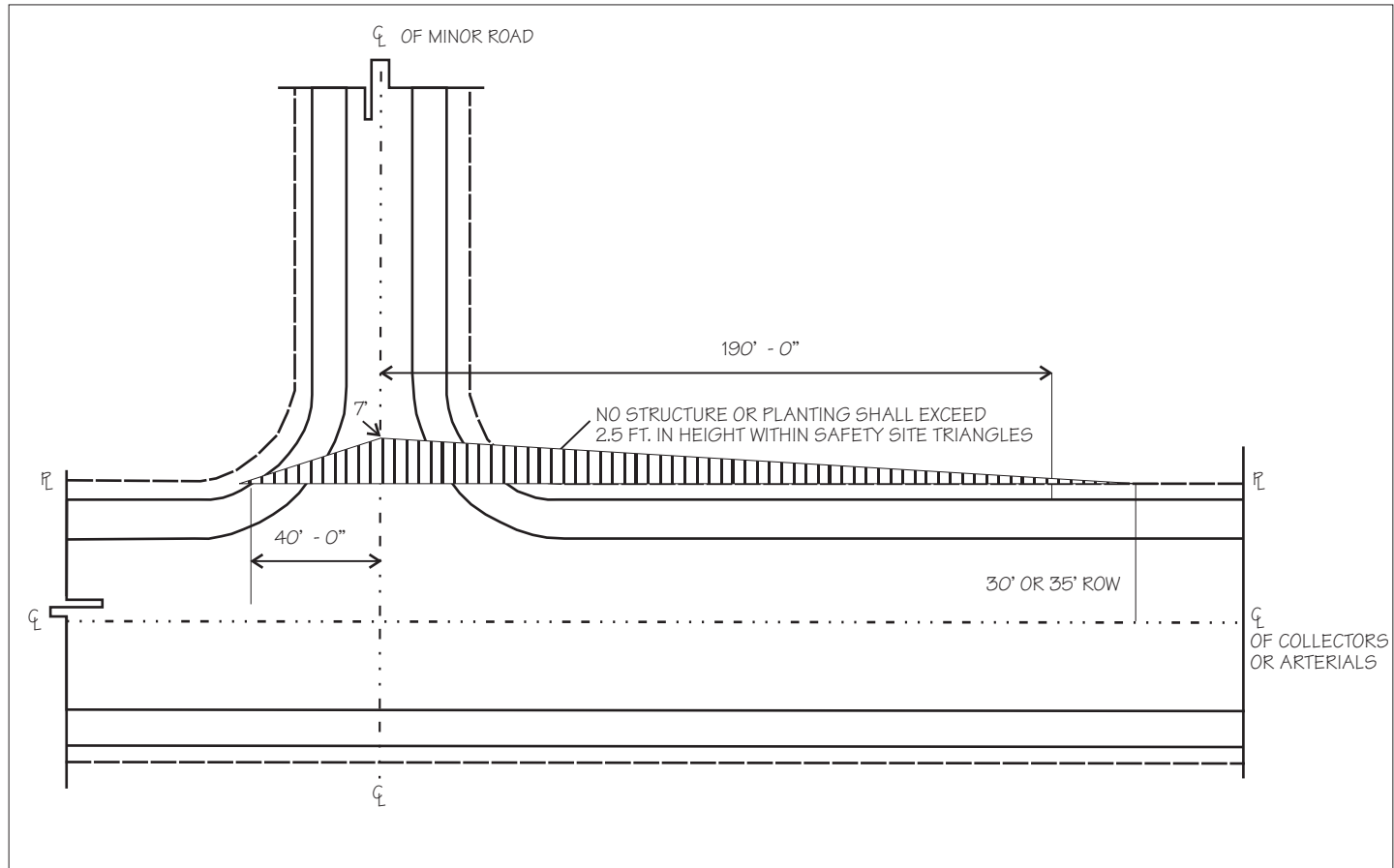
# PARKING LOT LANDSCAPE



Street trees are used to define the street edge and to give visual quality to these two small shopping centers.

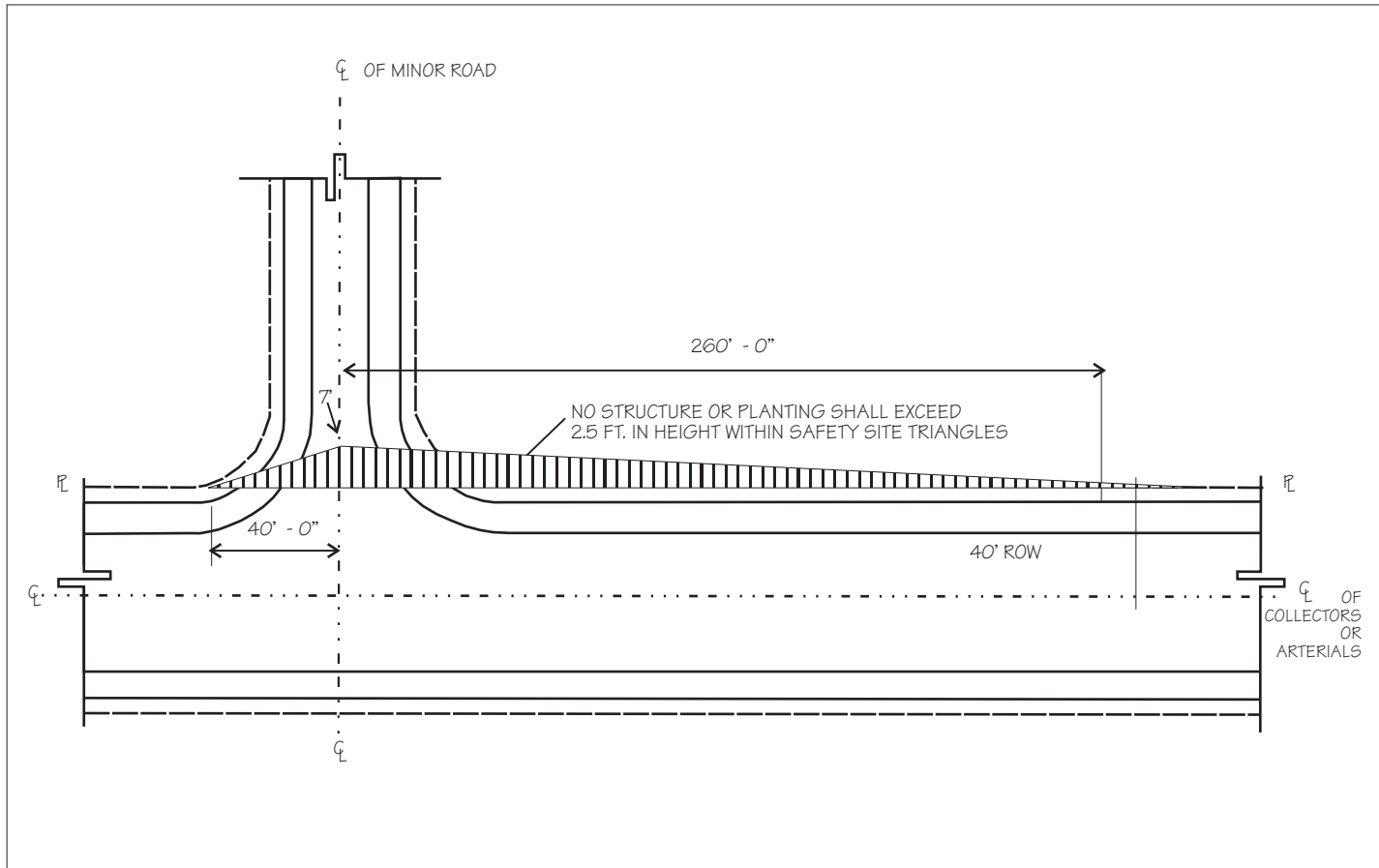
NOTE: ON-STREET PARKING DOES NOT COUNT TOWARDS PARKING REQUIREMENTS.

# VIEW TRIANGLES



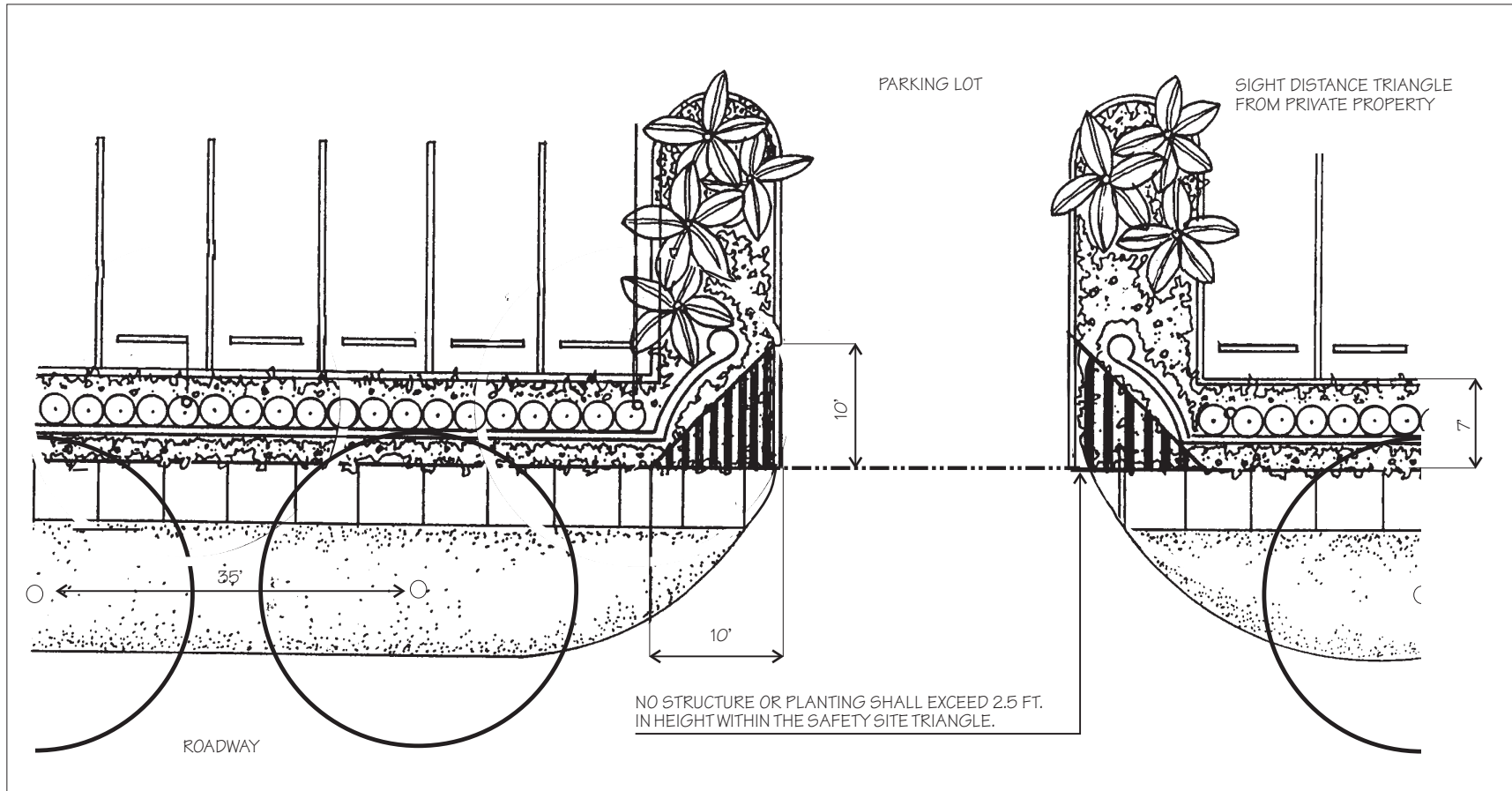
Sight distance triangle as provided in Section 33.11. of Chapter 33 Miami-Dade County Zoning Code for a minor road entering a 60' - 70' R.O.W. collector or arterial.

# VIEW TRIANGLES



Sight distance triangle as provided in Section 33.11. of Chapter 33 Miami-Dade County Zoning Code for a minor road entering a 80' ft. or wider R.O.W. collector or arterial.

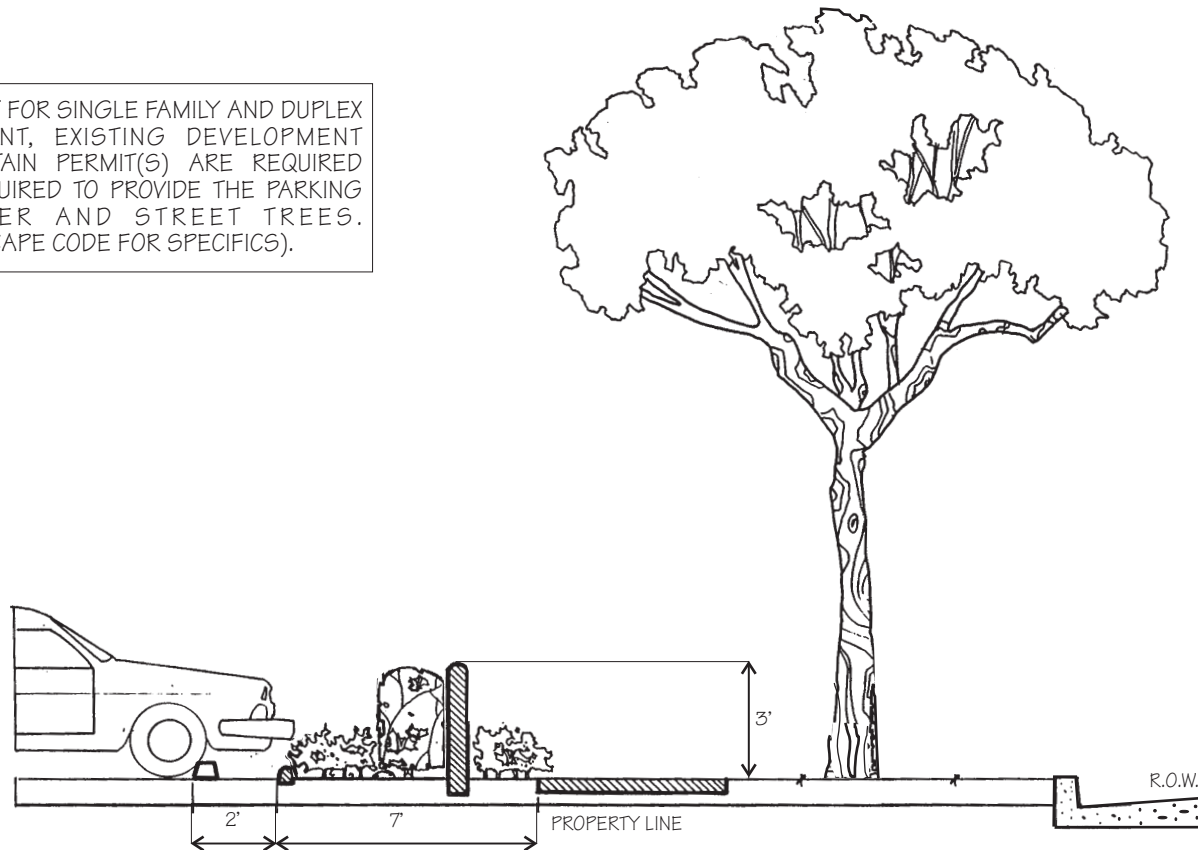
# VIEW TRIANGLES



Sight distance triangle from private property entering a roadway

## BUFFERS

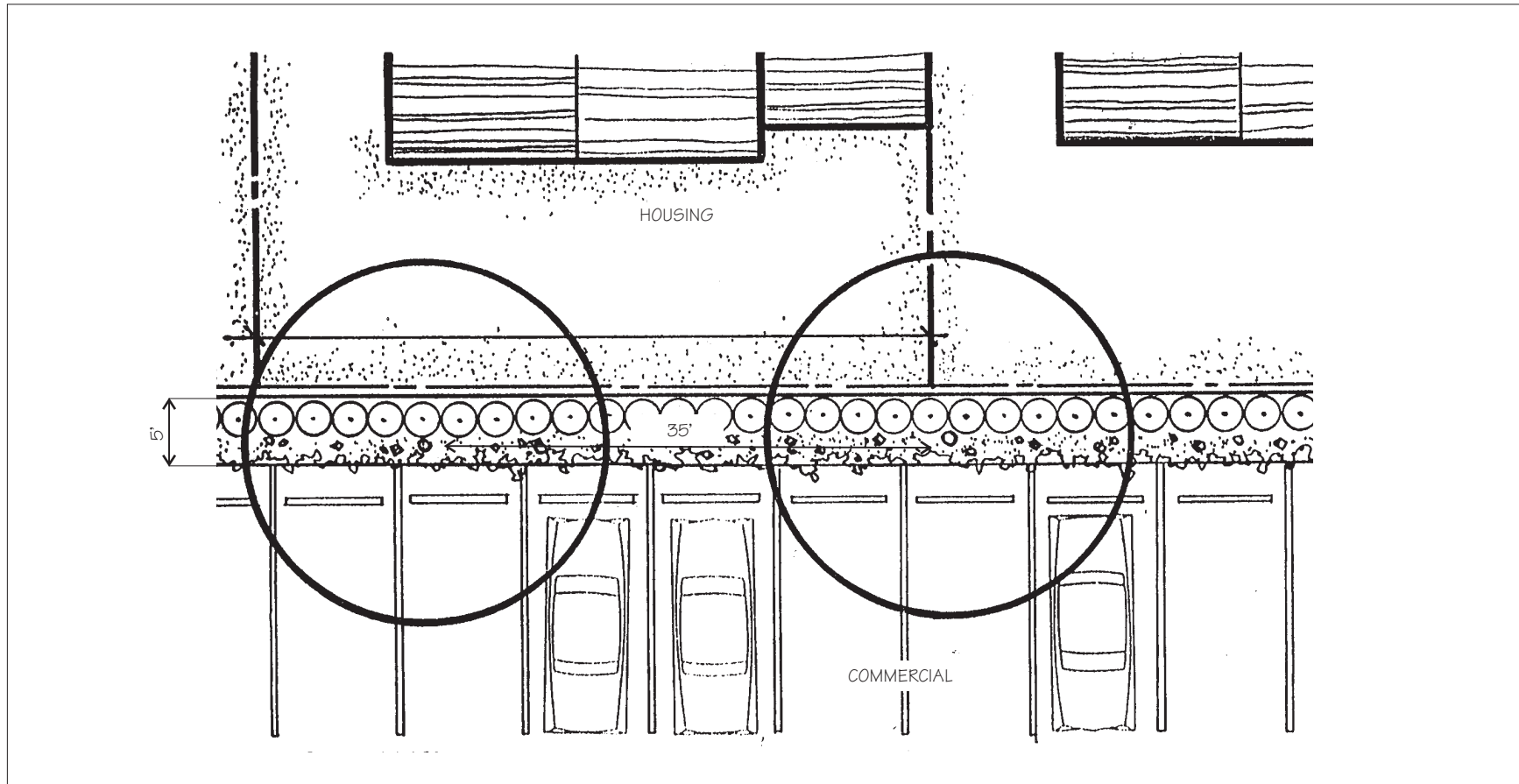
NOTE: EXCEPT FOR SINGLE FAMILY AND DUPLEX DEVELOPMENT, EXISTING DEVELOPMENT WHERE CERTAIN PERMIT(S) ARE REQUIRED WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE THE PARKING LOT BUFFER AND STREET TREES. (SEE LANDSCAPE CODE FOR SPECIFICS).



This sketch shows parking lot buffer requirements in Chapter 18A for all parking lots that abut a public R.O.W. or a private road. The requirements are:

- A 7 ft. landscape strip
- A 3 ft. high wall and/or hedge/shrub mass
- Hedge or shrub materials shall be a minimum of 18" in height at time of planting with a maximum space of 30 inches on center or a minimum height of 36 inches with a maximum average spacing of 48 inches.
- Street trees are required at an average of 35 ft. on center.

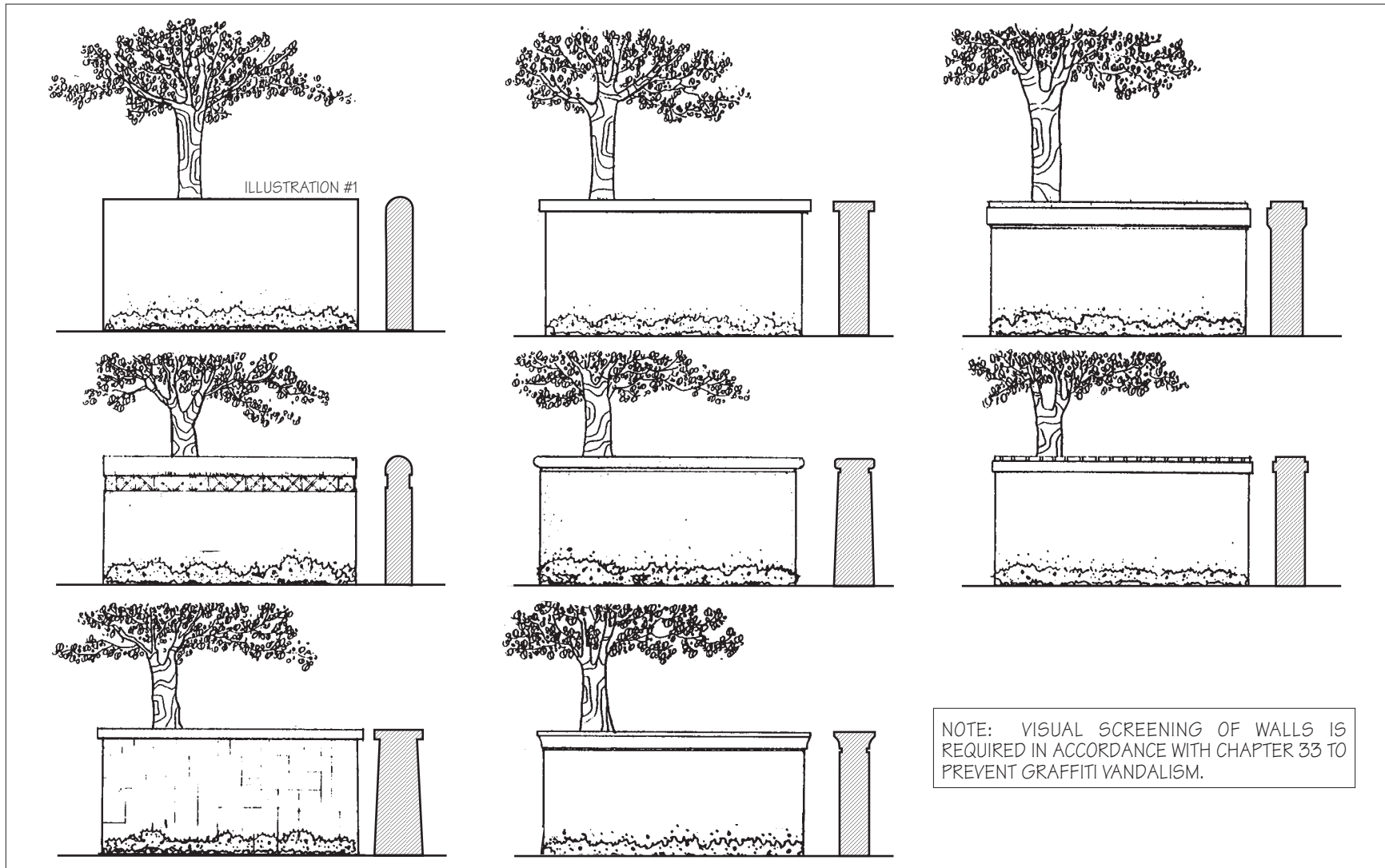
## BUFFERS



This sketch shows the buffer requirements in Chapter 18A for dissimilar land uses. The requirements are:

- A minimum 5 ft. landscape strip
- A wall, fence, hedge or shrub mass (see 18A for heights, etc.)
- If shrubs are used as a buffer they shall be a minimum of 30 inches in height at the time of planting, and shall be planted at a maximum average spacing of 36 inches on center or a minimum of 36 inches in height at time of planting and planted at a maximum average spacing of 48 inches on center.
- Trees shall be planted at an average spacing of 35 ft. on center.

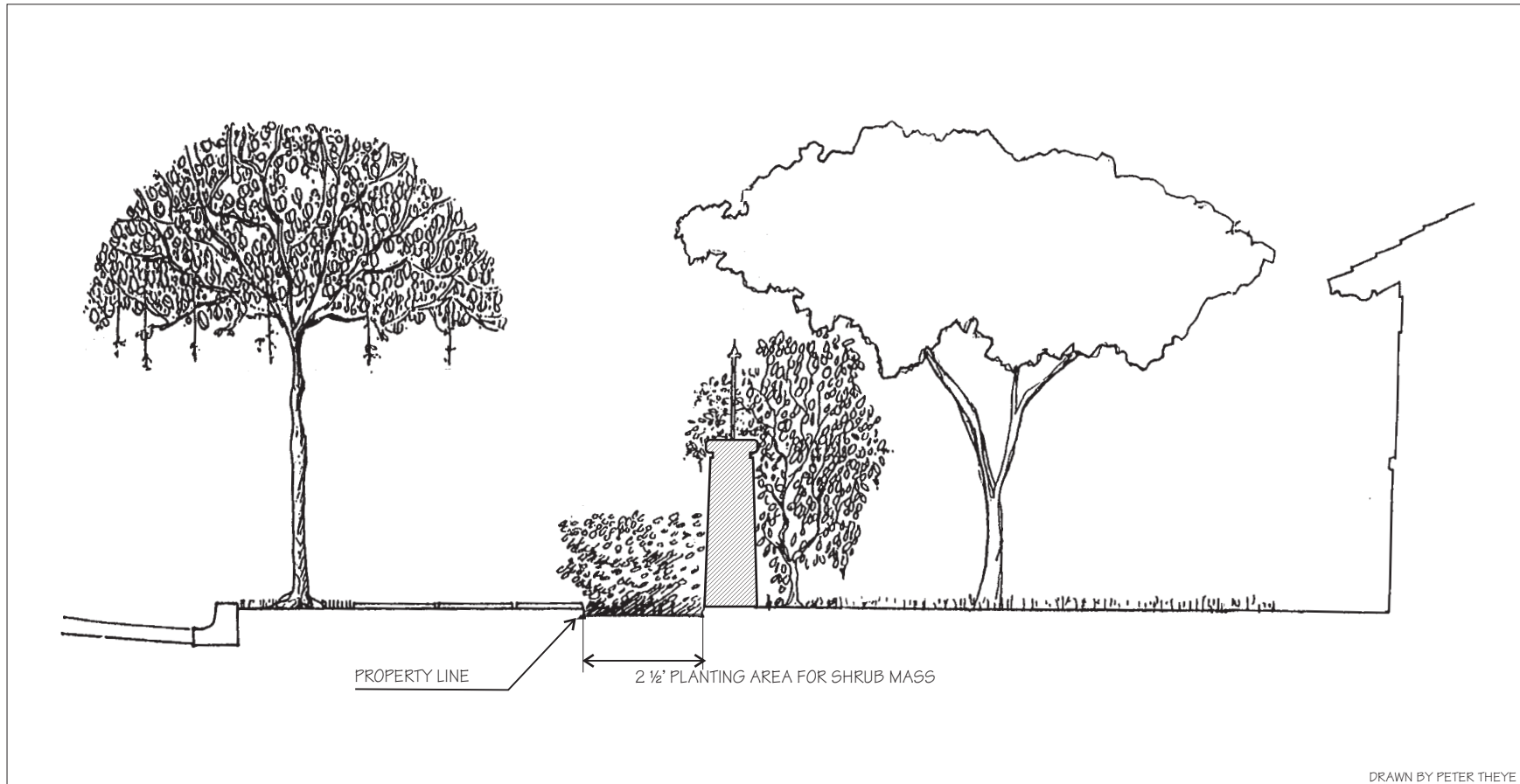
## BUFFERS



Walls or hedges are required adjacent to parking lots and between parking lots and between dissimilar uses. They are often unsuccessfully used to wall off neighborhoods. Most walls in Miami-Dade County are not aesthetically pleasing. Illustrated

above are designed walls which could be used for guidance. The “Vizcaya” type wall shown in illustration #1 is simple, and aesthetically pleasing model for wall design.

## BUFFERS



This sketch demonstrates a compatible solution when a wall is necessary around a neighborhood. A green buffer of street trees and sidewalk/bikepath results in a positive transition between

street and wall. The use of a lower masonry wall topped with wrought iron and planted with a hedge or shrub mass reduces the visual impact of the wall while affording security.



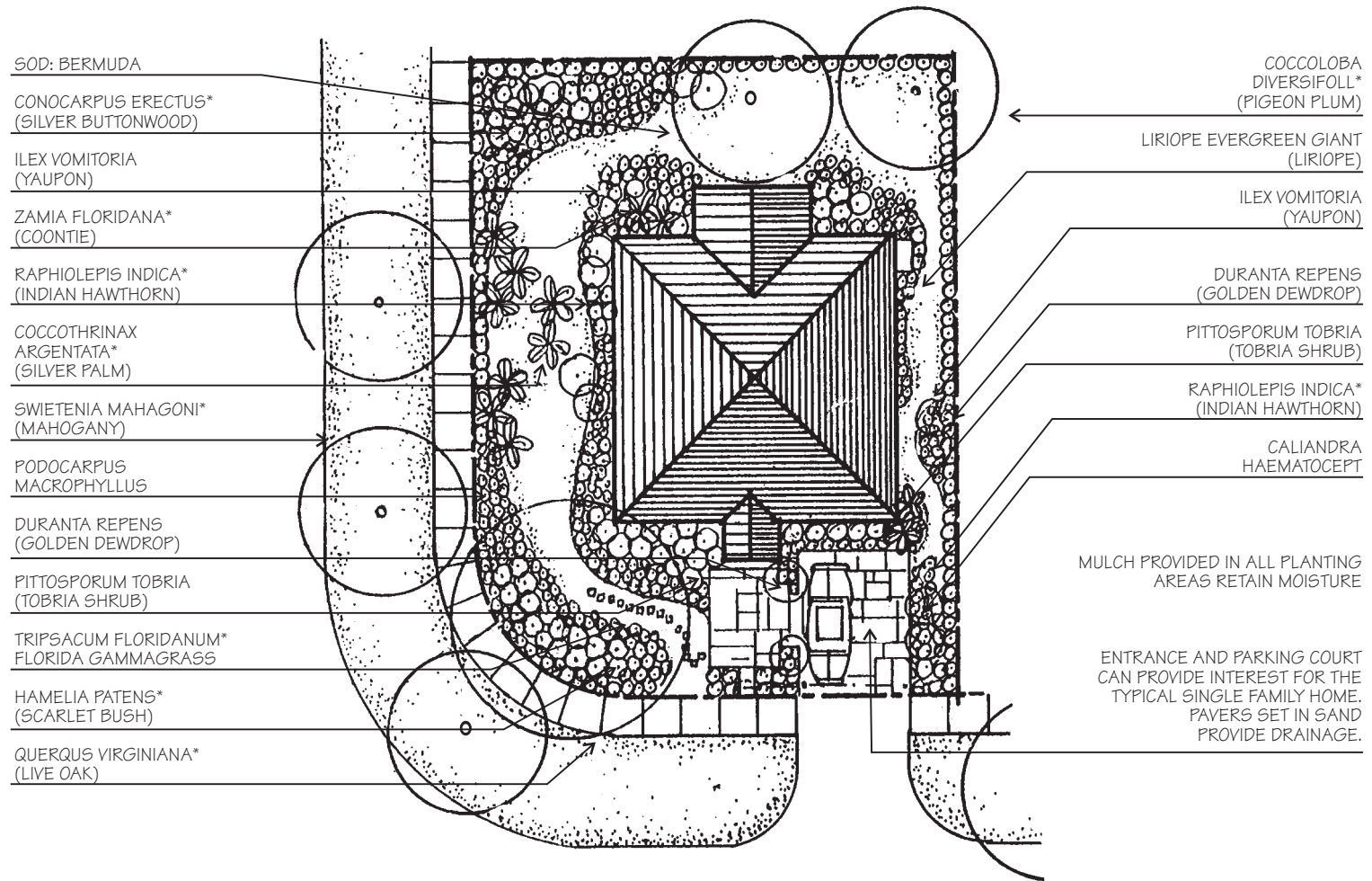
THE LANDSCAPE MANUAL

## XERISCAPE

The term *xeriscape* means the *design of landscapes that minimize the use of water by the planting of drought tolerant plant material and the design of irrigation systems that conserve water use. Soil amendments, the minimal use of lawn areas, the extensive use of mulch for water retention and proper maintenance are critical aspects of xeriscape planning.*

*Following are examples of single family residential, and commercial development that demonstrate use of drought tolerant species for these typical development types. The sketches demonstrate the use of drought and moderately drought tolerant species however, they are not considered model approaches since the designer has numerous species to select for designing xeriscape landscapes. The appendix includes a comprehensive list of plant material with specific characteristics including the degree of drought tolerance.*

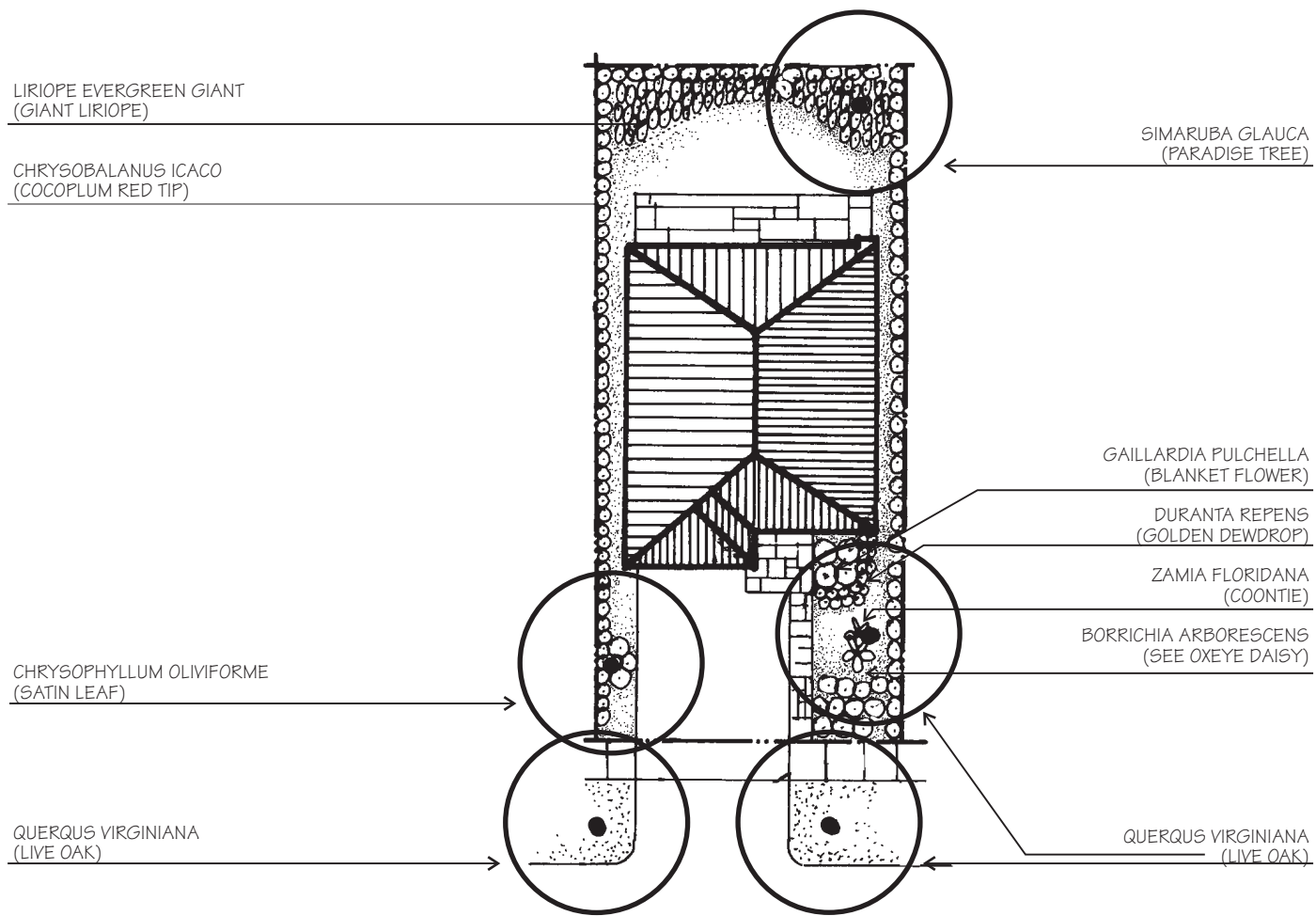
# EXAMPLE OF XERISCAPE: RESIDENTIAL



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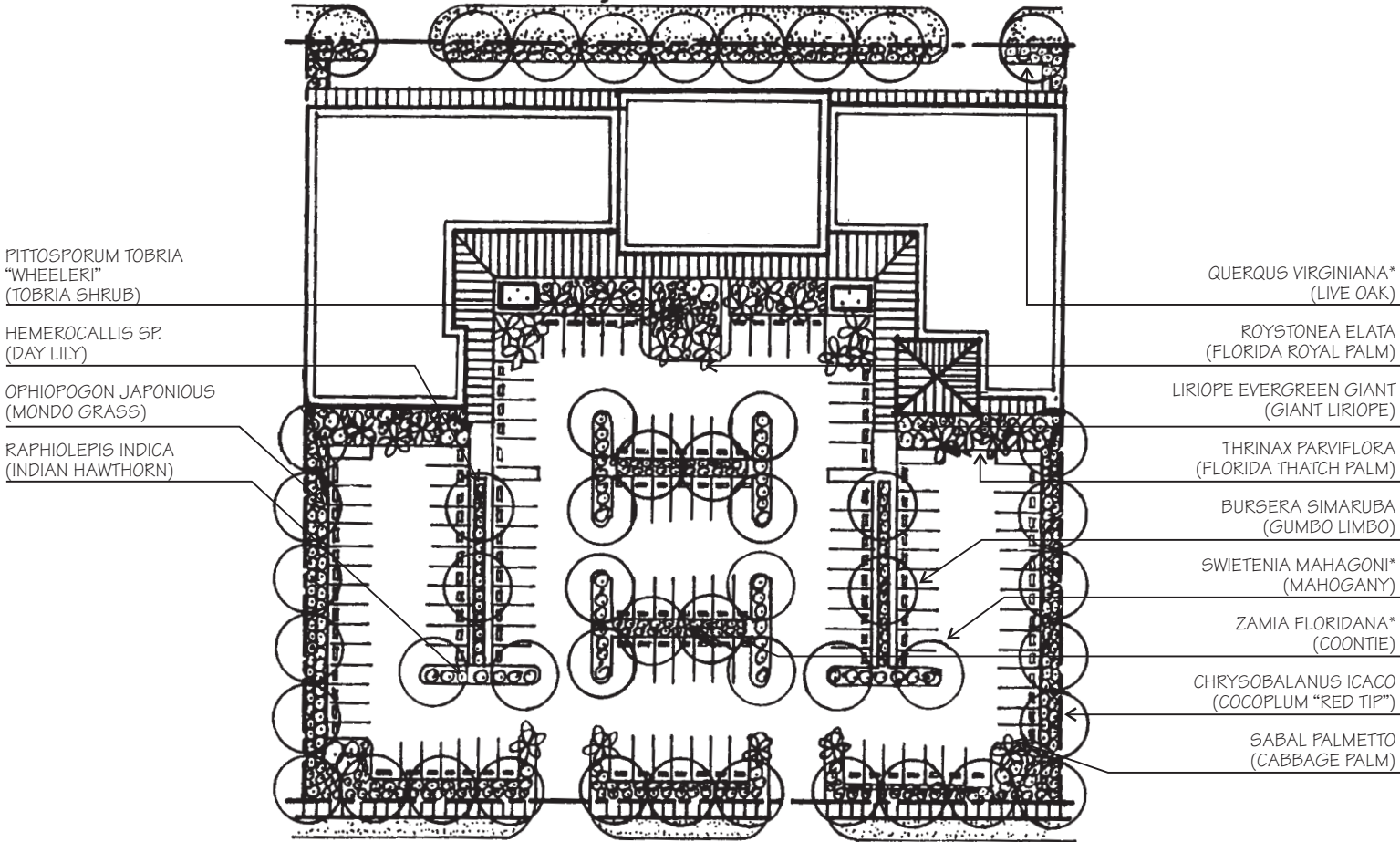
°XERISCAPE°RESIDENTIAL UNIT°

# EXAMPLE OF XERISCAPE: MODIFIED SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL RU-1M(A)



°XERISCAPE°MODIFIED SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIALRU-1M(A)°

# EXAMPLE OF XERISCAPE: COMMERCIAL



°XERISCAPE°COMMERCIAL PLAN°

## IRRIGATION

Irrigation is not required in the Landscape Code but may be required in Chapter 33, the Zoning Code. If irrigation is required or is provided, criteria as provided in the Landscape Code shall be met. Basically the requirements are:

- Newly planted or relocated material shall be watered by temporary or permanent systems until they are established (this criteria applies regardless of Chapter 33 provisions).
- Native plant communities, natural forest communities and existing healthy landscape areas shall not be watered by permanent systems, except for temporary systems needed to establish newly planted materials.
- Differential irrigation systems shall be provided for high and low water requirements zones.
- Irrigation systems shall be designed with heads which do not overthrow onto impervious surfaces.
- Low trajectory spray heads and/or low volume water distribution systems shall be used except that aerial systems may only be used for bonafide agricultural activity.

- During dry periods, irrigation application rates of between one and one and one half inches per week are recommended for turf areas.
- A moisture or rain sensor device shall be required on all irrigation systems equipped with automatic controls.
- Irrigation systems shall be timed to meet requirements of Chapter 32 of the Code.
- If permanent irrigation systems are not provided a hose bib shall be provided within 75 feet of any landscaped area.

Other specific requirements for irrigation are provided in the Landscape Code. Requirements for information to be provided on irrigation plans are also provided in the Landscape Code.

Note: Porous underground irrigation systems eliminate overspray and are encouraged.

# IRRIGATION GRAPHIC SYMBOLS

In order to achieve consistency in plan reading the following graphic symbols are recommended to be used by irrigation engineers.

Description	Symbol
Full Spray Head . . . . .	
¾ Spray Head. . . . .	
½ Spray Head. . . . .	
¼ Spray Head. . . . .	
Strip Head. . . . .	
Bubbler Head. . . . .	
Impact Head or Ball Rotor Head. . . . .	
Hose Bibb. . . . .	 H.B.
Valves . . . . .	
Valve Grouping . . . . .	
Vacuum Breaker. . . . .	
Water Meter. . . . .	
Controller . . . . .	
Main Lines . . . . .	
Supply Sprinkler Lines. . . . .	
Road Crossings . . . . .	

# IRRIGATION

- The following examples demonstrate irrigation design methods to minimize over spray into impervious surfaces such as in parking lots.

## °STRIP AREAS OF 5 FEET OF WIDTH °

### NOZZLE TYPE:

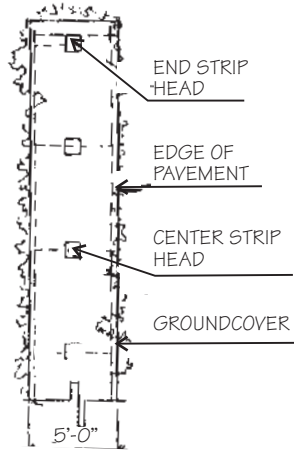
STRIP SPRAY HEAD (12" POP-UP) STREAM  
BUBBLER (POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

DEPENDING ON TYPE AND SIZE OF PLANT MATERIAL, THE SPRINKLER HEADS MAY BE PLACED ON RISERS

SPRINKLER HEADS TO BE PLACED IN CENTER OF STRIP

IF SHRUBS OVER 12" TALL ARE PLANTED USE FLAT TRAJECTORY STREAM SPRAY HEADS (3" POP-UP)



## °STRIP AREAS OF 5 FEET OF WIDTH °

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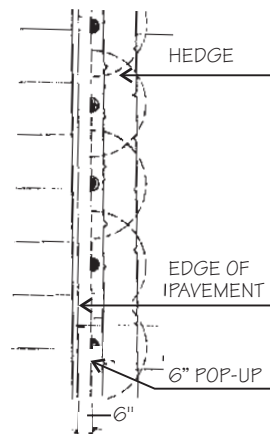
LOW ANGLE SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP) STREAM  
SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

SPRINKLER HEADS ARE TO BE LOCATED 6" FROM THE EDGE OF THE PAVEMENT

WHERE WIND PROBLEMS EXIST TRAJECTORY NOZZLES MAY BE USED

SPACING MAY HAVE TO BE "CLOSED IN" TO PROVIDE PROPER COVERAGE



## °PARKING LOT STALL CUT OUTS °

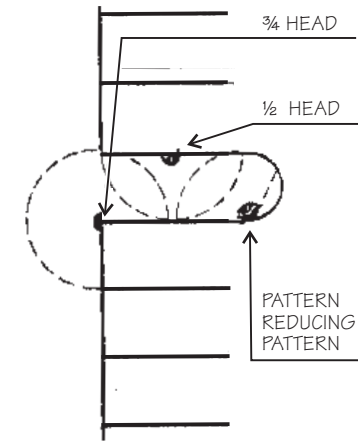
### NOZZLE TYPE:

0" OR 7" TRAJECTORY SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP) 12" IN GROUND COVER  
PATTERN REDUCING NOZZLE (6" POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

THE SAME LAYOUT IS USED IF THE AREA IS CURBED OR NOT

PATTERN REDUCING NOZZLE SHOULD BE ADJUSTED TO MINIMUM OVER SPRAY



## °PARKING LOT END ISLAND °

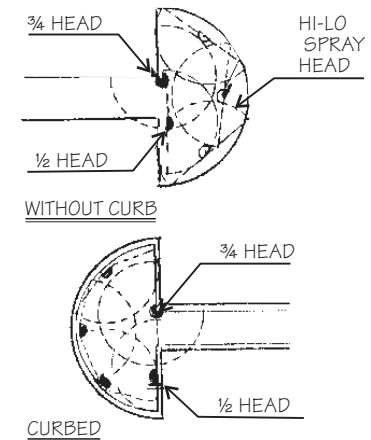
### NOZZLE TYPE:

0" OR 7" TRAJECTORY SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP, 12" IN GROUND COVER)  
HI-LO SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS

USE HI-LO SPRAY NOZZLE WHEN AREA IS WITHOUT CURB. HEADS TO BE SET BACK FROM EDGE OF PAVEMENT IN RELATION TO THE RADIUS OF THE BACK TRAJECTORY

WHEN AREA IS CURBED HEADS MAY BE PLACED ADJACENT TO CURB





# IRRIGATION

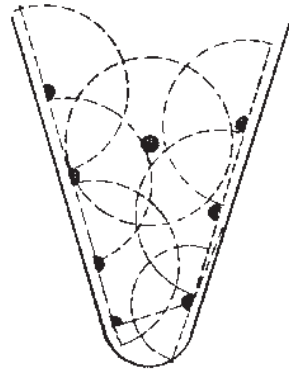
## ◦GORE AREAS◦

### NOZZLE TYPE:

STANDARD SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)  
 LOW ANGLE SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)  
 PATTERN REDUCING HEAD (6" POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

SPACING TO BE "CLOSED IN" NEAR THE TIP.  
 POSSIBLE USE OF RISERS IF GROUND COVER  
 IS USED. SET IN 2' FROM CURB AND USE  
 HI-LO SPRAY HEAD.



## ◦PARKING LOT STRIPS◦

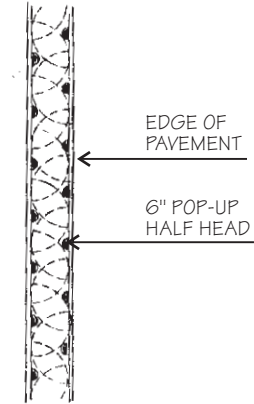
### NOZZLE TYPE:

STANDARD SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)  
 STREAM SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

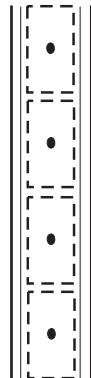
USE STREAM SPRAY HEADS IN SHRUB  
 MASS

ALTERNATE HEAD LAYOUT  
 FROM ONE SIDE TO THE OTHER



## ◦CENTRAL STRIP◦

### SQUARE HEAD SPRAYERS



(SKETCHES ADOPTED FROM DCAD DESIGN  
 GUIDELINES MANUAL L-18 - L-21)

## ◦ROUND CORNERS◦

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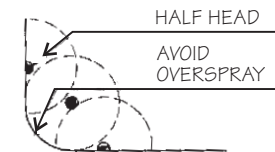
PATTERN REDUCING NOZZLE  
 (6" POP-UP-12" GROUND COVER BEDS)  
 STANDARD SPRAY HEAD (6" POP-UP)  
 IMPACT OR ROTOR HEADS (POP-UP)

### SPECIAL APPLICATIONS:

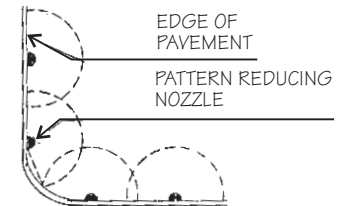
IN UNCURBED OR HEAVY TRAFFIC  
 AREAS USE LAYOUT (A)

IN CURBED AREAS USE LAY-OUT (B)

IN LARGE AREAS WHEN IMPACT OR  
 ROTOR HEADS ARE USED, THE SAME  
 LAY-OUT AS ABOVE SHALL BE USED  
 WITH PROPER SPACING



WITHOUT CURB (A)



CURBED (B)

# ENERGY CONSERVATION

The appropriate use of landscape can have a significant positive impact on energy conservation. The following are concepts for shading buildings and directing breezes for energy conservation.

**Principle No. 1** During the cooling season (summer) the hours of significant solar heat gain are as follows: east exposure-7:30 am to 12:30 pm; south exposure-9:30 am to 5:30 pm; and west exposure-2:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Thus, attempts to reduce heat gain must focus primarily on the use of trees and shrubs to shade, the eastern, the southern and the western, exposures during those time periods. The northern exposure has the lowest priority for the provision of shade. Trees and shrubs planted on the north side do provide cooling of the north wall, but less effective than those in other areas. This is because there is significant solar impact on the north side only on days within about one month of June 21.

**Principle No. 2** Energy conserving landscaping should be placed close to buildings to provide optimal shading patterns on the walls, the windows, and the immediately adjacent ground. Most studies of the use of landscaping for energy conservation have focused on the shading of the walls and windows of a structure. However, the shading and cooling of the air and ground immediately adjacent to a building is also quite important with regard to heat transfer into the building.

**Principle No. 3** In general, vegetation should be arranged in the SE area to funnel breezes into the buildings when the windows are open. More specifically, shrubs should be placed on the west side of south facing windows and on the north side of east facing windows to facilitate natural ventilation. If the residence will be air conditioned during most of the cooling season, the prevailing SW breezes should be blocked by placing tall shrubs on the south side of east facing windows and the east side of south facing windows.

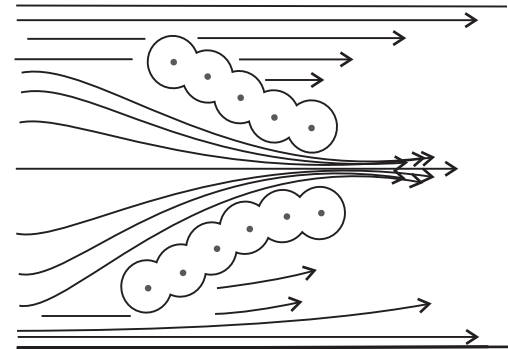
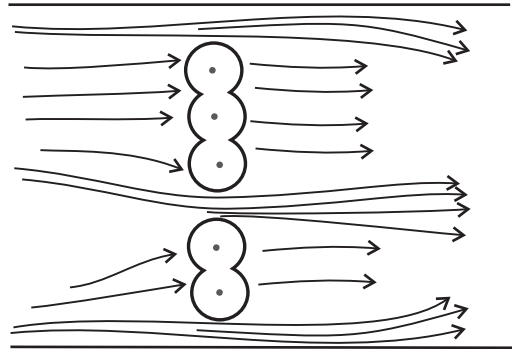
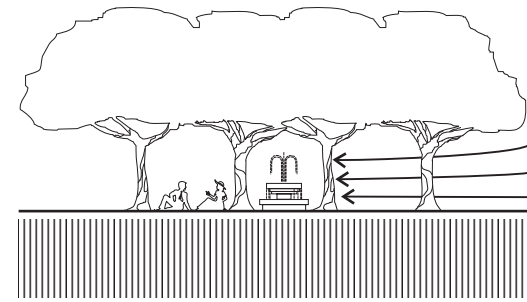
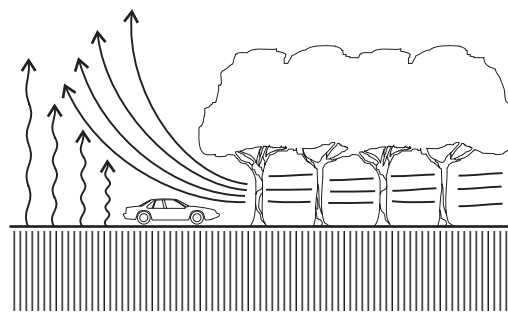
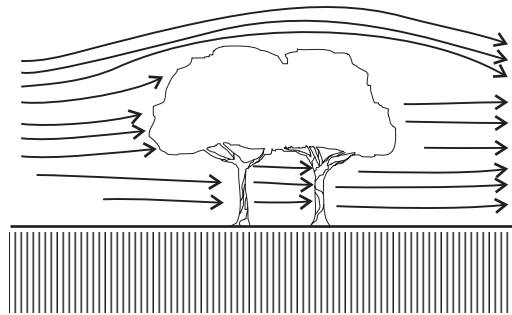
**Principle No. 4** The highest priority of energy conservation is the use of landscaping to shade air conditioning units and the area around it. This can increase the operating efficiency of a unit by 4-10% during the warmest daytime periods of the cooling season.

**Principle No. 5** Reduction in heat gain by walls and windows is maximized when a “ multi-layered canopy” is formed, composed of trees of different heights and shrubs planted beneath the trees but within 4 feet of walls.

A priority listing for shading buildings and areas near buildings with vegetation based upon potential energy conservation principles, is as follows (from highest to lowest): (1) windows; (2) air conditioners units; (3) uninsulated roofs; (4) walls immediately adjacent to windows; (5) east south and west walls; (6) horizontal surfaces adjacent to air conditioners; (7) north walls; (8) ground within 5 feet of walls; (9) solar absorbing surfaces within 20 feet of the building; (10) other adjacent ground areas.

The above principles were developed by Dr. Jack H. Parker in “The Implementation of Energy Conservation Landscaping Through Local Ordinances.”

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Air movement can also be increased and directed by creating an area of differential surface heating. Large expanses of hot paving will induce vertical air movement and draw air from adjacent areas. Therefore, cool air from shaded areas adjacent to parking or other open spaces will be drawn outwards. This air movement can be utilized for cooling pedestrian areas.

If combined with air movement, evaporation from water bodies has great cooling potential. Trapped evaporation should be avoided because it increases humidity levels and subsequent human discomfort. If sufficiently strong, the movement of water by streaming or spraying can likewise induce local air movement.

Adapted from Research by Ray Collins,  
Landscape Architect

Both plant material and structures alter the flow of air, creating an area where air velocity is reduced. Generally, seating, waiting and other pedestrian spaces should occur in areas where air movement and shade can be maximized.

This combined with the psychological effects of water bodies and shade can be significant in lowering the actual temperature and humidity as well as the perceived degree of heat.

## ENERGY CONSERVATION

**PALM CLUSTERS:** Palms provide shade when clustered, they are best used in areas that require little or no shading.

**GROUNDCOVERS:** Can be used instead of sod, drought tolerant species require little watering and can provide color and texture.

**SHRUBS:** Near windows, provide shading when the sun's angle is low and tree canopies are high. If shrubs are planted near walls and windows they should be trimmed often to discouraged crime.

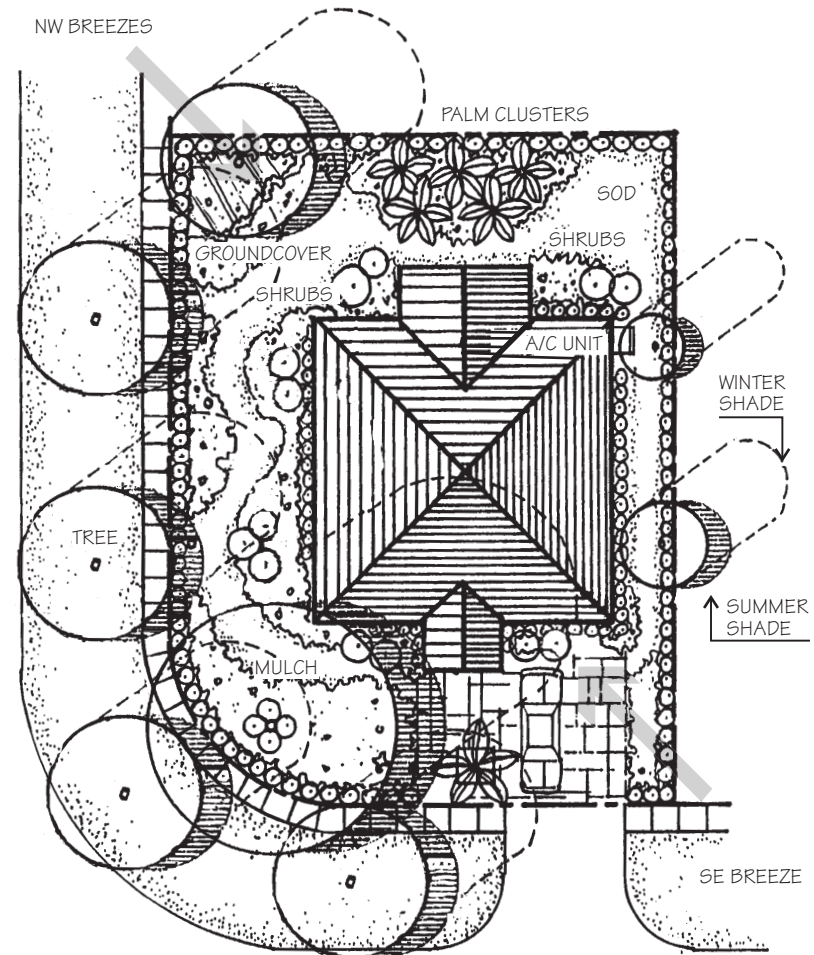
**TREES:** In this example, trees have been placed to adequately shade a typical South Florida home. The trees to the east side of the house shade the A/C unit and the east wall as well as windows (morning hours). Trees shade windows, entrance, and parking pavement at the south side of the house, and to the west they provide protection from the afternoon sun. Through evaporation (loss of water from the soil by evaporation from the surface and by transpiration from the plants) trees cool surrounding areas by as much as 10° f., noise pollution and glare are also reduced.

**MULCH:** Mulches provide organic nutrients to plants, and can replace sod and be used along landscape paths giving color, texture and since its pervious, water is filtered easily into the aquifer.

**BREEZES:** In this example, trees are planted predominately along the east and west/southwest side of the unit permitting the sea breezes (during the warm season) to cool the surrounding unit and landscape areas.

**LAWN:** The use of sod should be minimized because of water consumption. Lawn areas should only be used for outdoor activities.

NOTE: ALTHOUGH THE EXAMPLES ARE SINGLE FAMILY UNITS THE SAME CONCEPTS APPLY TO OTHER TYPES OF DEVELOPMENT EXCEPT THAT LARGE PAVED SURFACES SUCH AS PARKING LOTS NEED TO AVOID HEAT ISLAND EFFECTS.



°ENERGY CONSERVATION USING LANDSCAPE°

# ENERGY CONSERVATION

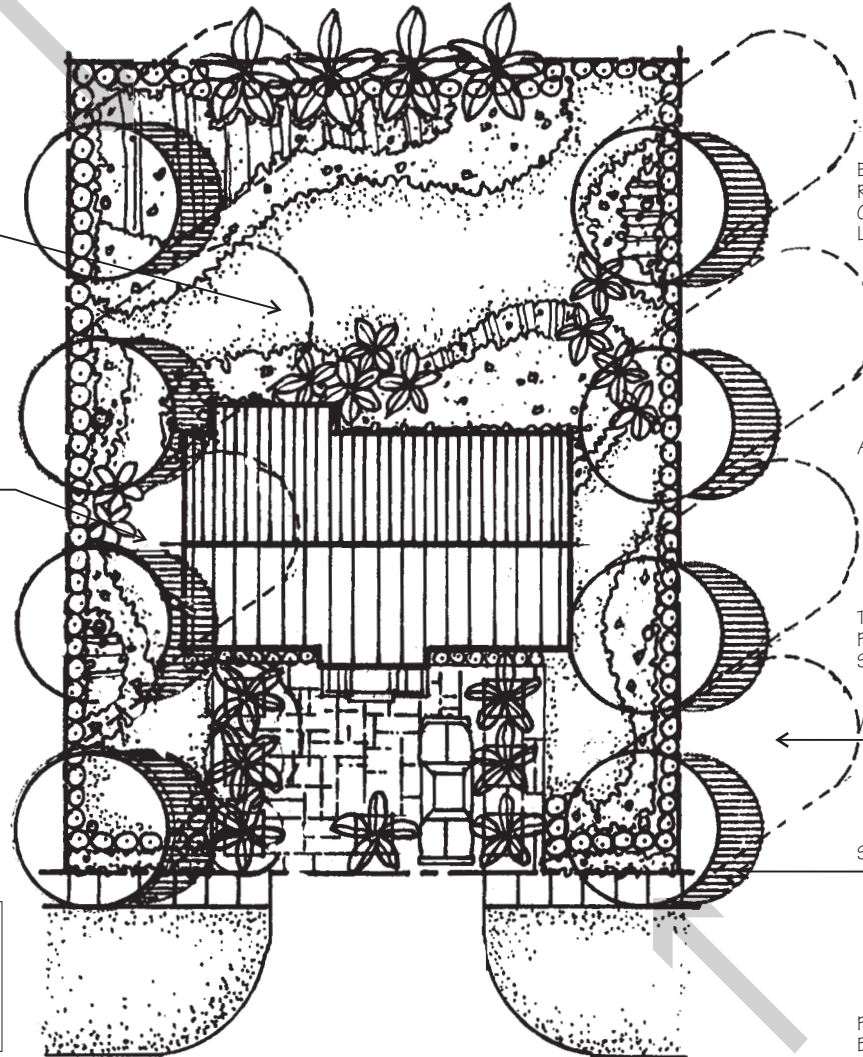
PREDOMINANT WINTER BREEZES(NW)

PROJECTED WINTER SHADE (JANUARY, 2:00PM)

PROJECTED SUMMER SHADE (JULY / AUGUST 2:00PM)

PARKING COURT SHADED BY TREES AND PALMS TO COOL PAVEMENT. ALSO THE USE OF NON GLARE PAVING HELPS IN REDUCING HEAT.

NOTE: EAST, SOUTH AND WEST EXPOSURES HAVE MAJOR HEAT GAIN AND SHOULD BE EXTENSIVELY PLANTED BY SHADE TREES AND SHRUBS.



EXTENSIVE SHADING NOT REQUIRED ON NORTH SIDE OF THIS LOT BECAUSE OF LOWER SOLAR RADIATION

A/C SHADED

TREES PLANTED ON THE PROPERTY LINE ALSO HELP SHADE ADJACENT UNIT

WINTER SHADE

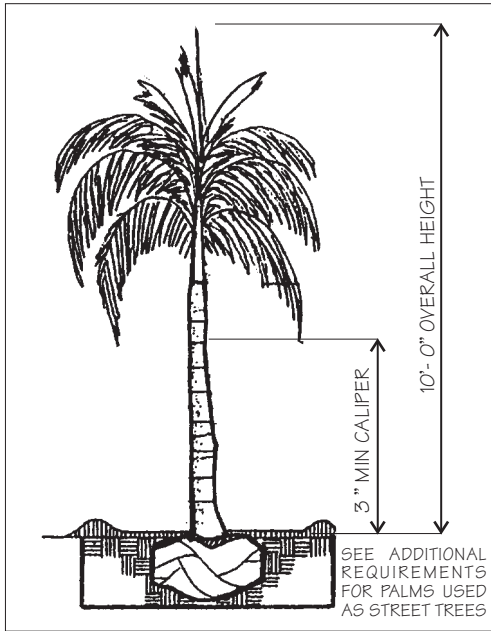
SUMMER SHADE

PREDOMINANT SUMMER BREEZES (S.E.)

°FORMAL TREE APPROACH FOR ENERGY CONSERVATION °

# MINIMUM TREE SIZES

(TREE SIZES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH 18A)



## ◦ PALM TREE ◦

MINIMUM SIZE FOR A PALM (TWO PALMS COUNT AS ONE LOT TREE) SEE ADDITIONAL CRITERIA FOR STREET TREES PLANTED UNDER POWER LINES

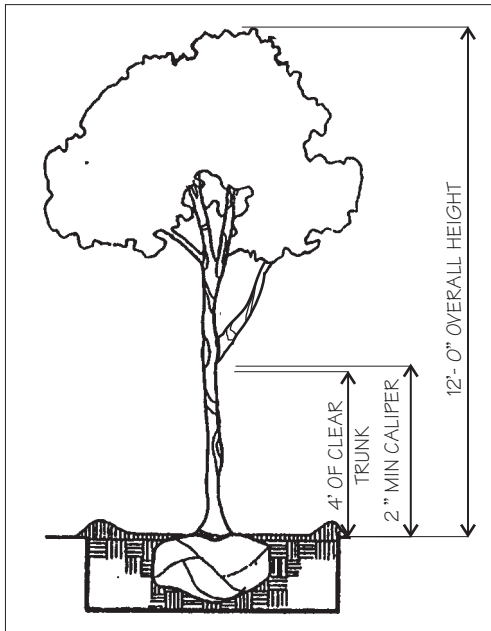
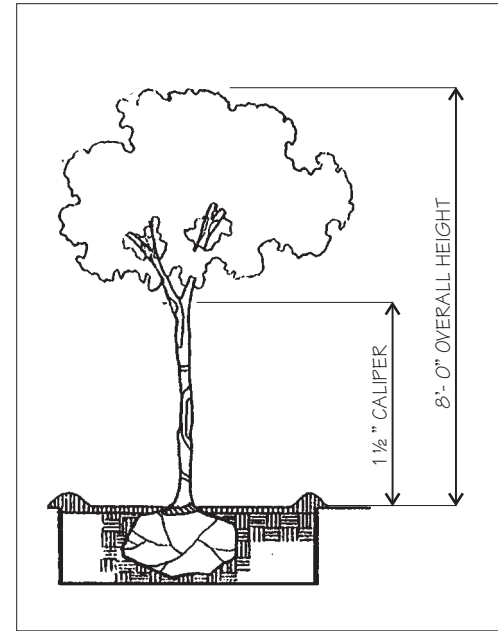
NOTE: PALMS USED AS STREET TREES SHALL BE 14' OVERALL HEIGHT WITH A MINIMUM CALIPER OF 4"-PALMS USED AS STREET TREES SHALL COUNT ON A 1:1 BASIS WITH AN AVERAGE MAXIMUM SPACING OF 25' O.C.

NO MORE THAN 30 PERCENT OF THE MINIMUM NUMBER OF REQUIRED LOT TREES MAY BE MET BY PALMS

## ◦ NATIVE TREE ◦

MINIMUM SIZE FOR NATIVE LOT TREE

A MAXIMUM OF 30 PERCENT OF LOT TREE REQUIREMENT MAY BE MET WITH 8 FOOT NATIVE TREES, AND A MINIMUM OF 30 PERCENT OF ALL REQUIRED TREES SHALL BE NATIVE

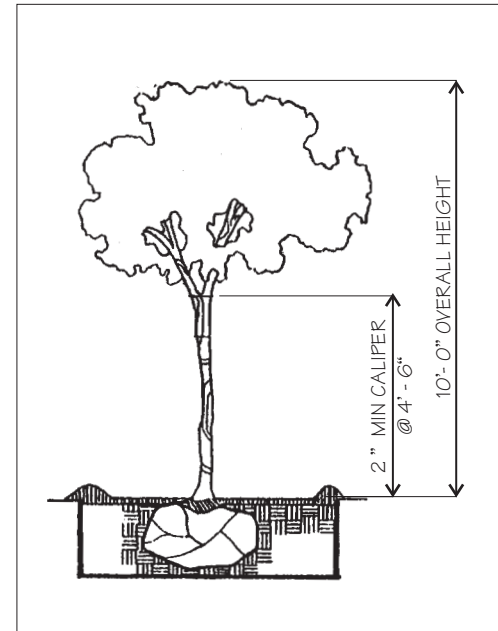


## ◦ STREET TREE ◦

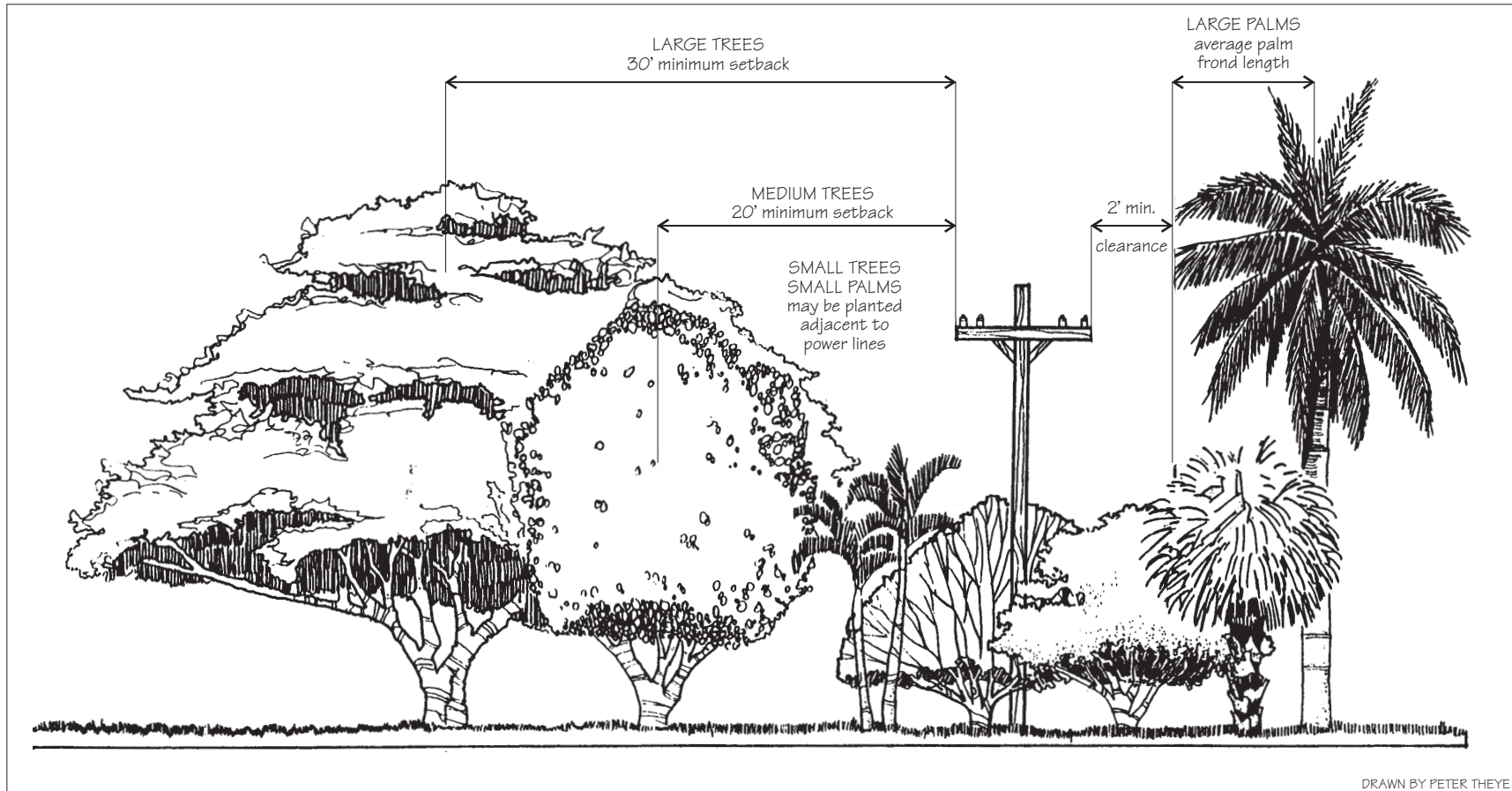
MINIMUM SIZE FOR STREET TREE  
NOTE: AVERAGE MAXIMUM SPACING OF 35' O.C.

## ◦ LOT TREE ◦

MINIMUM SIZE FOR LOT TREE



## TREE SIZES NEAR POWER LINE



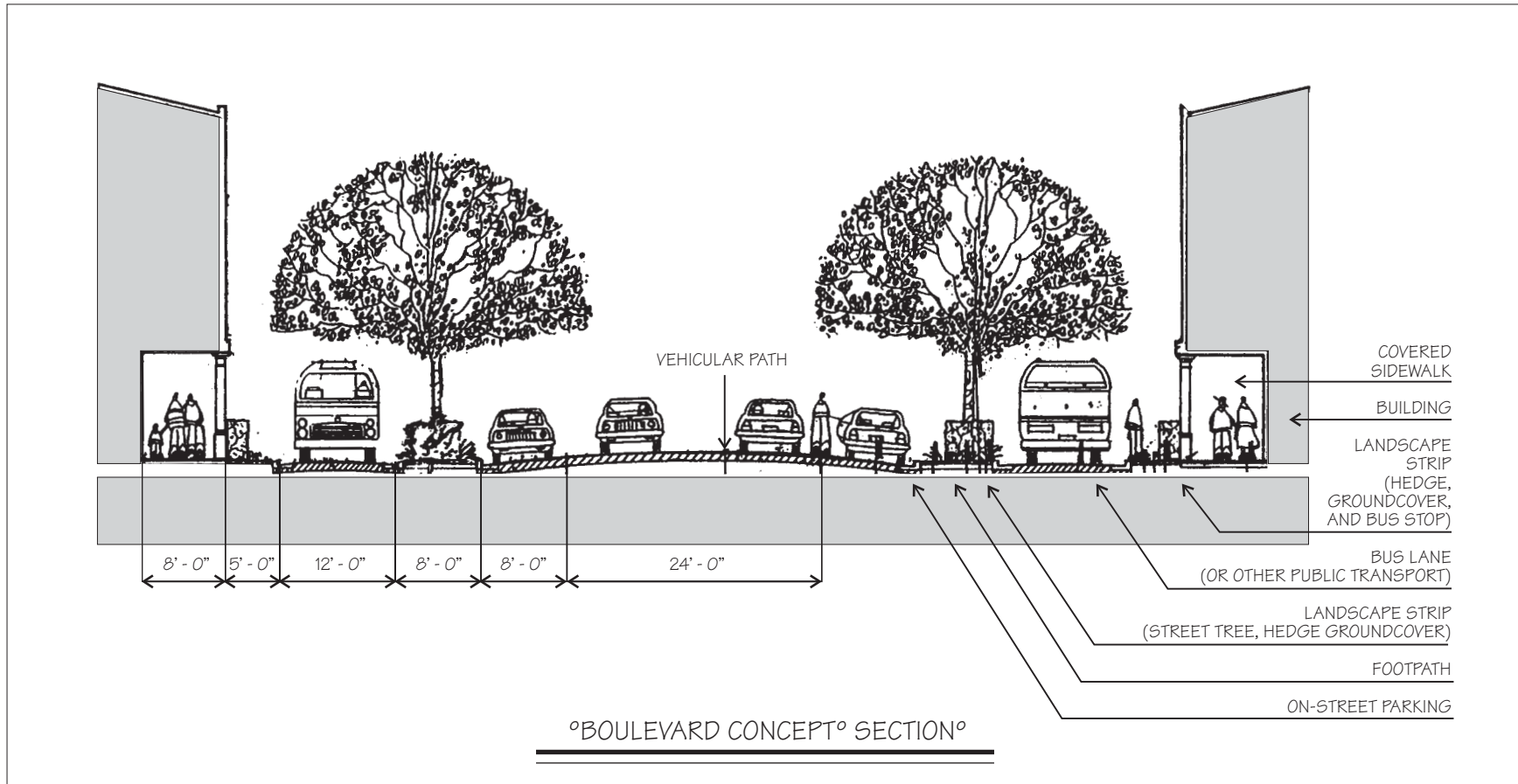
The FPL recommended distances for trees and palms to power lines.  
See appendix for list of small trees and palms for planting under power lines.  
See other specific requirements for planting under power lines in Chapter 18A.

## TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR

The following road sections and plans demonstrate innovative approaches to urban design and may require approval at public hearing by the Public Works Department and the Department of Planning and Zoning. These sketches illustrate the use of colonnades along the street while placing trees within the median along the roadway. Street trees are not required when a colonnade open to the public is placed within four feet of the edge of the roadway.

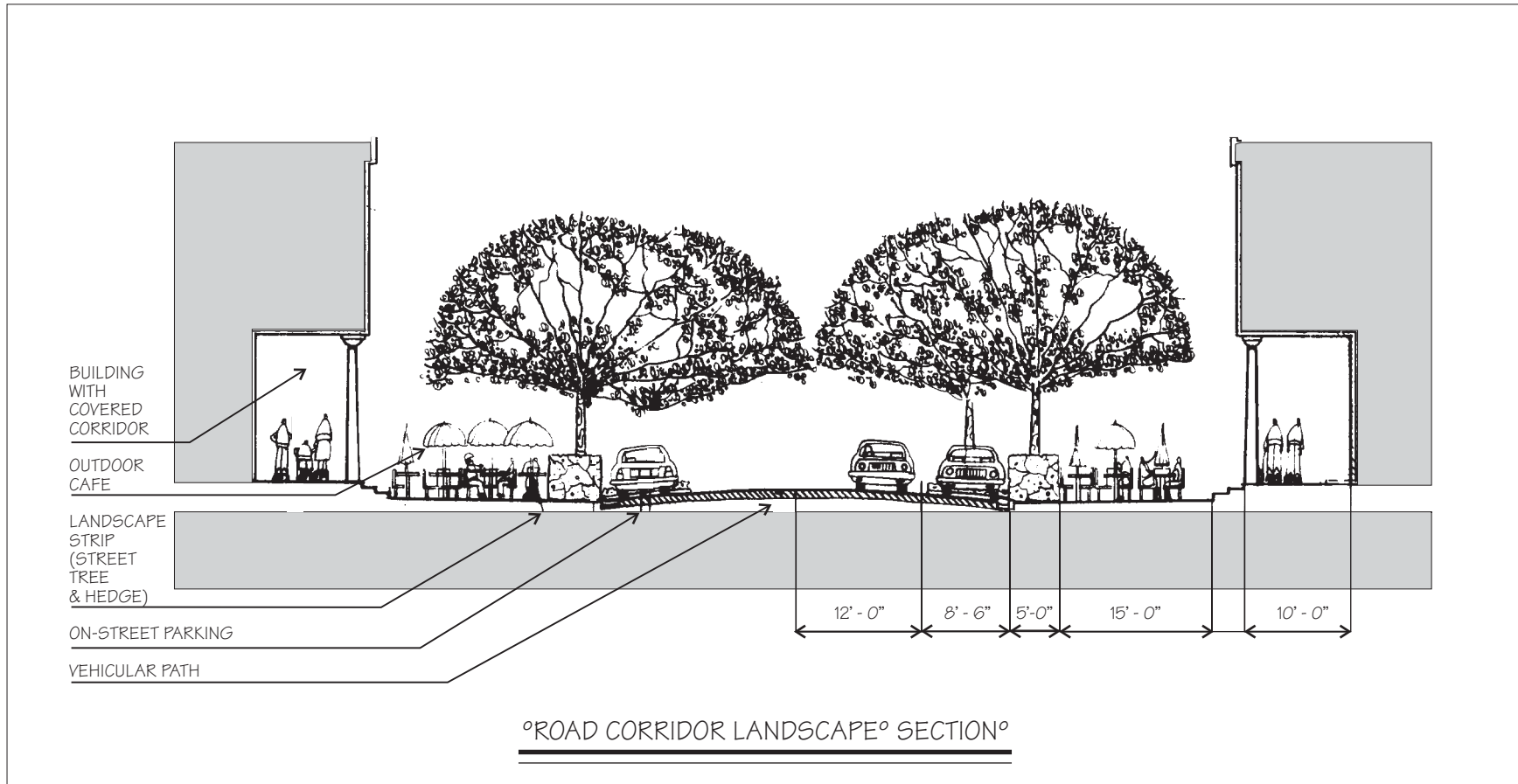


## TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR

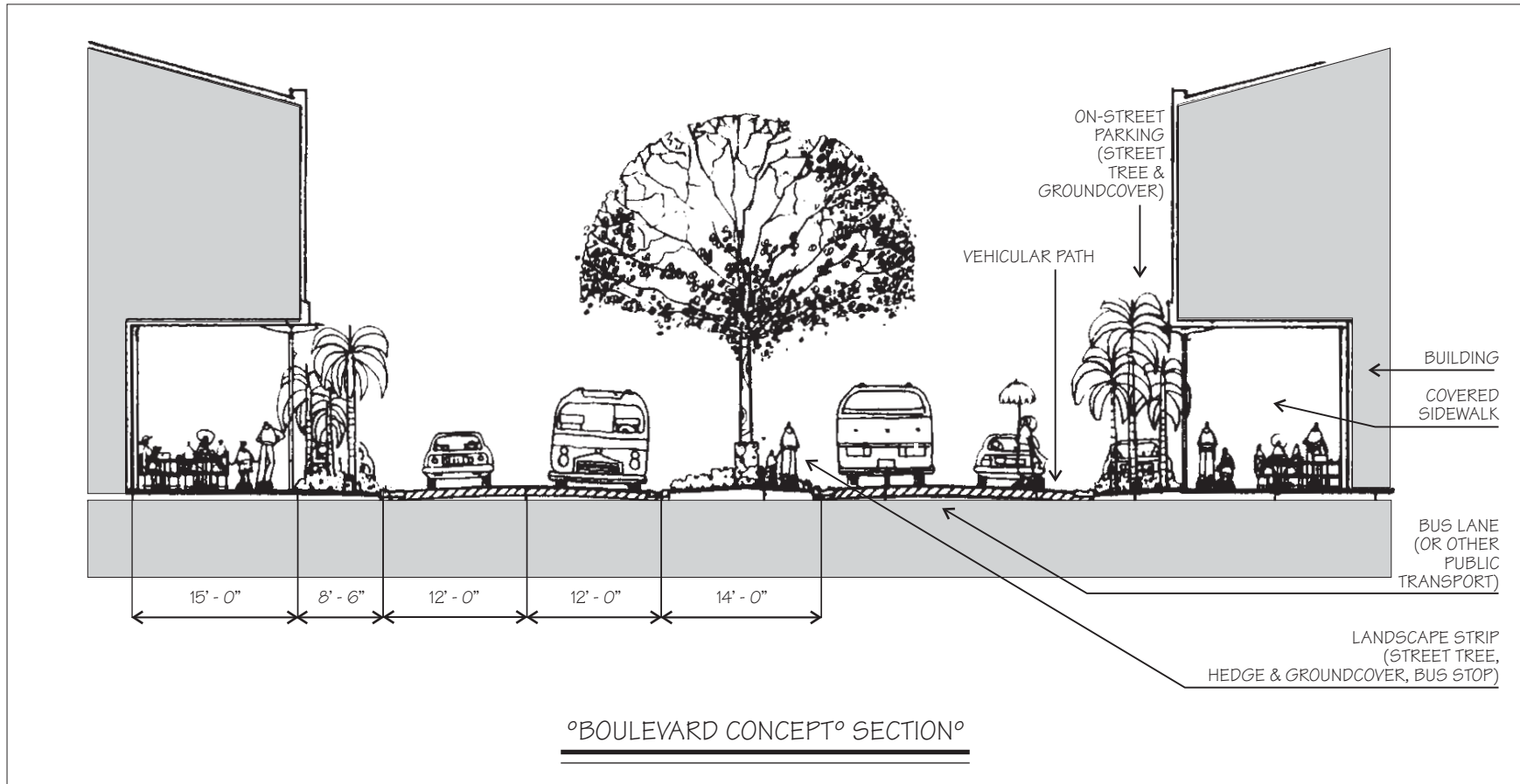


This boulevard concept plan uses street trees to define the minor road from the major road. A colonnade is used instead of street trees to shade the sidewalk.

# TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR

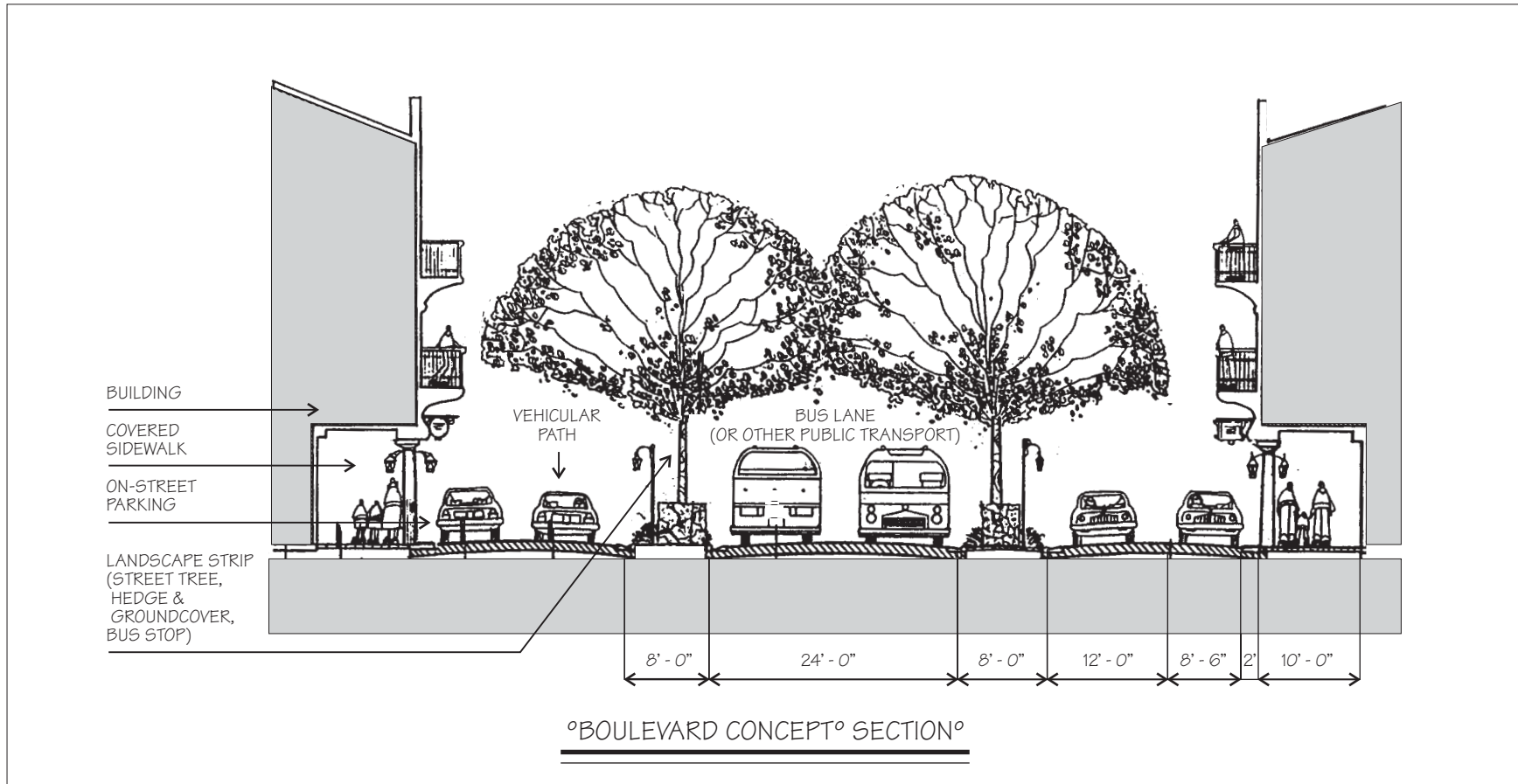


## TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR



This sketch demonstrates the use of street trees in a median with palms and an arcade to each side of the street section. The towncenter of Miami Lakes uses this approach for their main commercial street.

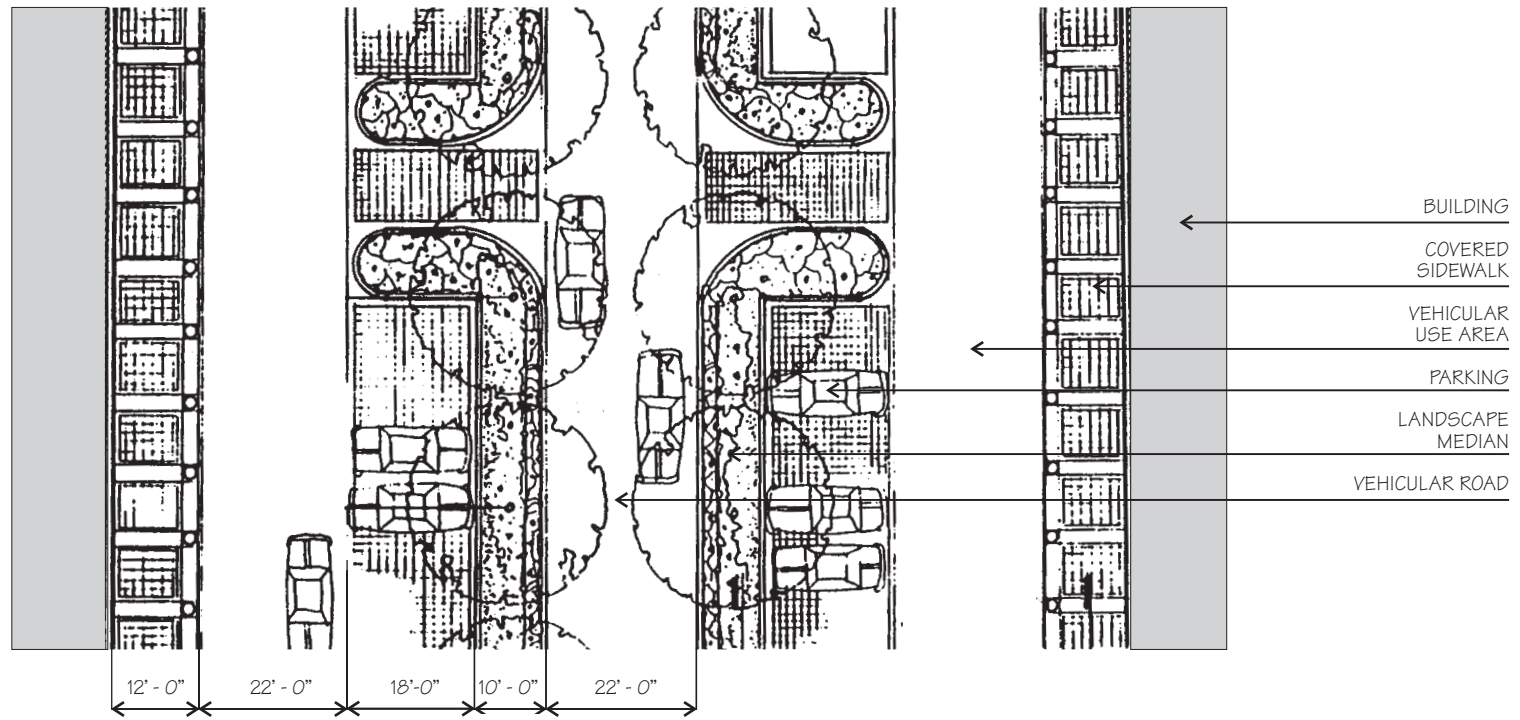
## TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR



This sketch integrates all aspects of the boulevard concept with street trees providing shade and defining the different traffic corridors; colonnades are used to shade the sidewalks while balconies provide interest to the architecture.

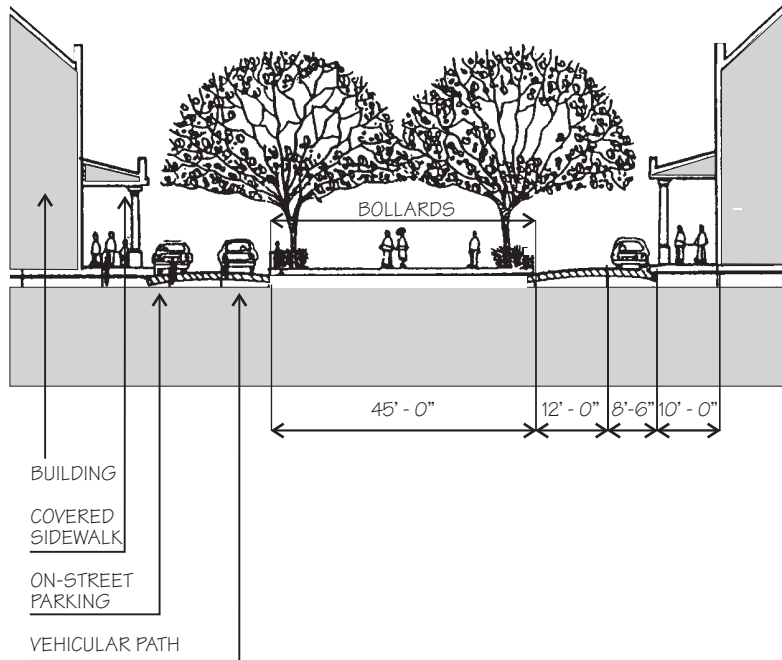
NOTE: STREET TREES ARE NOT REQUIRED WHEN A COLONNADE OR ARCADE IS PLACED WITHIN 4FT. OF THE EDGE OF THE ROADWAY.

# TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR

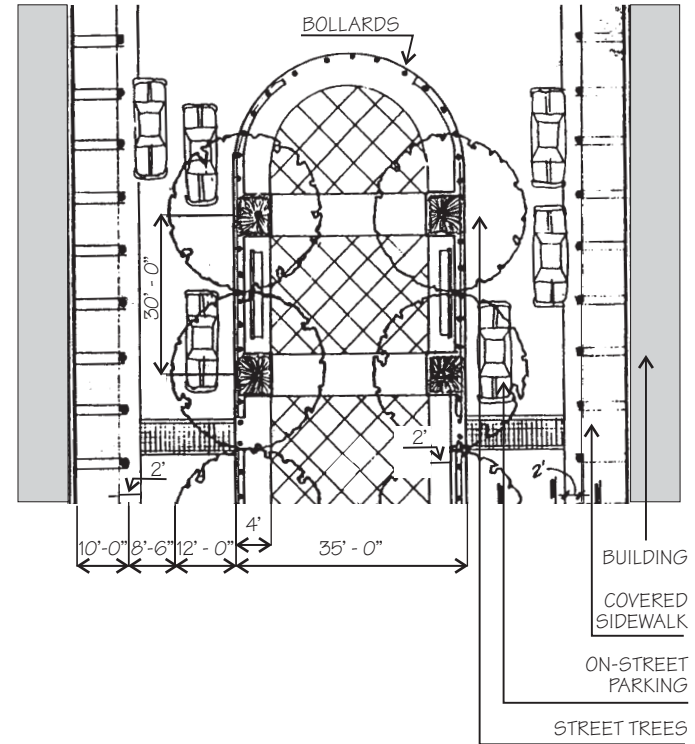


°ON-STREET PARKING CONCEPT°PLAN°

# TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR

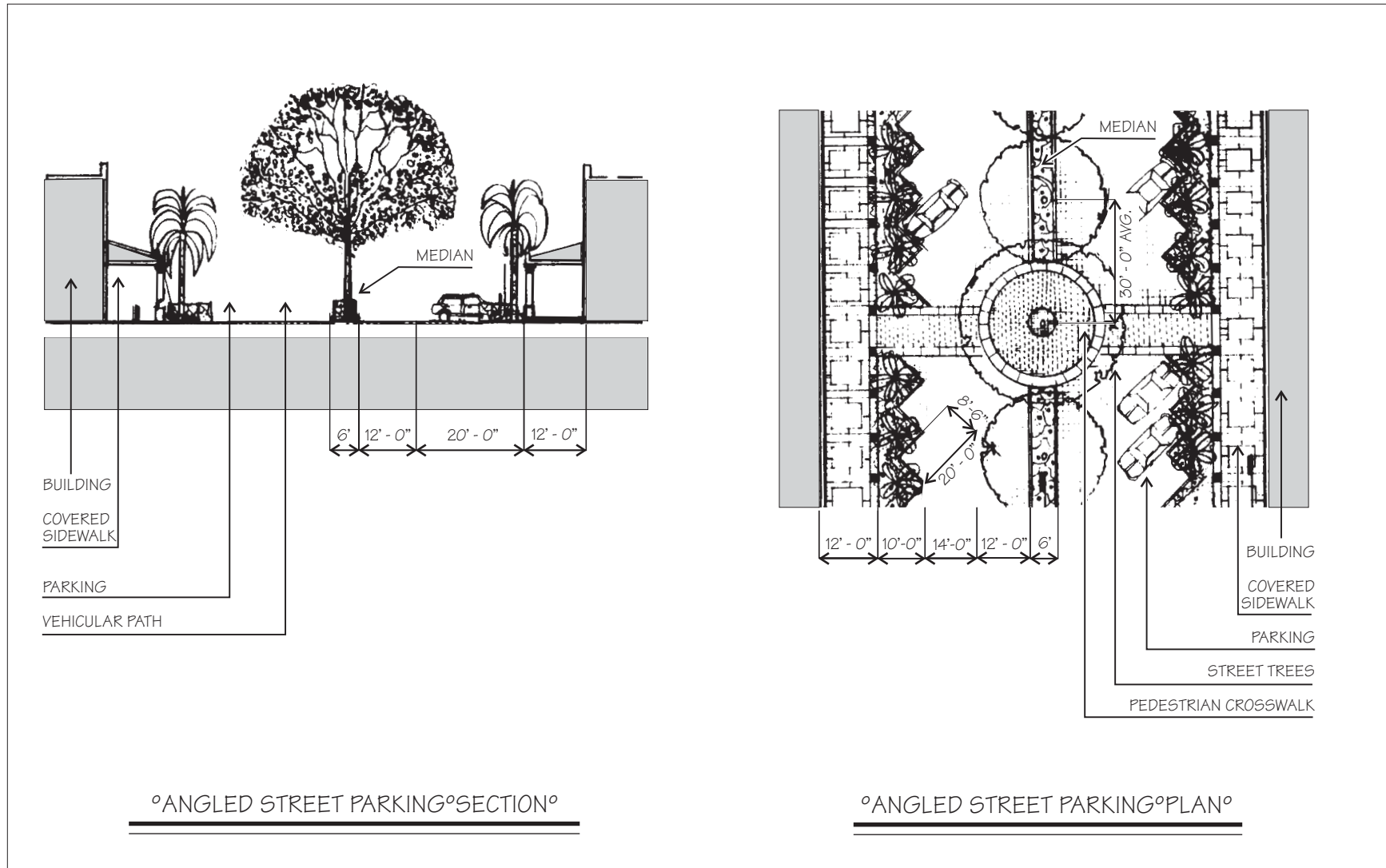


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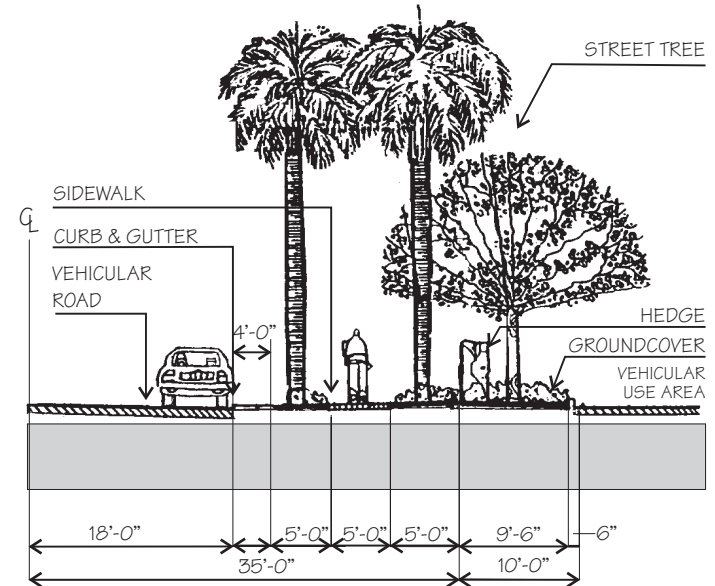
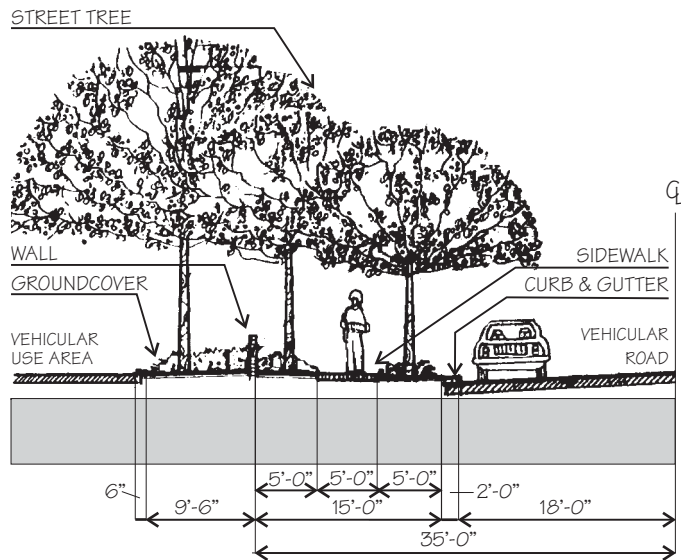
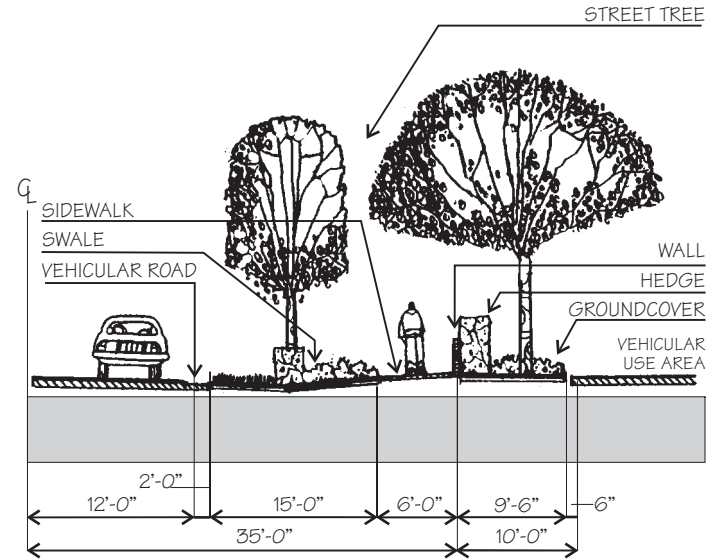
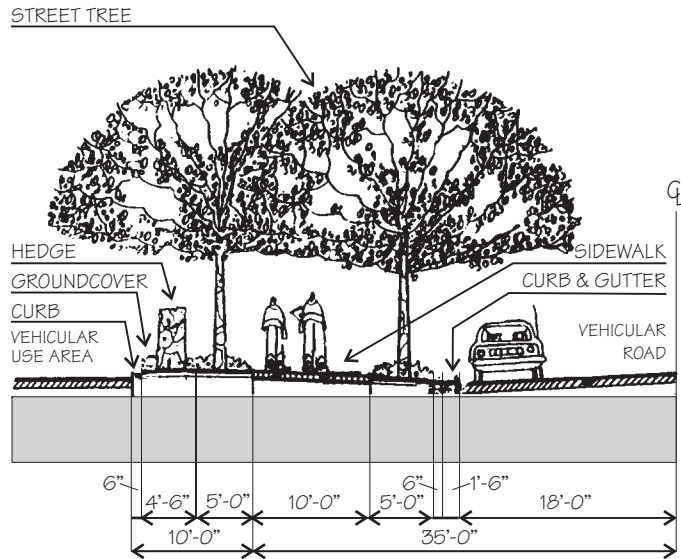
°PROMENADE/PASEO°PLAN°

## TREES IN THE ROAD CORRIDOR



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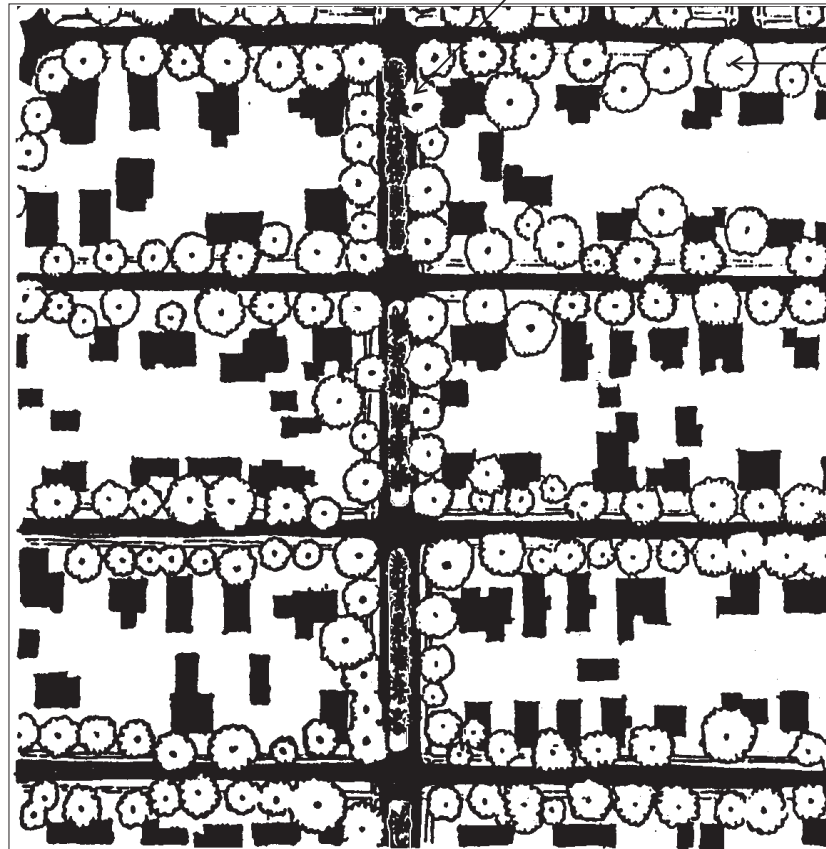
# TREES IN THE CORRIDOR



° PUBLIC SIDEWALK °SECTIONS°



## TREES IN THE CORRIDOR



PHOENIX PALMS

OAK TREES

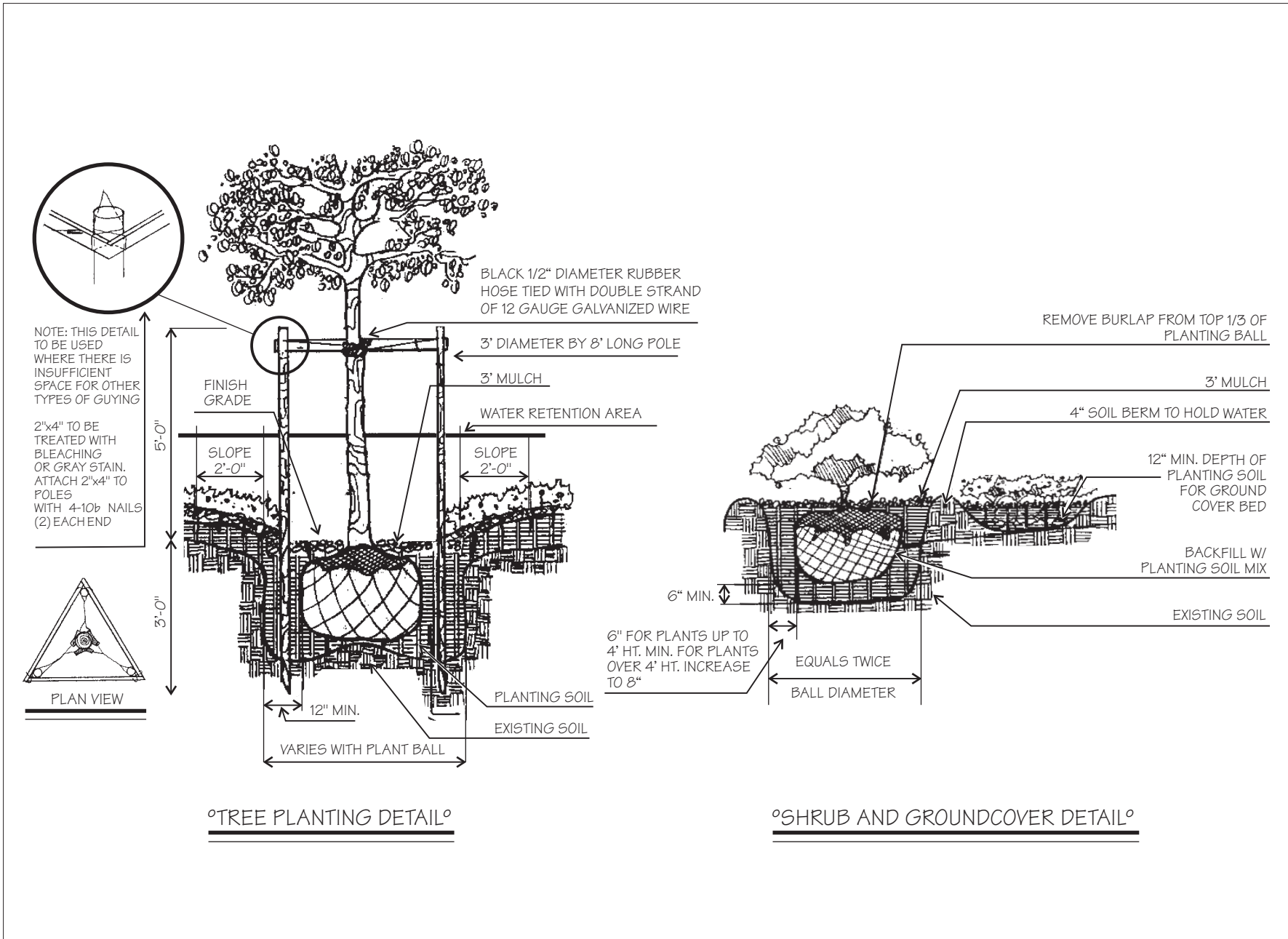
DRAWN BY PETER THEYE

*One of the goals of the landscape code is to use landscape and specifically street trees as an integral part of neighborhood planning. Roads in this early Florida neighborhood are defined by the use of Phoenix Palms in a median along the boulevard and oaks along the residential streets.*

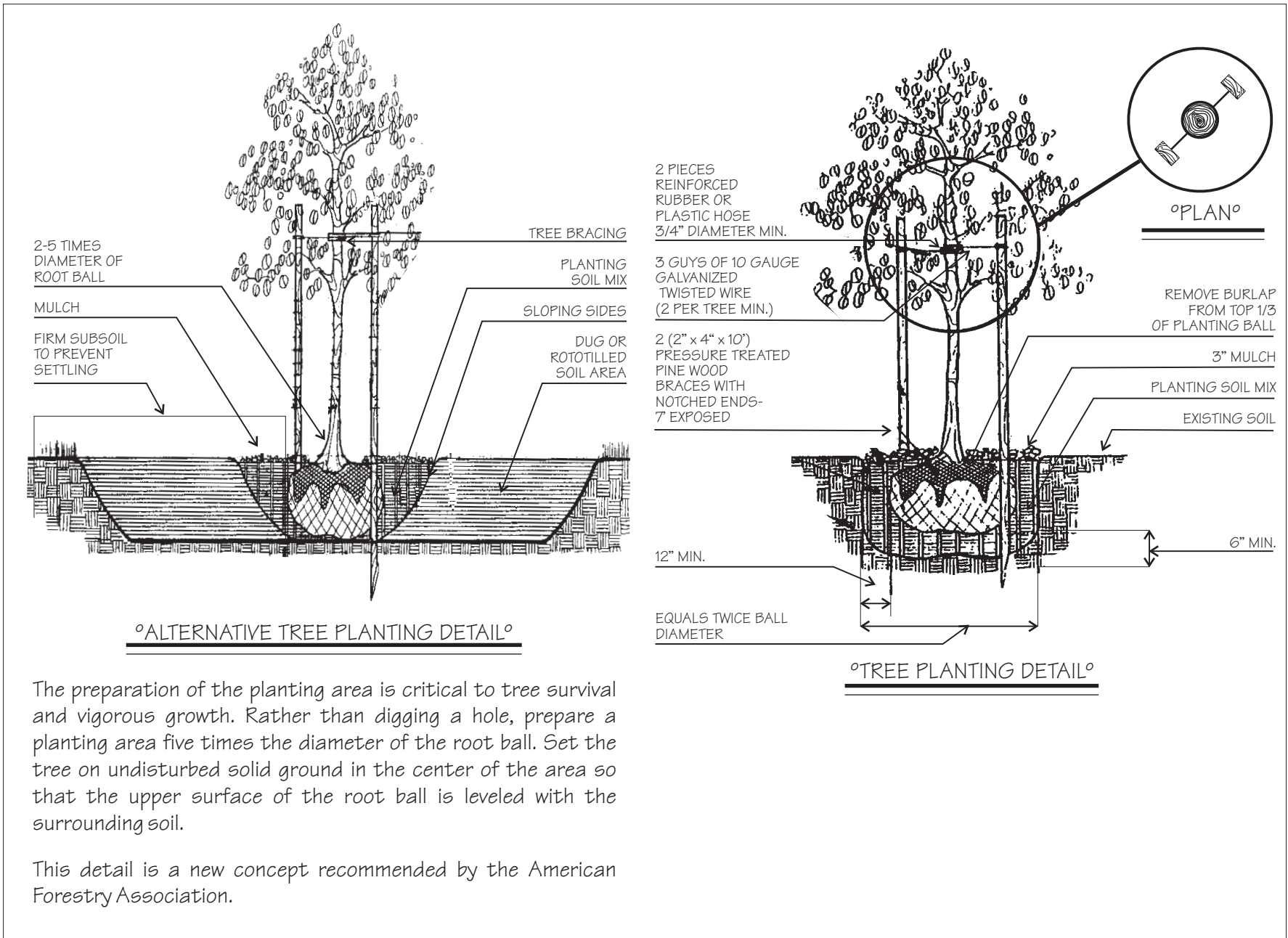
## LANDSCAPE DETAILS

The correct design, specification and implementation of planting details are important for plant survival and safety during and after construction. A number of details are included that should provide assistance to the designer. The selection of the appropriate details is the decision of the designer. The landscape code does not specify planting details, however, the incorporation of standard detail in the manual indicate the importance of accepted standards for the implementation of successful landscapes.

# TREE AND SHRUB PLANTING DETAIL



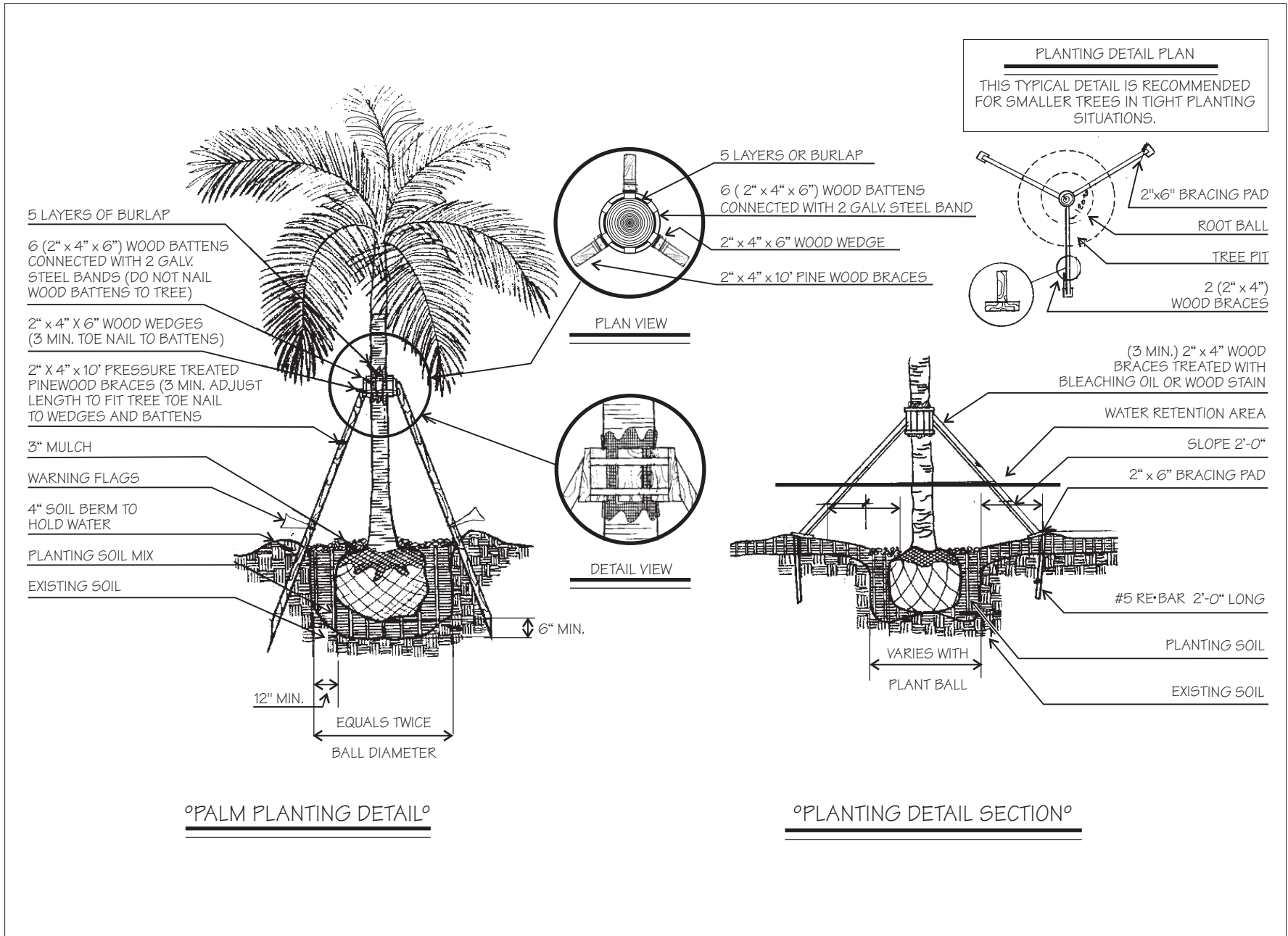
# TREE PLANTING DETAIL



The preparation of the planting area is critical to tree survival and vigorous growth. Rather than digging a hole, prepare a planting area five times the diameter of the root ball. Set the tree on undisturbed solid ground in the center of the area so that the upper surface of the root ball is leveled with the surrounding soil.

This detail is a new concept recommended by the American Forestry Association.

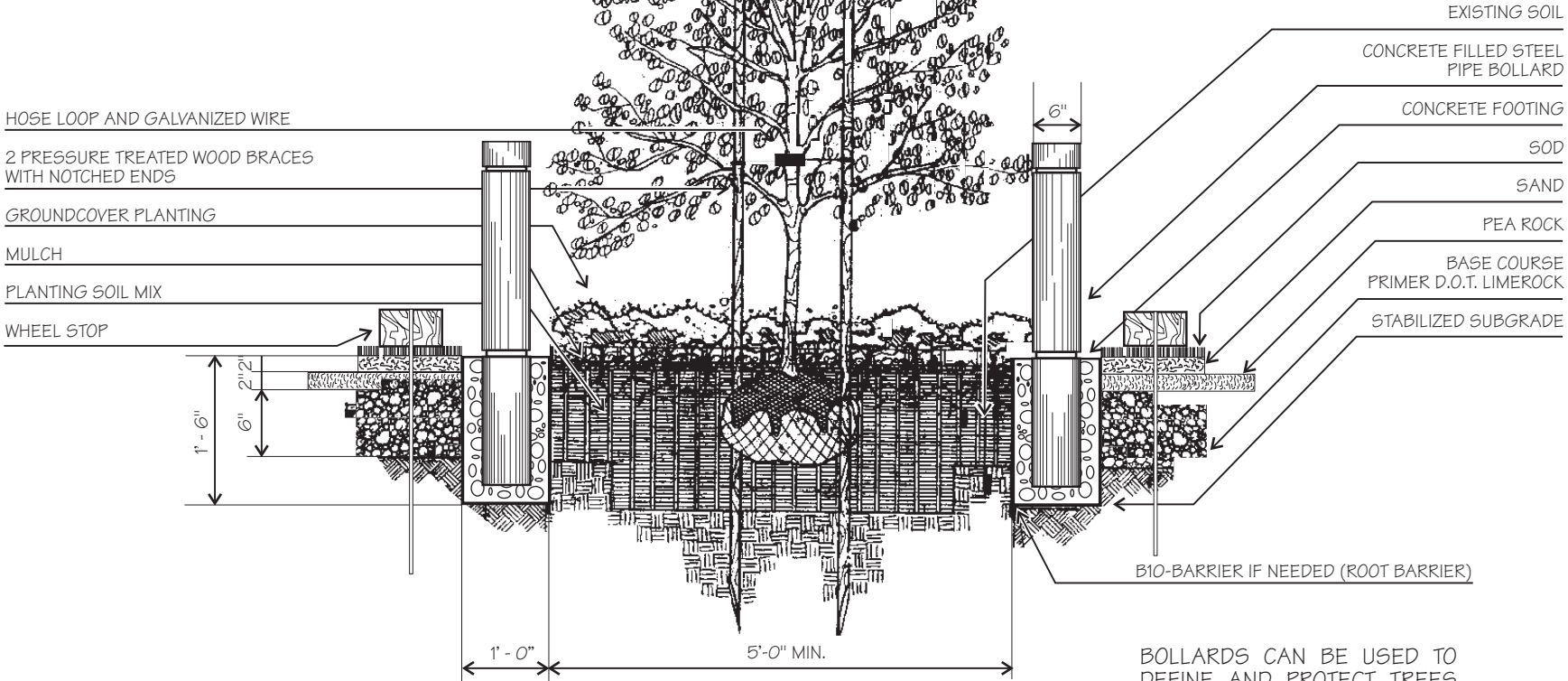
# PALM PLANTING DETAIL





# PLANTERS

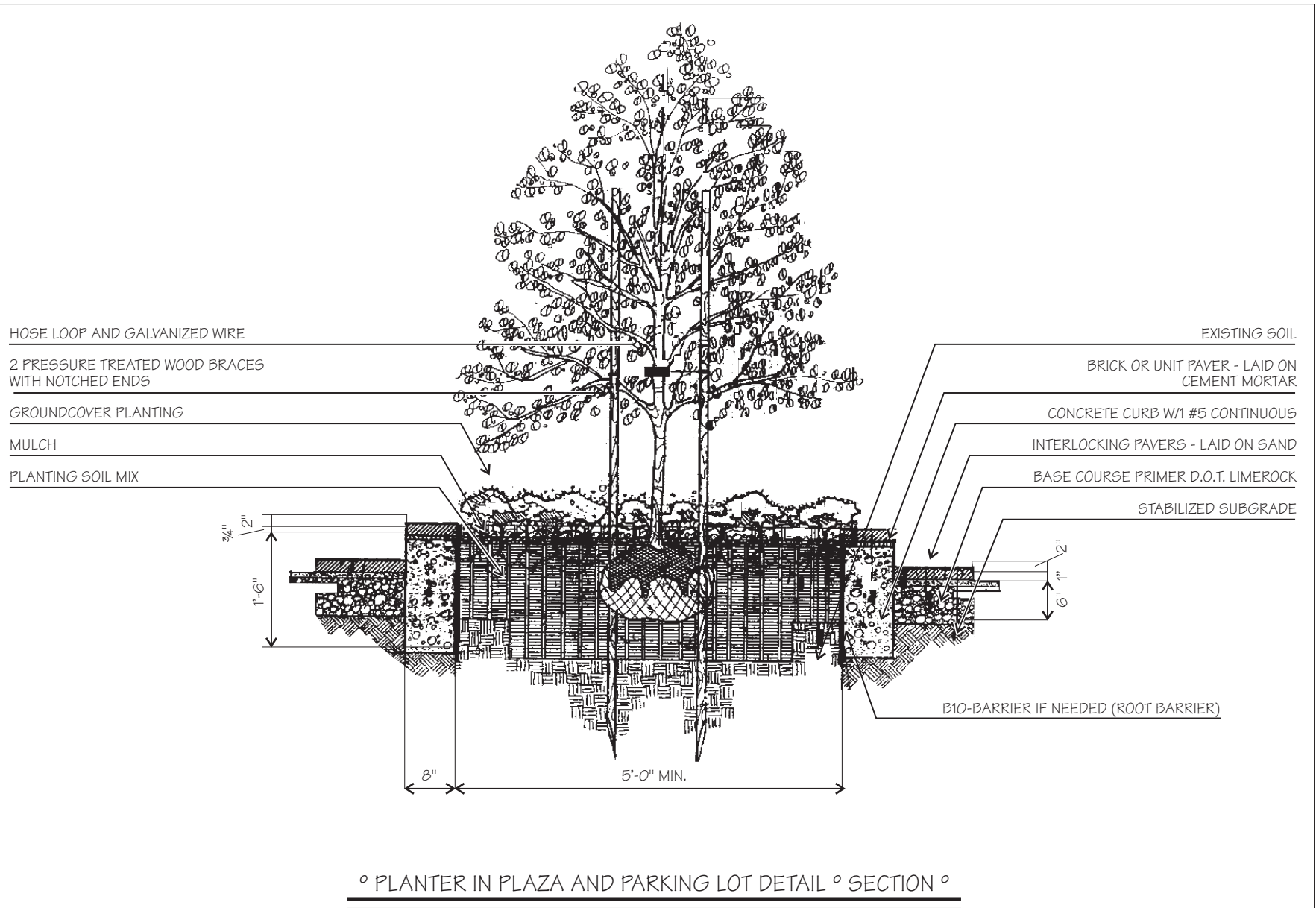
NOTE: THE FOLLOWING DRAWINGS INDICATE METHODS OF PLANTING TREES IN PLAZAS AND PARKING LOTS INCLUDING A METHOD OF IRRIGATING PLAZA/PARKING LOT TREES.



BOLLARDS CAN BE USED TO DEFINE AND PROTECT TREES IN PLAZAS AND PARKING LOTS.

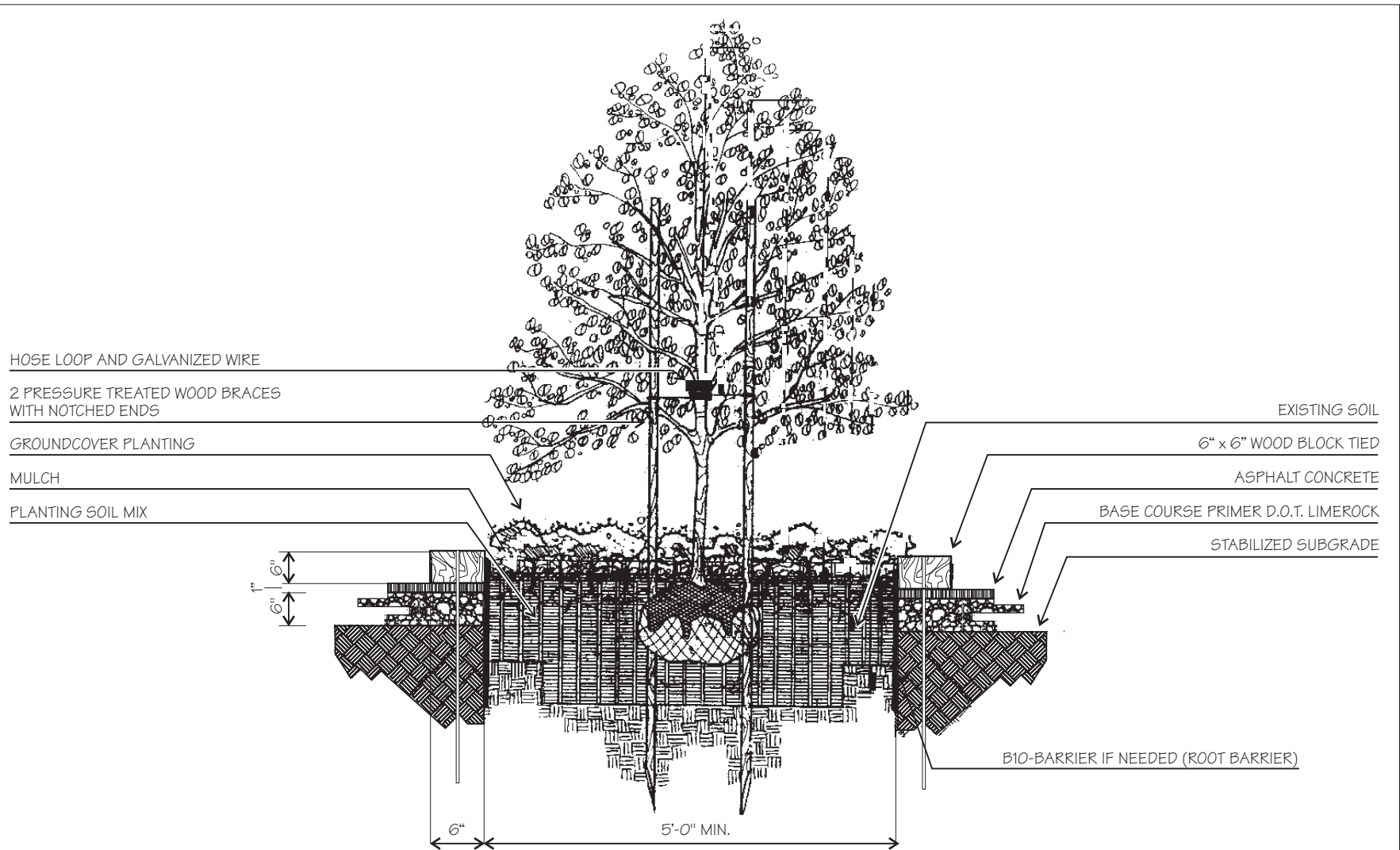
° PLANTER IN PLAZA AND PARKING LOT DETAIL ° SECTION °

# PLANTERS





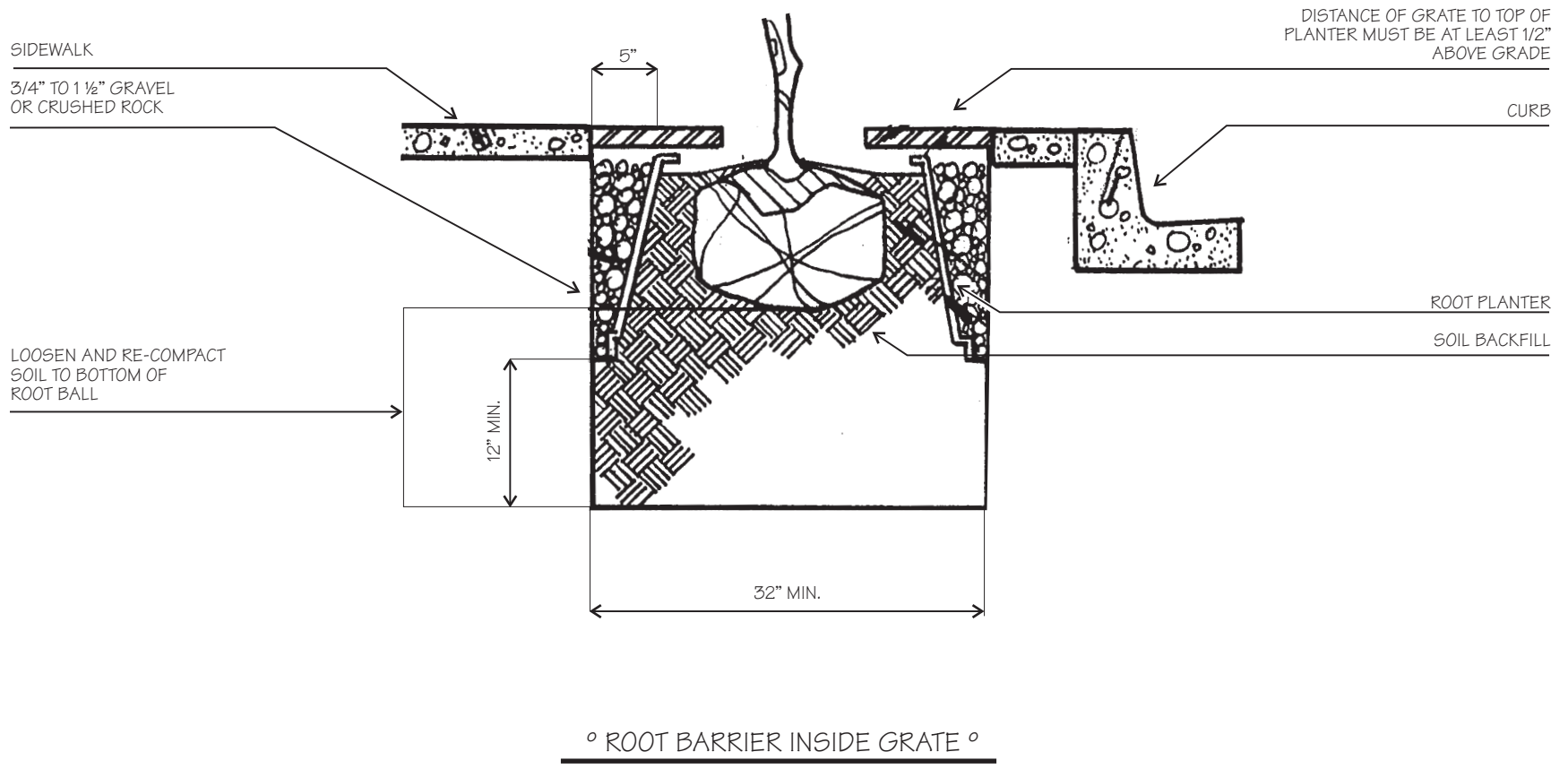
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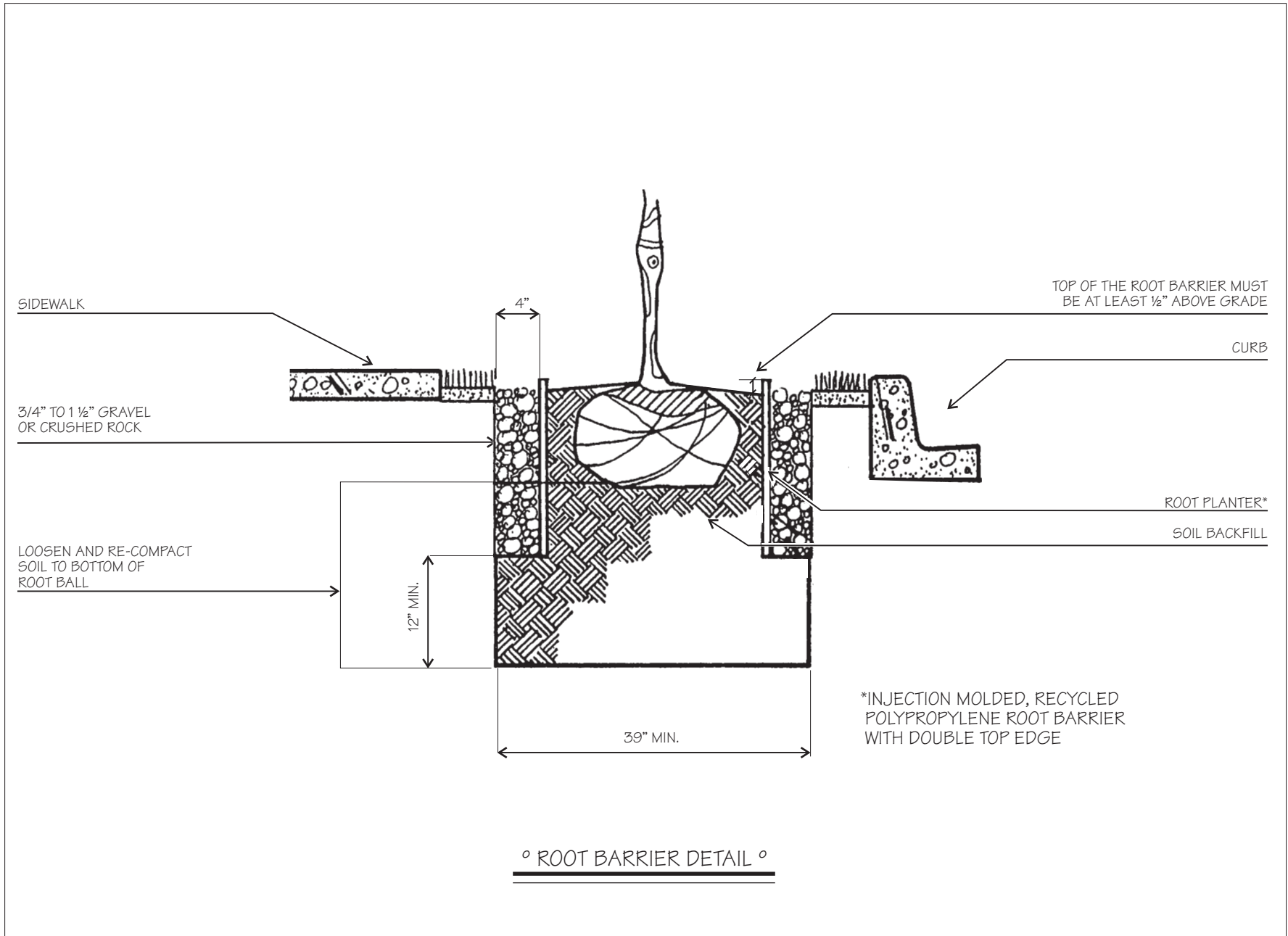
° PLANTER IN PLAZA AND PARKING LOT DETAIL ° SECTION °

# ROOT BARRIERS

NOTE: ROOT BARRIERS ARE NEEDED TO PROTECT STRUCTURES, SIDEWALKS AND ROADWAYS FROM POTENTIAL ROOT DAMAGE. THERE ARE A NUMBER OF VARIOUS ROOT BARRIER PRODUCTS ON THE MARKET.

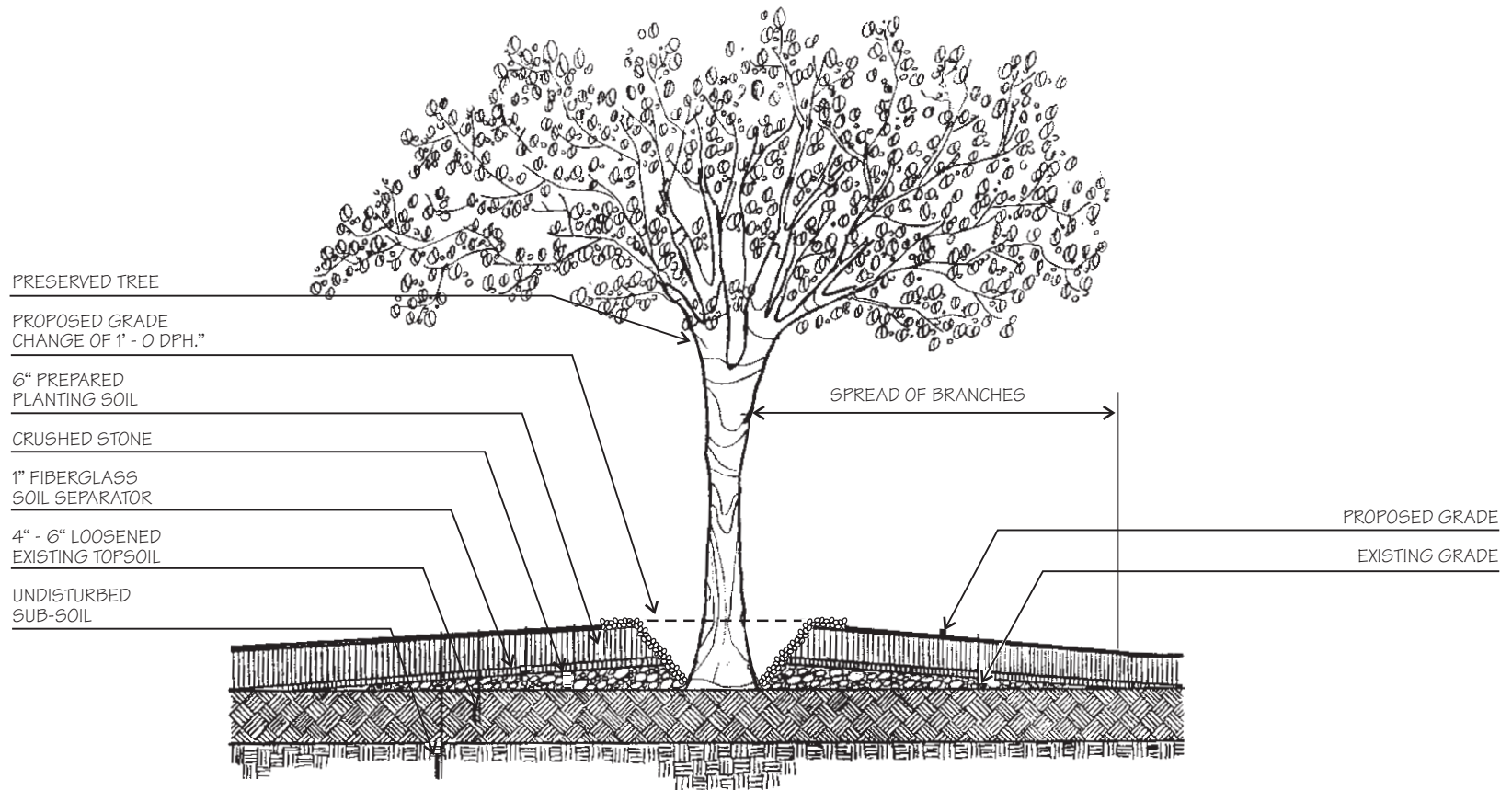


# ROOT BARRIERS



° ROOT BARRIER DETAIL °

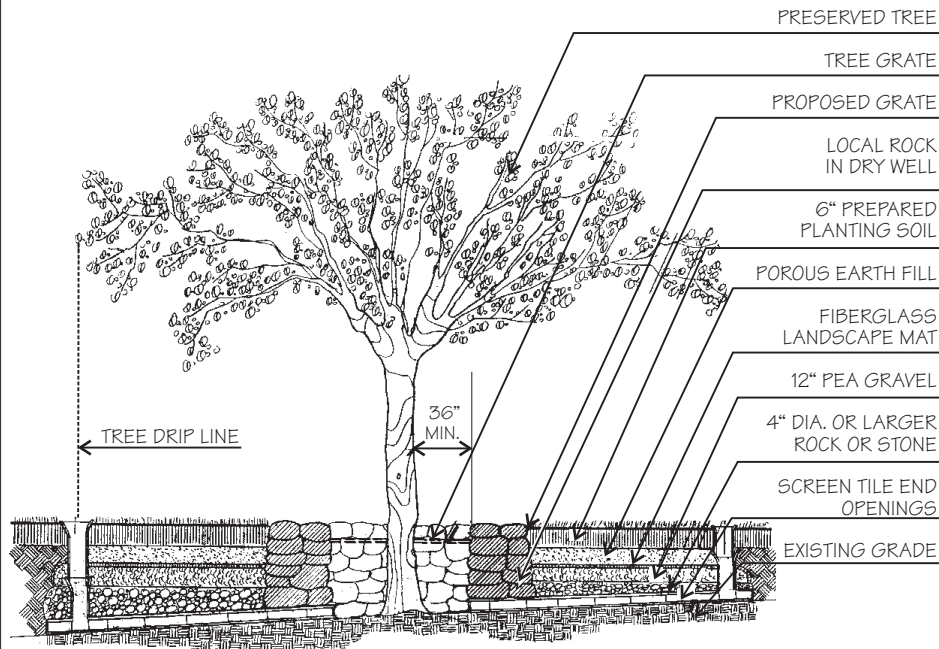
# RAISING GRADES



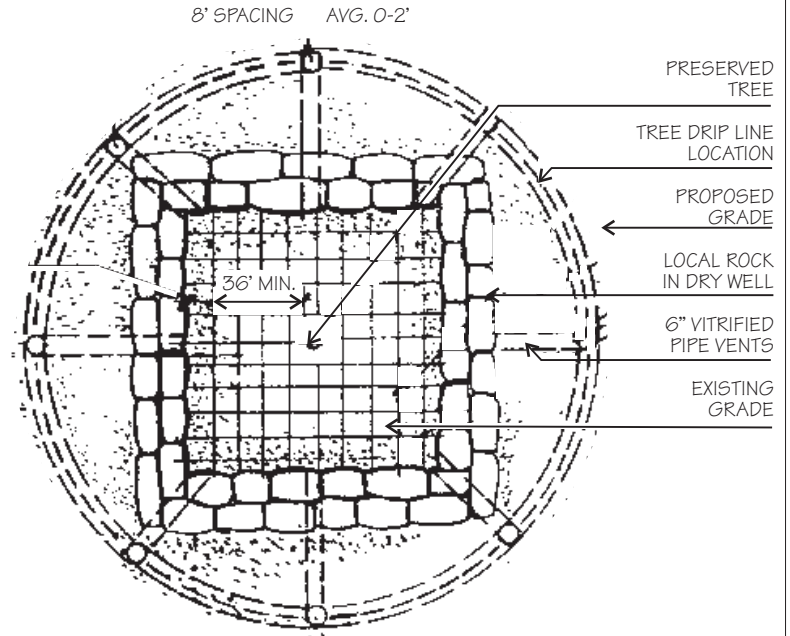
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# RAISING GRADES

THIS METHOD OF USING A "TREE WELL" AND A PIPE IRRIGATION SYSTEM IS ANOTHER METHOD OF RAISING GRADES WHILE PROTECTING EXISTING TREES.



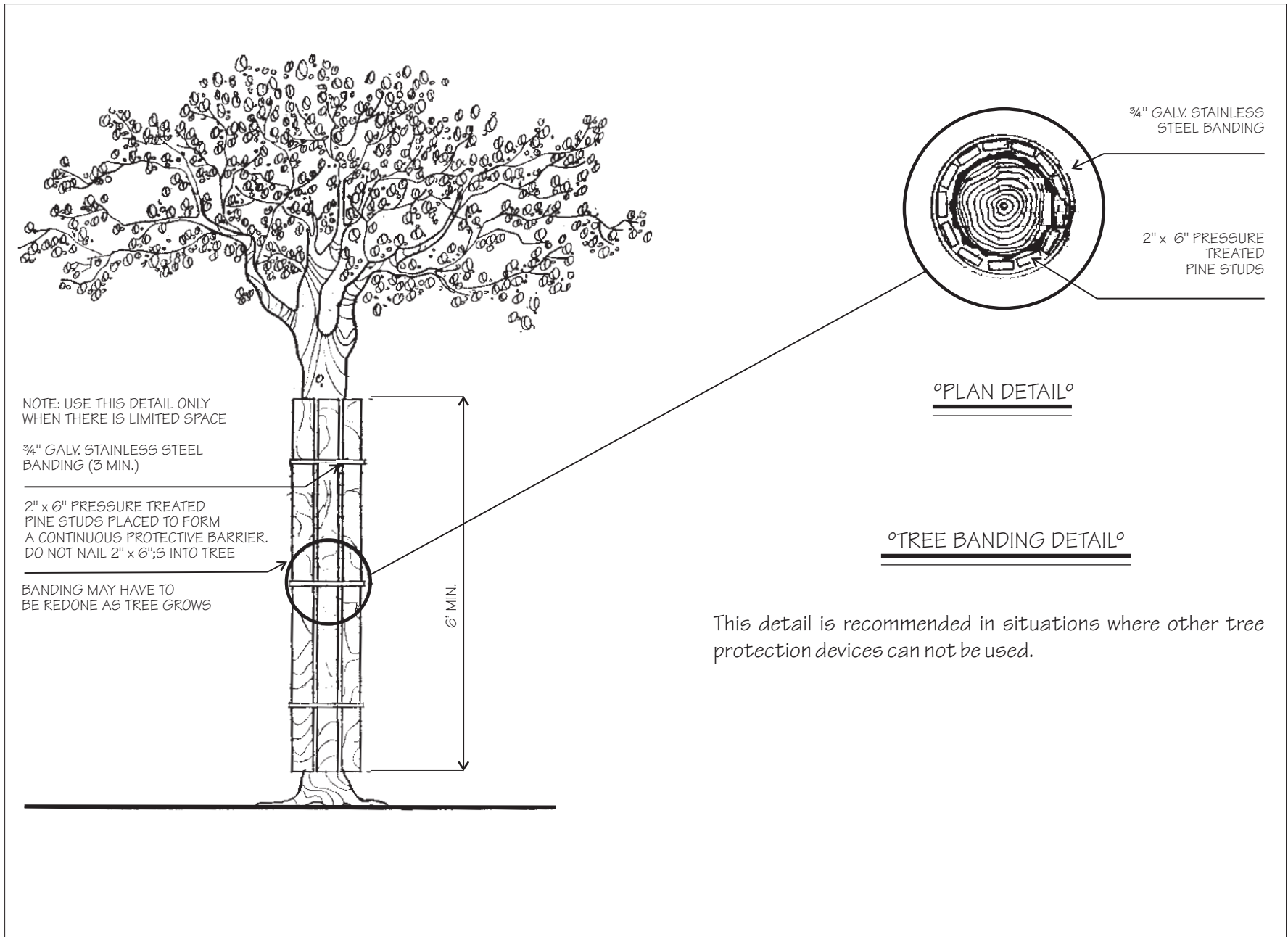
°RAISING GRADE DETAIL° SECTION °



° PLAN DETAIL °

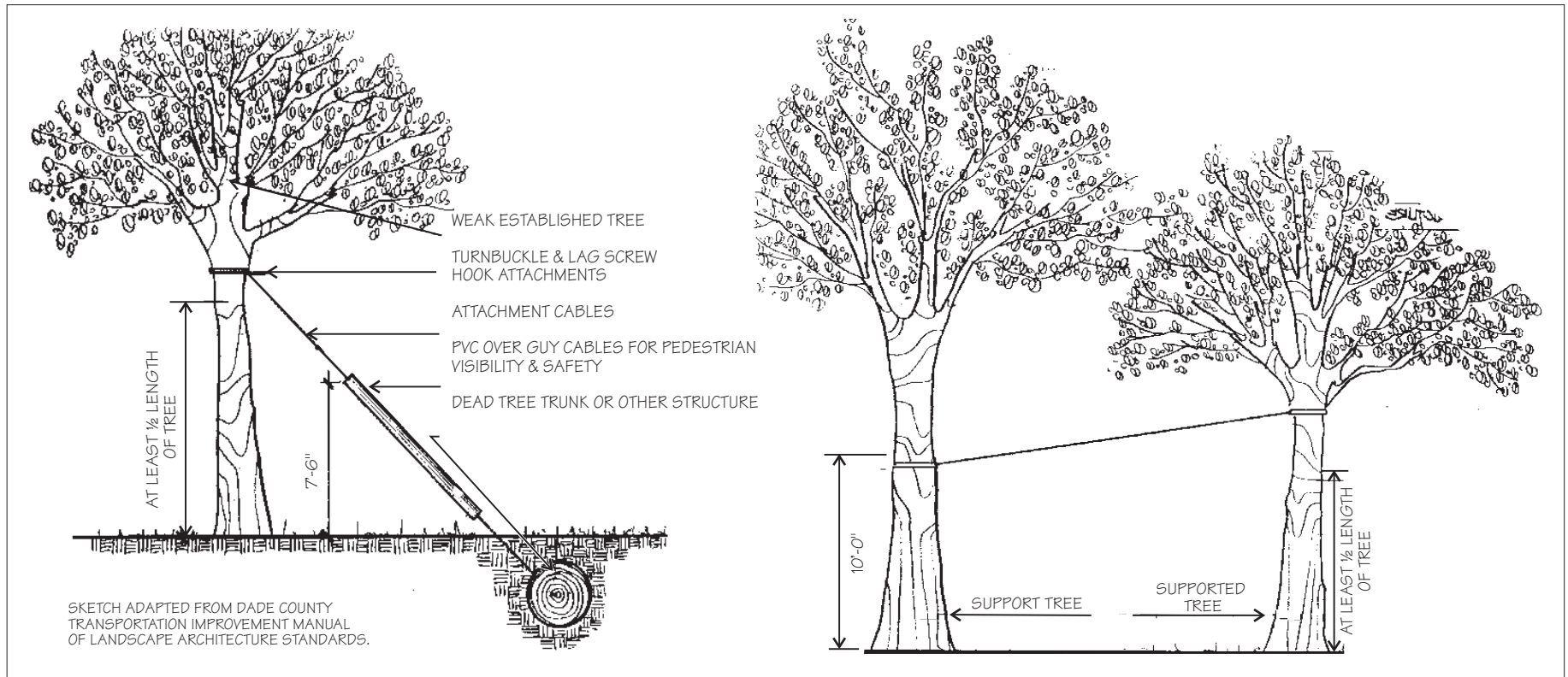
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# TREE PROTECTION AND SUPPORT



This detail is recommended in situations where other tree protection devices can not be used.

# TREE PROTECTION AND SUPPORT



°TREE TO GROUND DETAIL°

Single or multiple cables with or without turnbuckles are attached to the weak tree by lag screw hooks or eyebolts, and to a ground fixture. Cables shall not be attached to the tree at a point less than 1/2 the tree height. PVC should be placed over the guy cable for pedestrian visibility and safety.

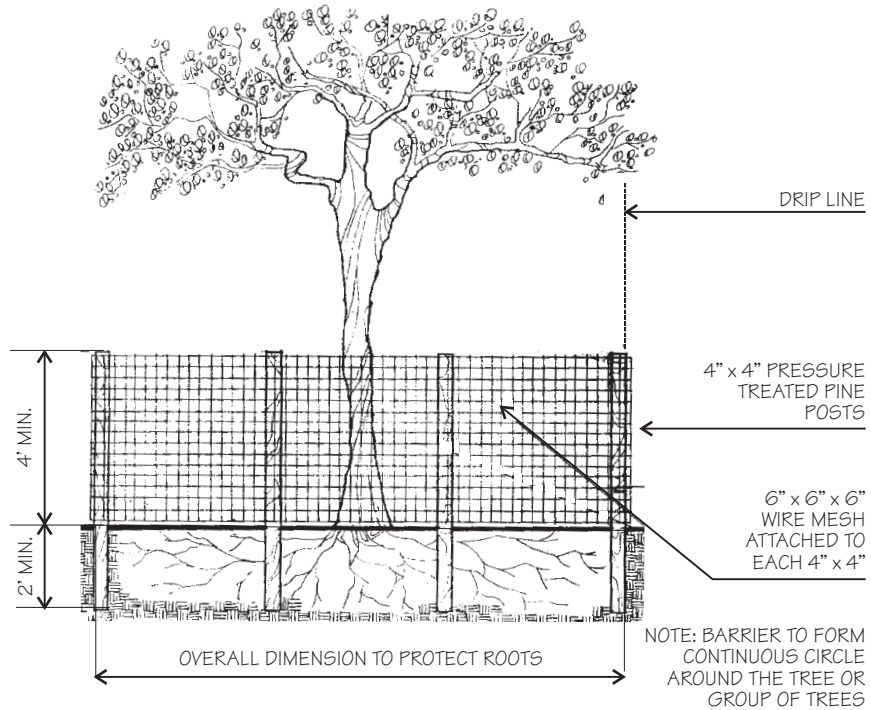
Support fixtures must be installed where there may be columns of decay, only hardware secured through the tree trunk or limb with nuts and washers shall be used.

°TREE TO TREE DETAIL°

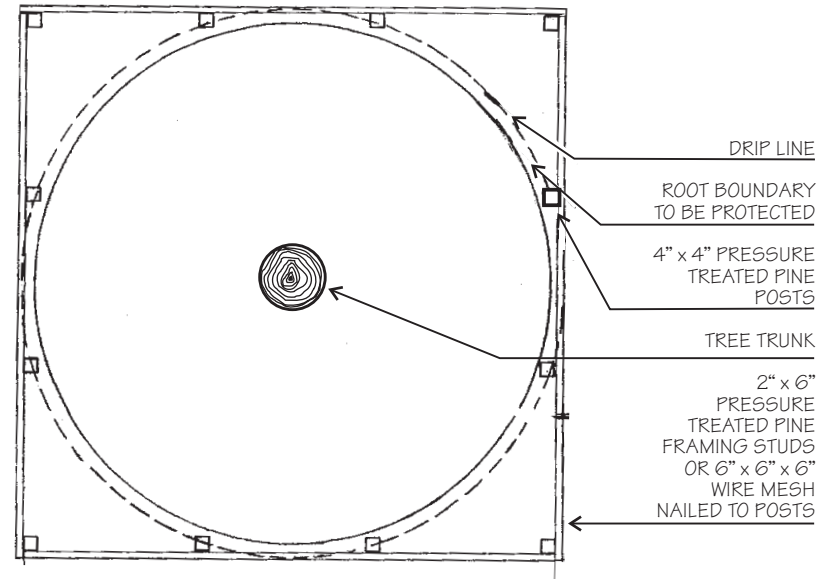
Single or multiple cables, with or without turnbuckles, are attached to the weakened tree with lag screw hooks or with eyebolts and attached to the anchor at a point at least 10' above ground. Cables should be attached to the weakened tree at a height above the half way point of the tree. When guying tree to tree, care must be taken to select an anchor of proper size. Shallow rooted trees as anchors should never be used. The anchor tree must be on the client's property and not near energized wires.

# TREE PROTECTION AND SUPPORT

IT IS CRITICAL TO EXISTING TREE SURVIVAL TO PROVIDE PROTECTION DURING CONSTRUCTION. THIS DETAIL CAN BE USED AROUND ONE OR MORE TREES AND WILL PROVIDE PROTECTION FROM CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT.



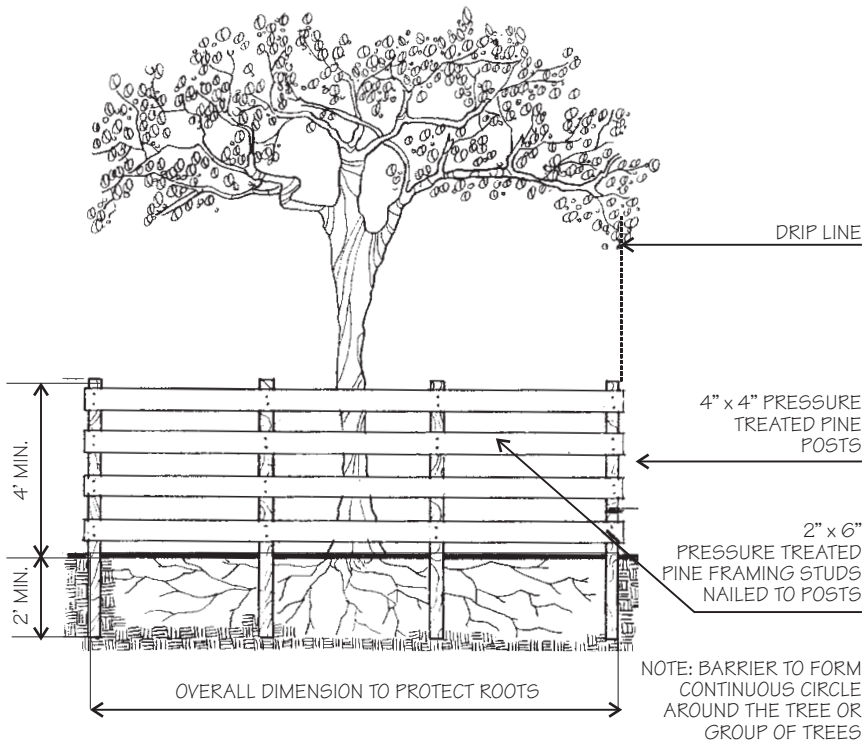
° WIRE MESH BARRIER DETAIL °



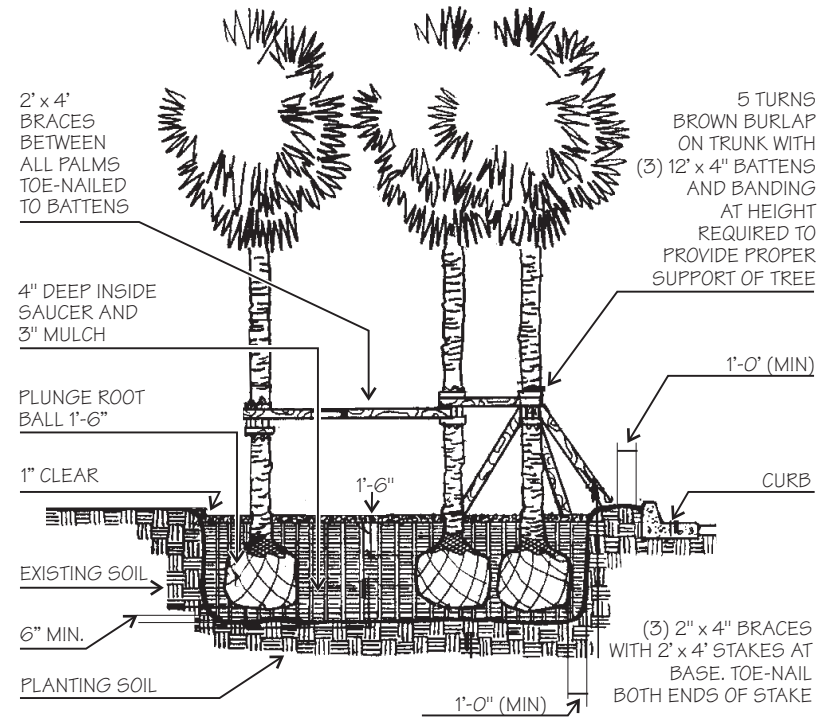
° WOOD BARRIER DETAIL PLAN °



# TREE PROTECTION AND SUPPORT

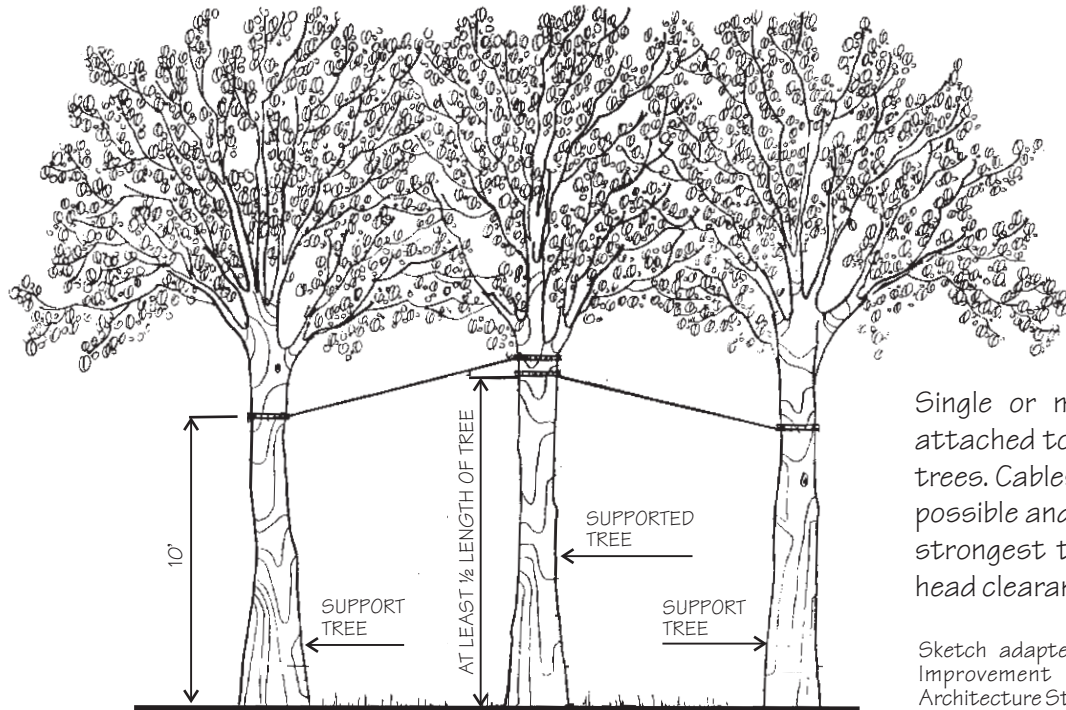


° WOOD BARRIER DETAIL °



° PALM BRACING DETAIL °

## TREE PROTECTION AND SUPPORT

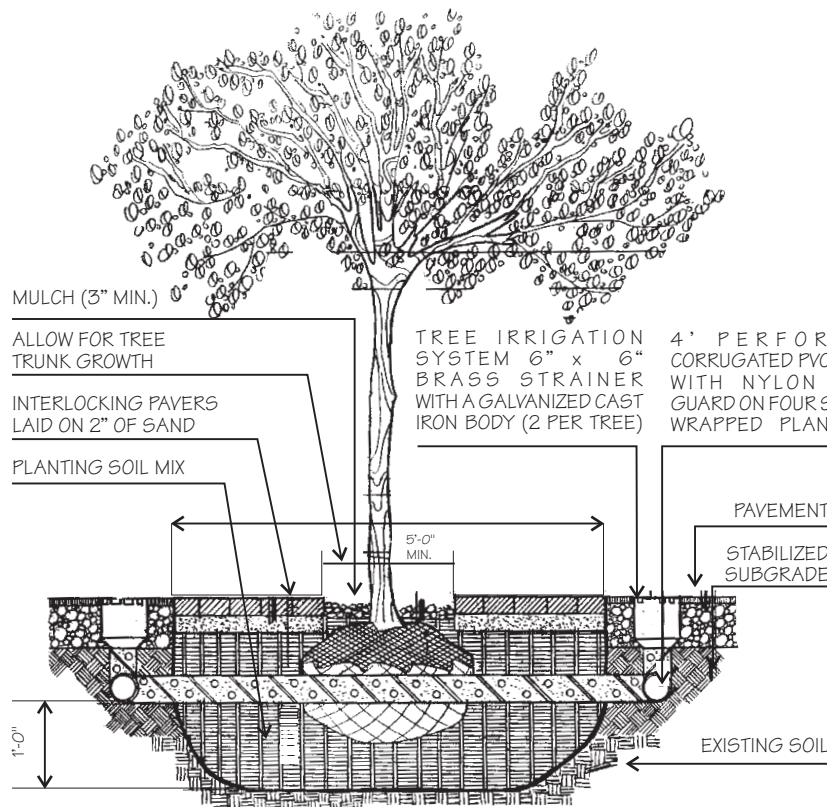


### °TREE TO TREE DETAIL°

Single or multiple cables, with or without turnbuckles, are attached to the weakened tree and to two or more surrounding trees. Cables are attached by lag screw hooks or eyebolts where possible and support cables downward from the weakest to the strongest trees, with the largest cable providing at least 10' head clearance.

Sketch adapted from Dade County Transportation Improvement Program Manual of Landscape Architecture Standards.

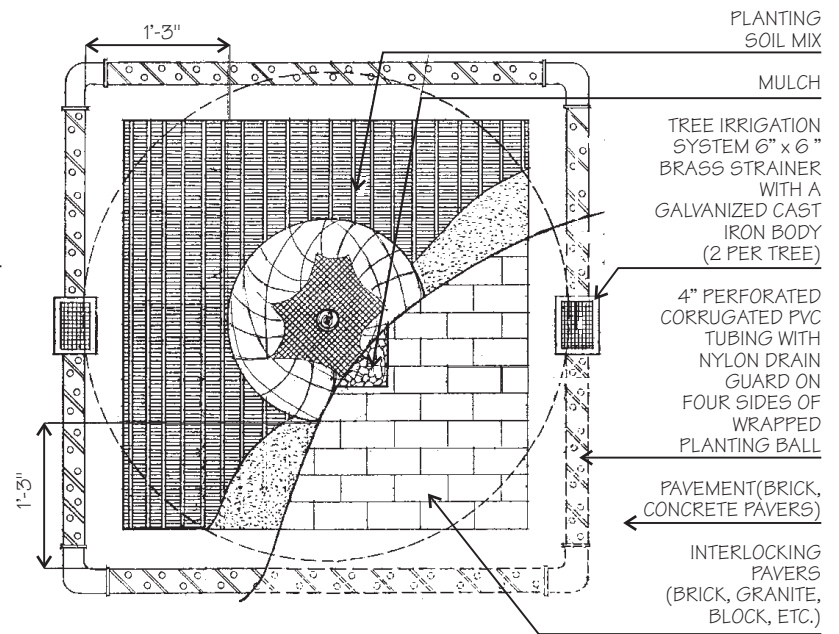
# PAVING AROUND TREES



THIS DETAIL DEMONSTRATES A METHOD OF IRRIGATION FOR TREES PLANTED IN PAVED AREAS.

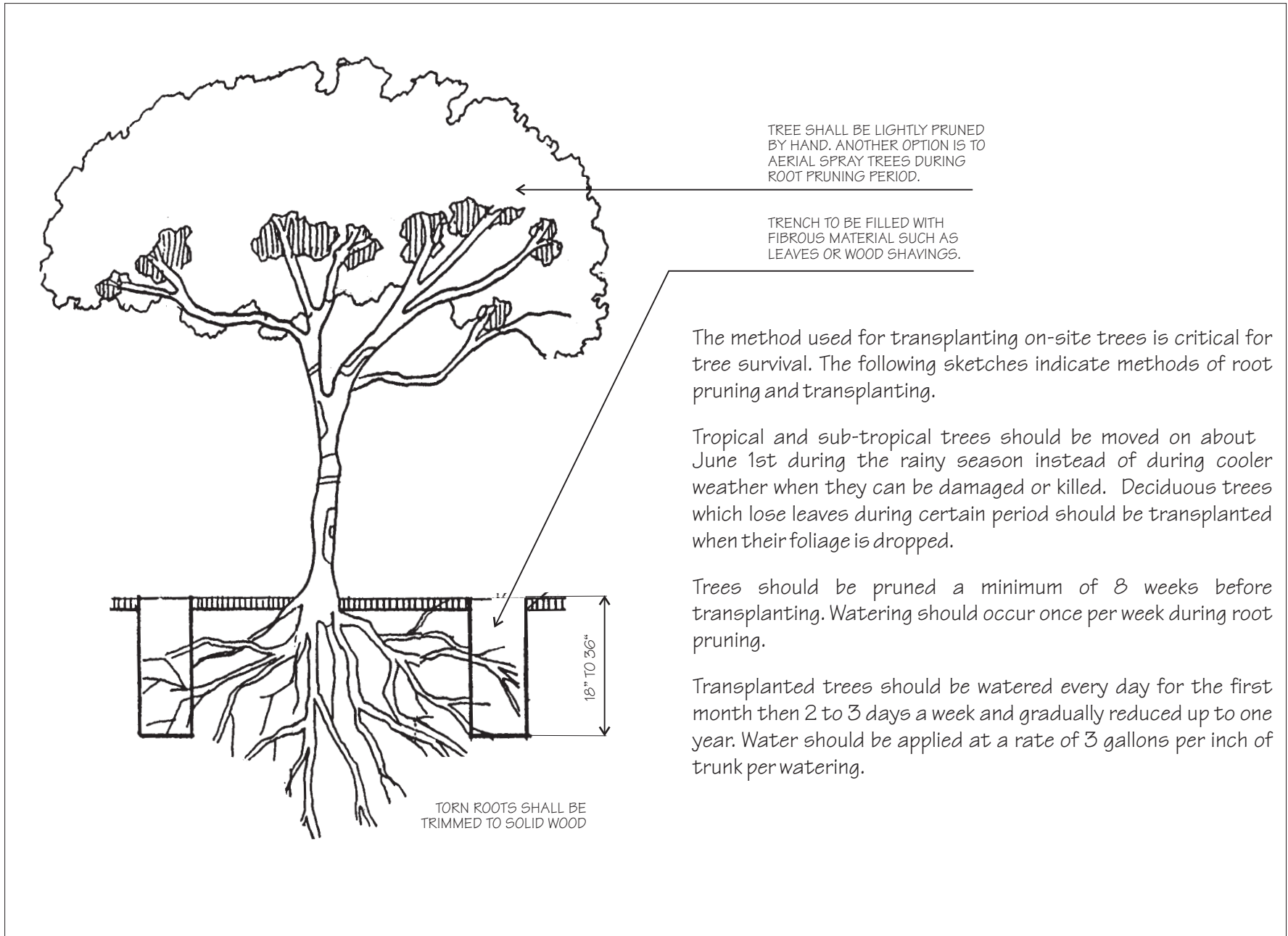
This drawing was adapted from: A. E. Bye & associates, Landscape Architect, Graphic Standards 7th Edition.

°TREE IN PAVING DETAIL° SECTION°



°TREE IN PAVING° PLAN°

# ROOT PRUNING



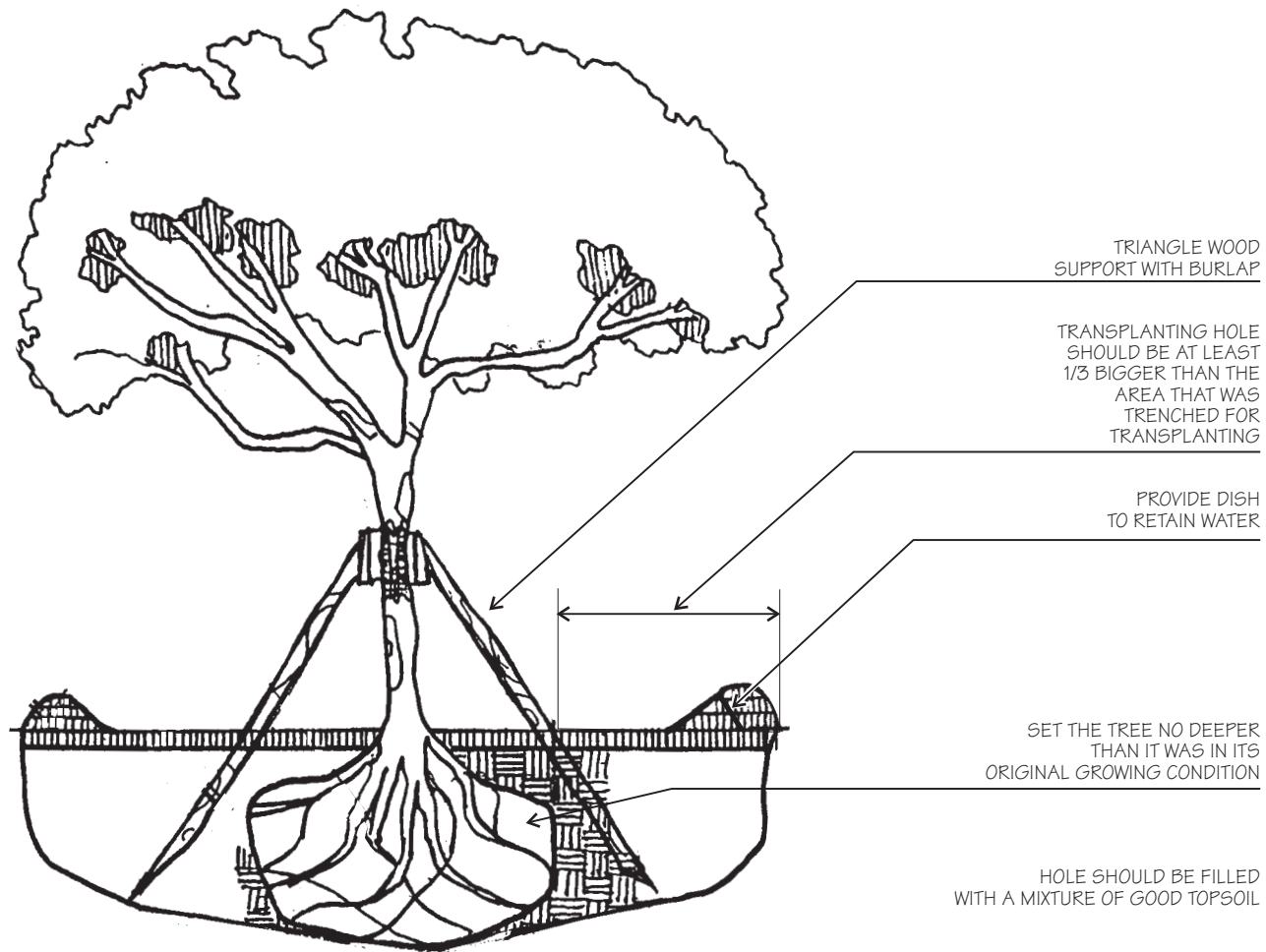
The method used for transplanting on-site trees is critical for tree survival. The following sketches indicate methods of root pruning and transplanting.

Tropical and sub-tropical trees should be moved on about June 1st during the rainy season instead of during cooler weather when they can be damaged or killed. Deciduous trees which lose leaves during certain period should be transplanted when their foliage is dropped.

Trees should be pruned a minimum of 8 weeks before transplanting. Watering should occur once per week during root pruning.

Transplanted trees should be watered every day for the first month then 2 to 3 days a week and gradually reduced up to one year. Water should be applied at a rate of 3 gallons per inch of trunk per watering.

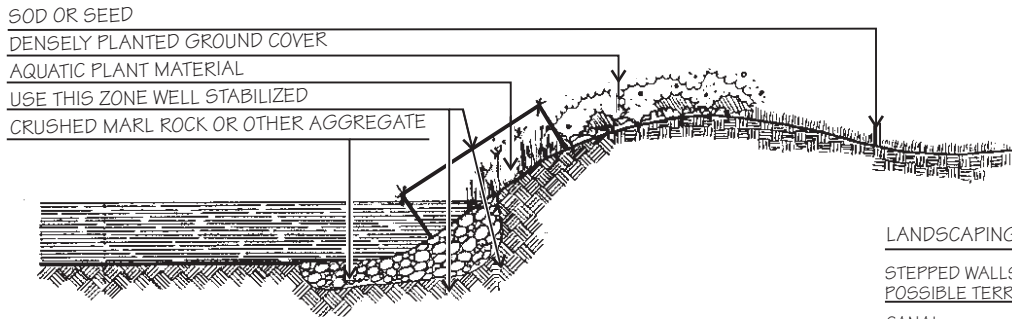
# TREE TRANSPLANTING



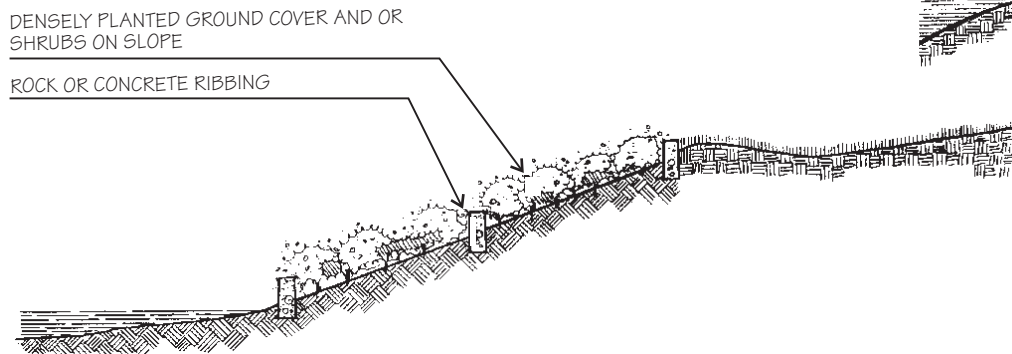
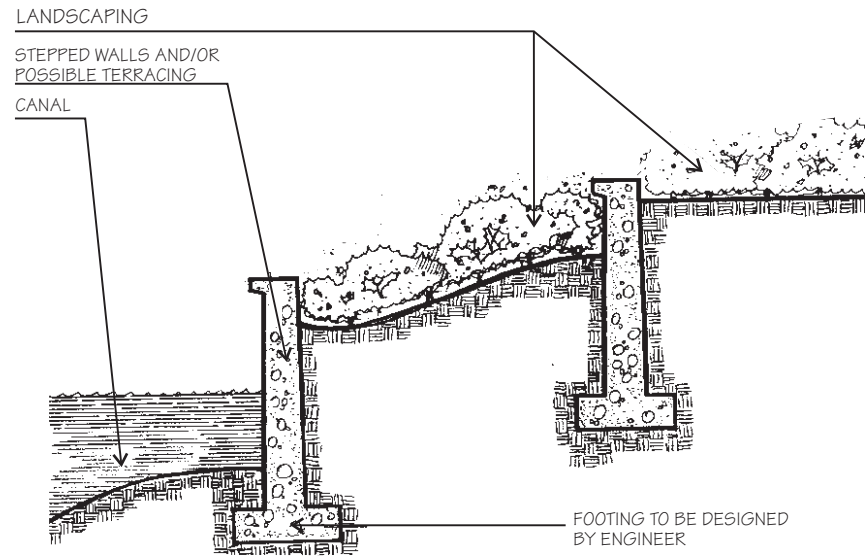
**NOTE:** ELIMINATE AIR POCKETS  
WITH THE USE OF A WATER HOSE

# RETAINING WALLS

REFER TO CHAPTER 33 DADE COUNTY CODE FOR SLOPE REQUIREMENT



°STEEPLY SLOPING EARTH EMBANKMENT° DETAIL°

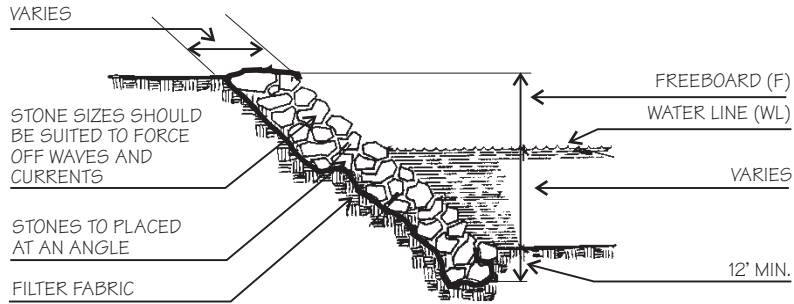


°COMBINATION SLOPING & RIP-RAPPING EDGE° DETAIL°

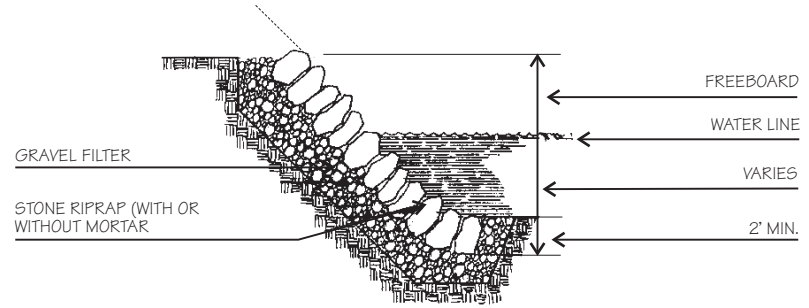
WHERE THERE IS A MAJOR CHANGE OF GRADE RETAINING WALLS MAY BE REQUIRED. THESE ARE EXAMPLES OF VARIOUS DESIGNS FOR RETAINING WALLS.

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# RETAINING WALLS

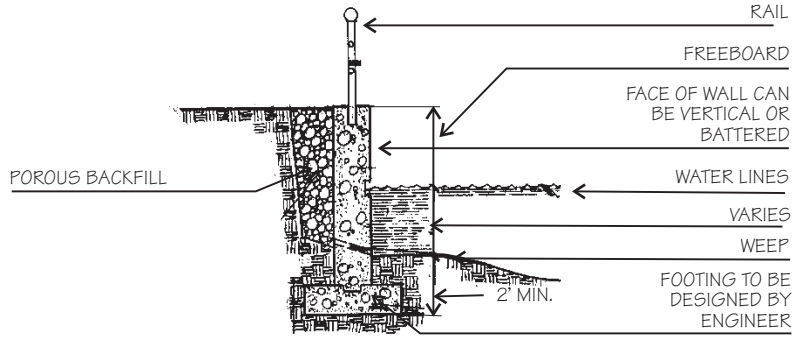


°DUMPED STONE EMBANKMENT°

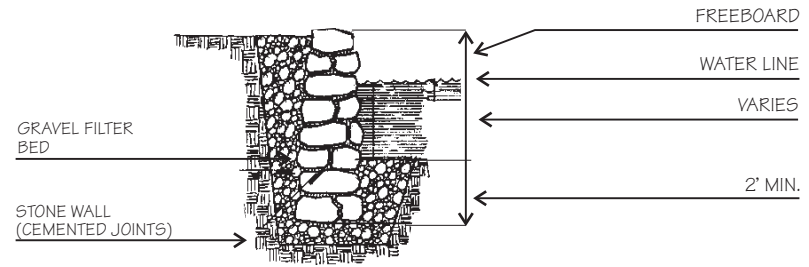


°STONE RIPRAP°

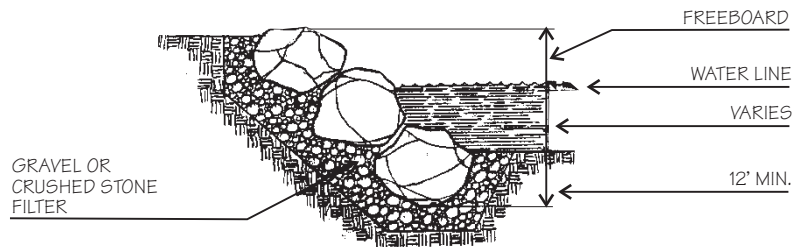
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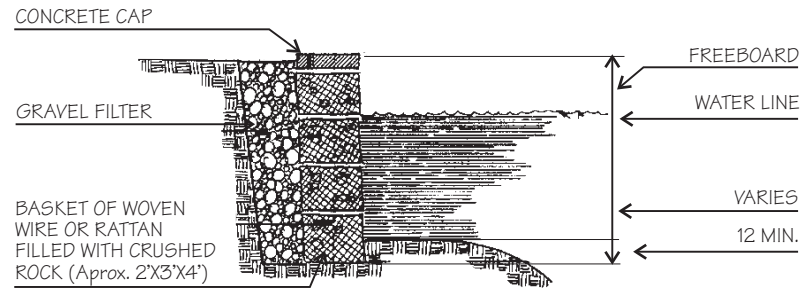
°REINFORCED CONCRETE WALL°



°STONE WALL°

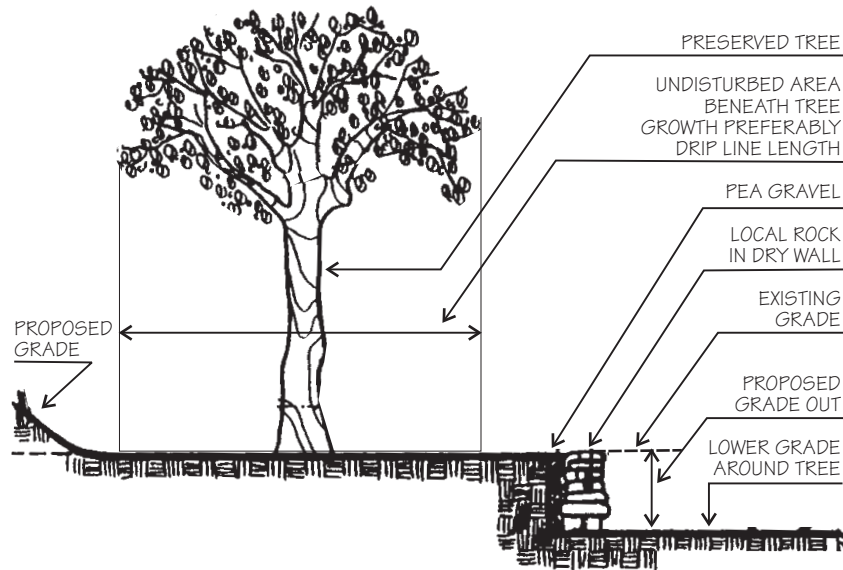


°PLACED AND FITTED BOULDERS°



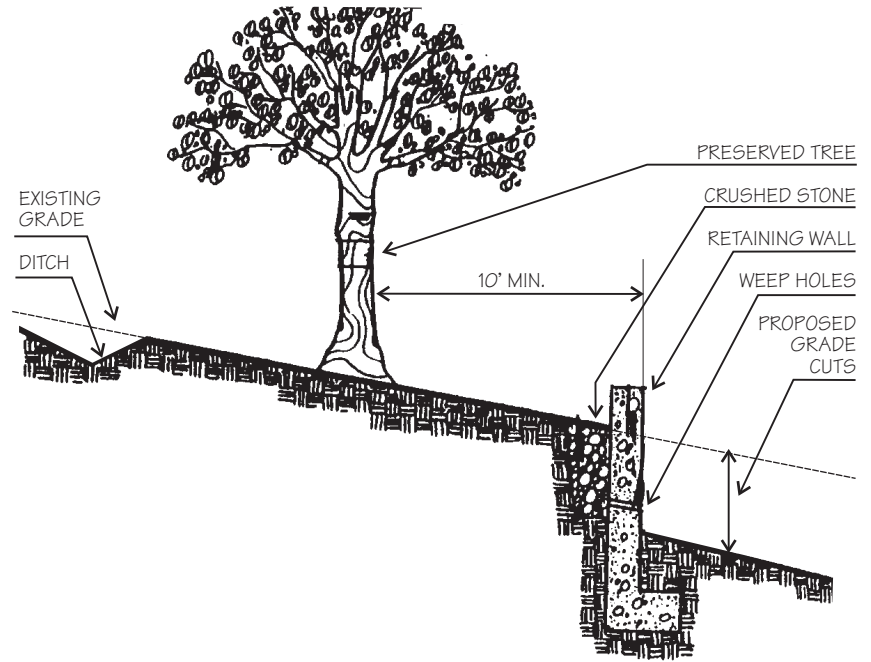
°BASKET WITH CRUSHED STONE°

# RETAINING WALLS



THESE EXAMPLES DEMONSTRATE A  
 METHOD OF PROTECTING EXISTING TREES  
 WHEN GRADES ARE CHANGED

°LOWERING GRADES DETAIL° SECTION°



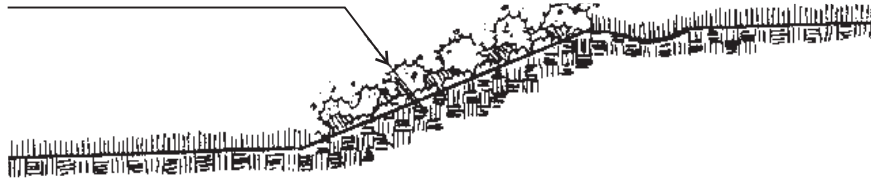
°TREES AT CUT SLOPE DETAIL°SECTION°



# RETAINING WALLS

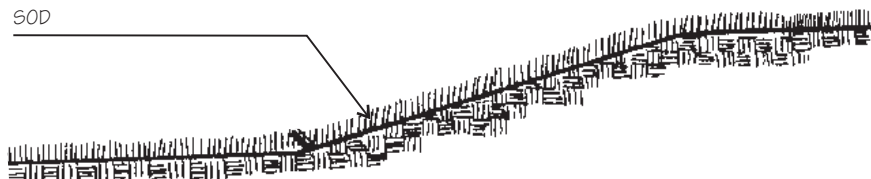
## °GRADING & DRAINAGE°

DENSE NON-REMOVABLE GROUND COVER  
OR SHRUBS



°1:2 TO 1:10 SLOPE°

SOD



°1:3 TO 1:10 SLOPE°

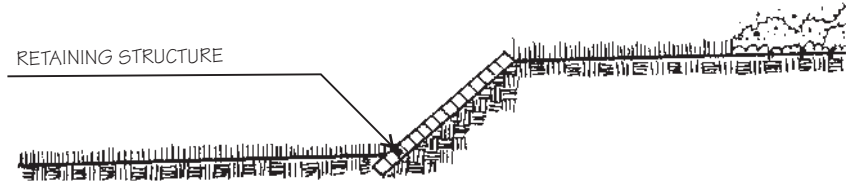
SEEDABLE SOD



°1:10 AND LESS SLOPE°

Depending on the degree of slope, the following methods of slope stabilization are recommended.

RETAINING STRUCTURE



°1:1 AND GREATER SLOPE°

SOIL STABILIZATION WITH  
PARTIAL RIP-RAP

POCKET PLANTING

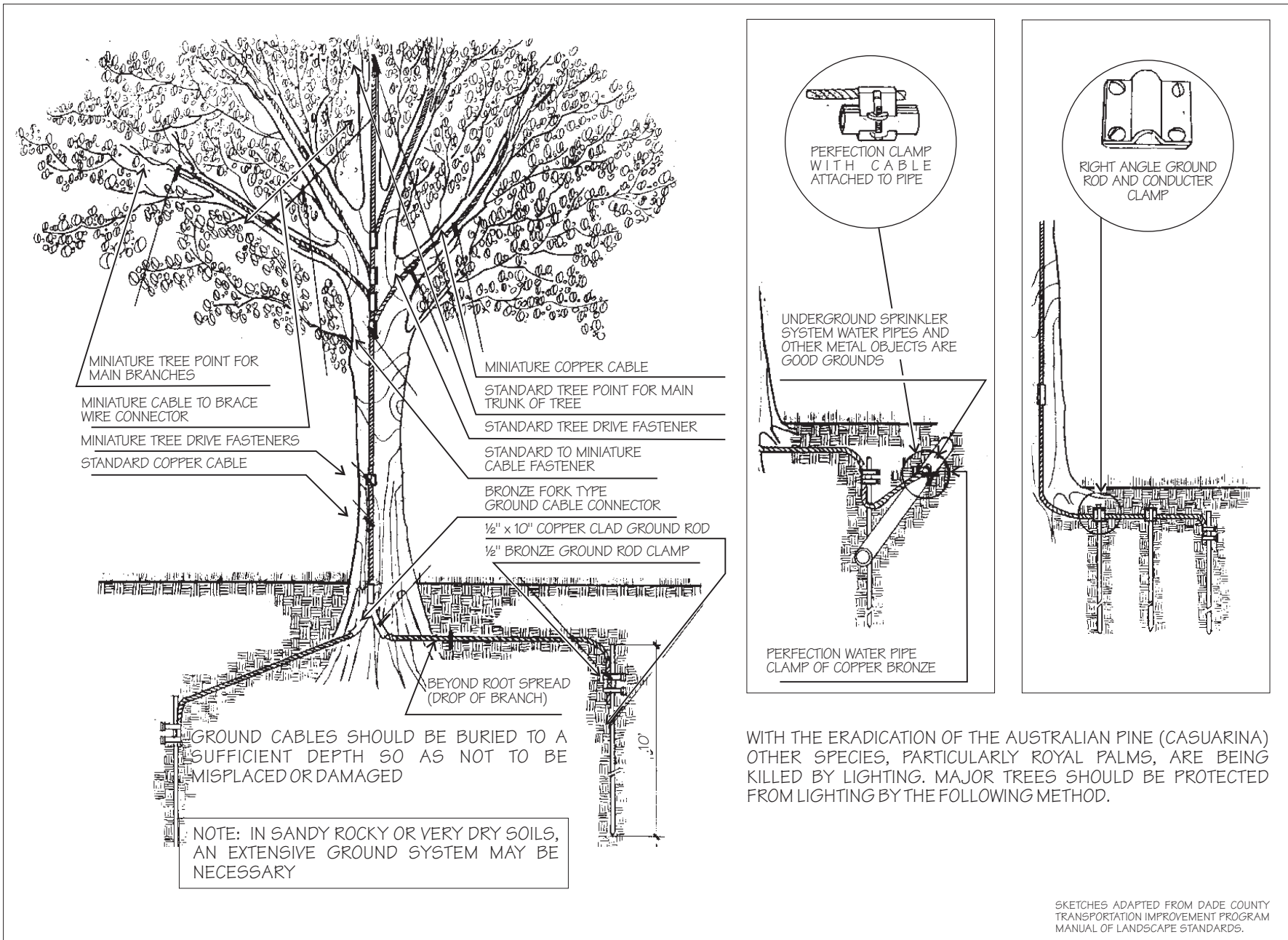
TIMBER MEMBERS (OR OTHER)



°1:1 TO 1:2 SLOPE°

NOTE: THE CONSTRUCTION OF SLOPE GRADING STRUCTURES MUST BE PERMITTED BY DERM OR THE APPROPRIATE MUNICIPAL BODY.

# LIGHTNING PROTECTION



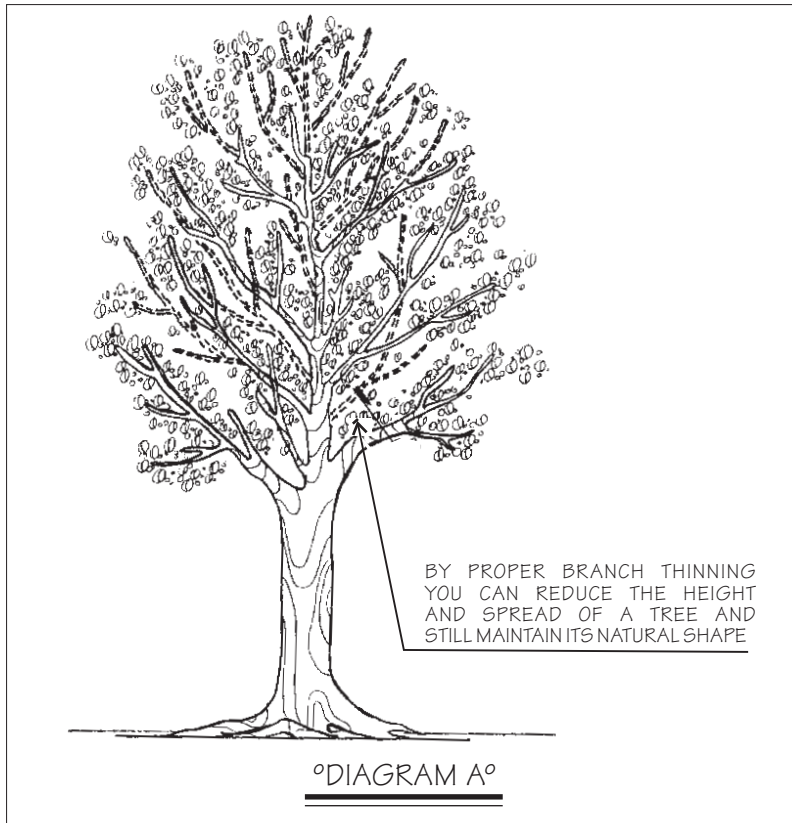
WITH THE ERADICATION OF THE AUSTRALIAN PINE (CASUARINA) OTHER SPECIES, PARTICULARLY ROYAL PALMS, ARE BEING KILLED BY LIGHTNING. MAJOR TREES SHOULD BE PROTECTED FROM LIGHTNING BY THE FOLLOWING METHOD.

SKETCHES ADAPTED FROM DADE COUNTY TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM MANUAL OF LANDSCAPE STANDARDS.

# PRUNING

The correct pruning of shade trees is critical both for safety as well as for aesthetic reasons. The following criteria are adopted from the National Arborist Standards and are recommended as specifications to be included in landscape plans.

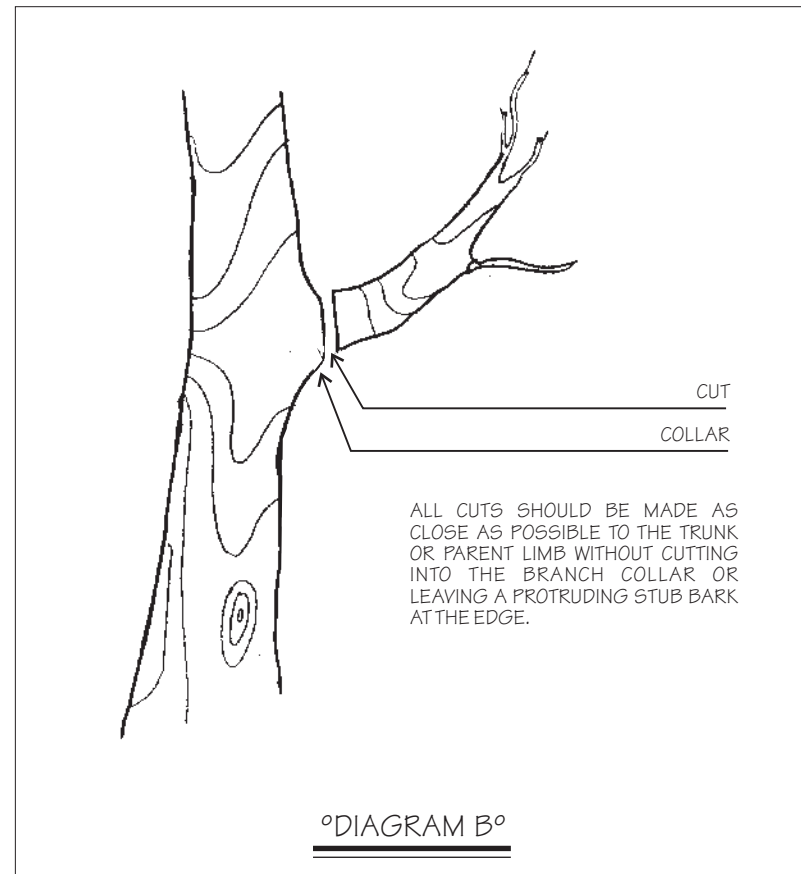
## CLASS I FINE PRUNING



Fine pruning is recommended for premium quality work with an emphasis on aesthetic considerations in addition to structural integrity.

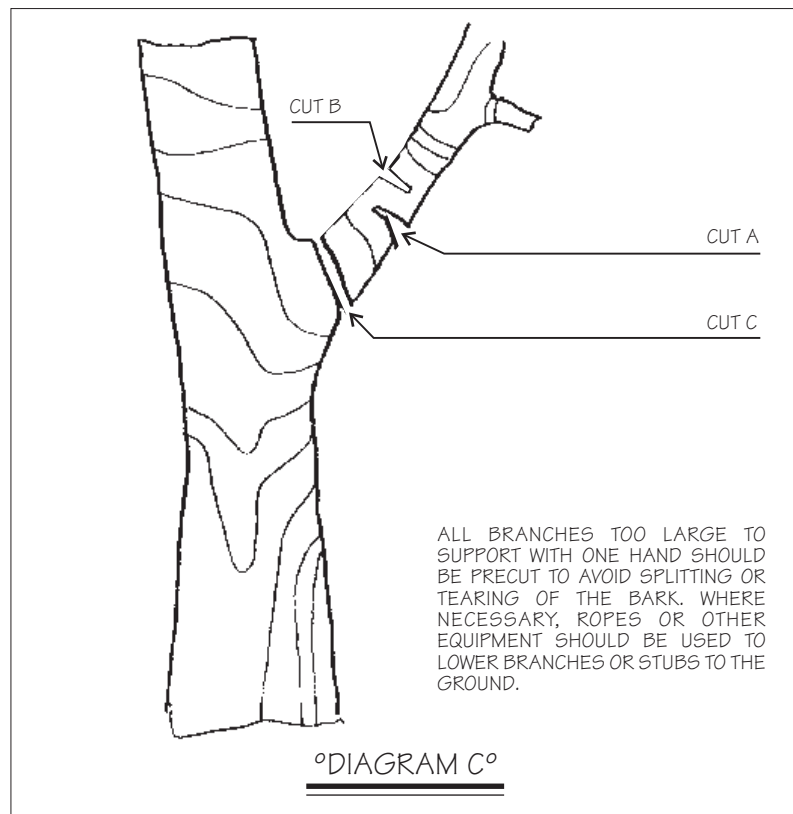
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Fine pruning shall consist of the removal of dead, dying, diseased, decaying, interfering, obstructing, and weak branches, as well as selective thinning to lessen wind resistance. The removal of such described branches is to include those on the main trunks, as well as those inside the leaf area. An occasional undesirable branch up to one-half inch in diameter, as described above, may retain within the main leaf area to its full length when it is not practical to remove it.



All of the following of General specifications, listed below, apply to Class I, Fine Pruning:

- a. All cuts shall be made as close as possible to the trunk or parent limb, without cutting into the branch collar or leaving a protruding stub (See diagram B). Bark at the edge of all pruning cuts should remain firmly attached.
- b. All branches too large to support with one hand shall be precut (See diagram C) to avoid splitting or tearing of the bark. Where necessary ropes or other equipment should be used to lower large branches or stubs to the ground.



- c. Treatment of cuts and wounds with wound dressing or paints has not been shown to be effective in preventing or reducing decay and is not generally recommend for that Reason.
- d. Old injuries are to be inspected. Those not closing properly and where the callus\* growth is not already completely established should be bark traced if the bark appears loose or damaged. Such tracing shall not penetrate the xylem (sapwood), and margins shall be kept rounded. Bark tracing Shall only be undertaken by qualified arborist.
- e. Equipment that will damage the bark and cambium layer should not be used on or in the tree. For example the use of climbing spurs (hooks, irons) is not an acceptable work practice for pruning operations on live trees. Sharp tools shall be used so that clean cuts will be made at all times.
- f. All cut limbs shall be removed from the crown upon Completion of the pruning
- g. Trees susceptible to serious infectious diseases should not be pruned at the time of year during which the pathogens causing the disease or the insect vectors are most active. Similarly, if pruning wounds may attract harmful insects, pruning should be timed so as to avoid insect infestation.

These additional specifications shall also apply to Class 1, Fine Pruning.

\* Definition provided in Glossary

- h. Remove the weaker or less desirable of crossed or rubbing branches. Such removal, if possible, should not leave large open spaces in the general outline of the tree.
- i. Where practical, all visible girdling\* roots shall be treated as follows:
  1. Cut root at either end, or
  2. Sever root in center with a chisel and allow growing tree to push root away.
  3. Remove section of root.
- j. The presence of any disease condition, fungus fruit bodies, decayed trunk or branches, spilt crotches or branches, cracks or other structural weakness shall be reported in writing to a supervisor and/or the owner, an corrective measures recommended.

CLASS II - STANDARD PRUNING

Standard pruning is recommended where aesthetic considerations are secondary to structural integrity and tree health concerns.

Standard pruning shall consist of the removal of dead, dying, diseased, decaying, interfering, obstructing, and weak branches, as well as selective thinning to lessen wind resistance. The removal of such described branches is to include those on the main trunks, as well as those inside the leaf area. An occasional undesirable branch up to one inch in diameter may remain within the main leaf area where it is not practical to remove it.

The following General Specifications, listed below apply to Class II, Standard Pruning.

- a. All cuts shall be made as close as possible to the trunk or parent limb, without cutting into the branch collar or leaving a protruding stub (See diagram B). Bark at the edge of all pruning cuts should remain firmly attached.
- b. All branches too large to support with one hand shall be precut (See diagram C) to avoid splitting or tearing of the bark. Where necessary, ropes or other equipment should be used to lower large branches or stubs to the ground.
- c. Treatment of cuts and wounds with wound dressing or paints has not been shown to be effective in preventing or reducing decay, and is not generally recommended for that reason. Wound dressing over infection wood may stimulate the decay process.
- d. Old injuries are to be inspected. Those not closing properly and where the callus\* growth is not already completely established should be bark traced if the bark appears loose or damaged. Such tracing shall not penetrate the xylem (sapwood), and margins shall be kept rounded.
- e. Equipment that will damage the bark and cambium layer should not be used on or in the tree. For example the use of climbing spurs (hooks, irons) is not an acceptable work practice for pruning operations on live trees. Sharp tools shall be used so that clean cuts will be made at all times.

f. All cut limbs shall be removed from the crown upon completion of the pruning.

g. Trees susceptible to serious infectious diseases should not be pruned at the time of year during which the pathogens causing the diseases or the insect vectors are most active. Similarly, if pruning wounds may attract harmful insects, pruning should be timed so as to avoid insect infestation.

These additional specifications shall apply to Class II, Standard Pruning:

h. All visible girdling roots are to be reported to a supervisor and/or the owner.

i. The presence of any disease condition, fungus fruit bodies, decayed trunk or branches, split crotches or branches, crack or other structural weakness should be reported in writing to a supervisor and / or the owner, and corrective measures recommended.

### Class III - Hazard Pruning

Hazard pruning is recommended where safety considerations are paramount.

Hazard pruning shall consist of the removal of dead, diseased, decayed, and obviously weak branches, two inches in diameter or greater.

The following General Specifications, listed below, apply to Class III, Hazard Pruning:

a. All cuts shall be made as close as possible to the trunk or parent limb with out cutting into the branch collar or leaving a protruding stub (See diagram B). Back at the edge of all pruning cuts should remain firmly attached.

b. All branches too large to support with one hand shall be precut (See diagram C) to avoid splitting or tearing of the bark. Where necessary, ropes or other equipment should be used to lower large branches or stubs to the ground.

c. Treatment of cuts and wounds with wound dressing or paints has not been shown to be effective in preventing or reducing decay, and is not generally recommended for that reason. Wound dressing over infection wood may stimulate the decay process.

d. Old injuries are to be inspected. Those not closing properly and where the callus\* growth is not already completely established should be bark traced if the bark appears loose or damaged. Such tracing shall not penetrated the xylem (Sapwood), and margins shall be kept rounded.

e. Equipment that will damage the bark and cambium layer should not be used on or in the tree. For example the use of climbing spurs (hooks, irons) is not an acceptable work practice for pruning operations on live trees. Sharp tools shall be used so that clean cuts will be made at all times.

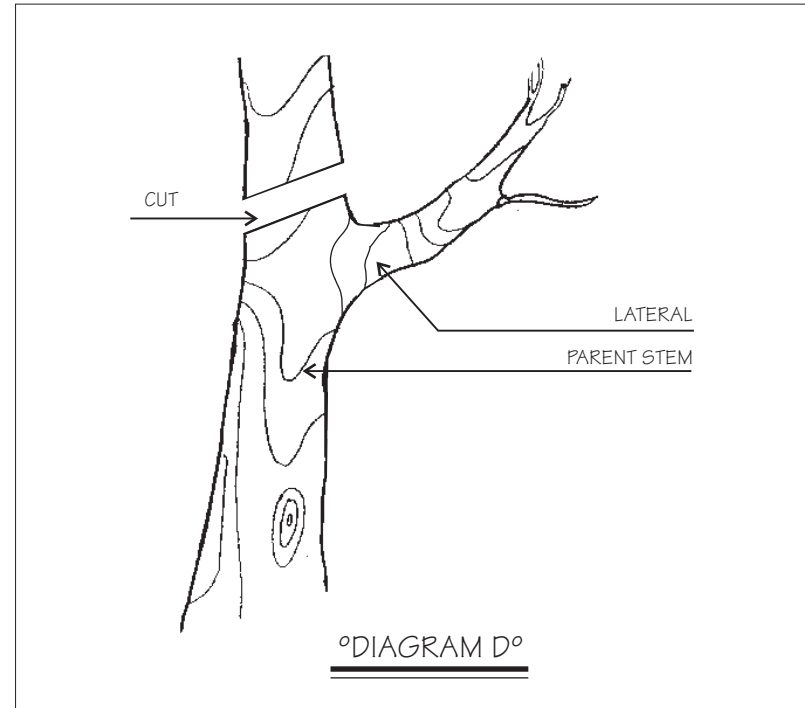
- f. All cut limbs shall be removed from the crown upon completion of the pruning.
- g. Tress susceptible to serious infectious diseases should not be pruned at the time of year during which the pathogens causing the diseases or the insect vectors are most active. Similarly, if pruning wounds may attract harmful insects, pruning should be timed so as to avoid insect infestation.

These additional specifications shall apply to Class III, Hazard Pruning:

- h. All visible girdling roots are to be reported to a supervisor and/or the owner.
- i. The presence of any disease condition, fungus fruit bodies, decayed trunk or branches, split crotches or branches, crack or other structural weakness should be reported in writing to a supervisor and/or the owner, and corrective measures recommended.

#### CLASS IV - CROWN REDUCTION PRUNING

Crown reduction pruning shall consist of the reduction of tops, sides or individual limbs. It involves the removal of a parent limb or dominant leader at the point of attachment of a lateral branch, as illustrated in diagram D. This practice is to be undertaken only for the following reasons:



- a. In situations where branches interfere with utility lines.
- b. When there has been significant crown dieback.
- c. When it is necessary to achieve specific topiary training or dwarfing.
- d. In case where, due to storm damage or prior incorrect pruning, it is appropriate to prune for safety and aesthetic reasons.

All of the specifications of General Specifications, listed below apply to Class IV, Crown Reduction Pruning:

- a. All branches too large to support with one hand shall be precut (see diagram C) to avoid splitting or rearing of the bark. Where necessary ropes or other equipment should be used to lower large branches or stubs to the ground.
- b. Treatment of cuts and wounds with wound dressing or paints has not been shown to be effective in preventing or reducing decay, and is not generally recommended for that reason. Wound dressing over infected wood may stimulate the decay process. If wounds are painted for cosmetic or other reasons, then materials non-toxic to the cambium layer of meristematic tissue must be used. Care must be taken to apply a thin coating of the material only to the exposed wood.
- c. Old injuries are to be inspected. Those not closing properly and where the callus growth is not already completely established should be bark traced if the bark appears loose or damaged. Such tracing shall not penetrate the xylem (sapwood) and margins shall be kept rounded.
- d. Equipment that will damage the bark and cambium layer should not be used on or in the tree. For example the use of climbing spurs (hooks, irons) is not an acceptable work practice for pruning operations on live trees. Sharp tools shall be used so that clean cuts will be made at all times.
- e. All cut limbs shall be removed from the crown upon completion of the pruning.

- f. Trees susceptible to serious infectious diseases should not be pruned at the time of year during which the pathogens causing the diseases or the insect vectors are most active. Similarly, if pruning wounds may attract harmful insects, pruning should be timed so as to avoid insect infestation.

These additional specifications shall also apply to Class IV, Crown Reduction Pruning:

- g. When removing a parent leader or limb to a lateral branch, the final cut should be made as close as possible with the branch bark ridge and the lateral limb. The cut should be made as close as possible without cutting into it. Care should be taken to avoid damaging the lateral limb when the final cut is made.
- h. Remove the weaker or less desirable of crossed or rubbing branches. Such removal should not leave large open spaces in the general outline of the tree.
- i. General in crown reduction pruning, not more than one-third of the total area should be removed in a single operation. Every effort should be made to cut back to a lateral, at least one-third to one-half the diameter of the parent limb or leader that is being removed. Cuts not made to a suitable lateral, sometimes called topping cuts, shall not be permitted.



- j. Before a branch is cut back, the ratio of live wood in the branch to leaf surface in the remaining branch should be considered carefully. The leaves must supply sufficient carbohydrates (food) to maintain the wood in the remaining branch as well as send excess carbohydrates to the trunk and roots for storage and later use. Generally, not more than one-third the total leaf surface area should be removed at any one time.
- k. Trees should be pruned to a shape typical of their species.
- l. To prevent sunburn on thin-barked trees, just enough limbs shall be removed to get the desired effect without admitting too much sun light to the trunk of the tree or the top of large branches. The above damage may be minimized by doing work on susceptible species during the dormant season.
- m. When removing the lower branches of trees for crown elevation or underclearance, care should be taken to maintain a symmetrical appearance, and cuts should be taken to maintain a symmetrical appearance, and cuts should not be made so large or so numerous that they will prevent normal sap flow.

## GLOSSARY OF TERMS FOR PRUNING

*Branch Collar* - Trunk tissue that forms around the base of a branch between the main stem and the branch and a lateral. As a branch decreases in vigor or begins to die, the branch collar becomes more pronounced.

*Branch Bark Ridge* - Raised area of bark in the branch crotch that marks where the branch wood and trunk wood meet.

*Callus* - Undifferentiated tissue formed by the cambium layer around a wound.

*Cambium* - Dividing layer of conductor cells in a tree trunk that forms sapwood (xylem) to the inside and bark (phloem) to the outside.

*Crown Thinning* - The selective removal of branches to increase light penetration, air movement, and reduce weight.

*Espalier* - Espalier pruning is a combination of cutting and training branches which are oriented in one plane, formally or informally arranged and usually supported on a wall, fence or trellis. The patterns can be simple or complex but the cutting and training is precise. Ties should be replaced every few years to prevent girdling the branches at the attachment site.

*Girdling Roots* - Roots located above or below the ground whose circular growth around the base of the trunk or over individual roots applies pressure to the bark area, ultimately restricting sap flow and trunk/root growth. Frequently resulting in reduced vitality and/or stability of the plant.

*Heading* - Heading is cutting a currently growing or one-year-old shoot back to a bud, or cutting an older branch or stem back to a stub or lateral branch not sufficiently large enough to assume the terminal role. Heading should rarely be used on mature trees.

*Lateral* - A branch or twig growing from a parent branch or stem.

*Leader* - A dominant upright stem, usually the main trunk. There can be several leaders in one tree.

*Mycelium* - Growth mass of fungus tissues found under bark or rooted wood.

*Bark Tracing* - The trimming of damaged bark will facilitate proper callus function and wood healing. Surgical procedures should only be undertaken by a qualified arborist.

## APPENDIX

### A. Example of Landscape Architectural Drawings

The appendix includes an example of a complete set of landscape architectural drawings, a comprehensive plant list with details of the individual plant species characteristics, lists of native species, list of recommended street trees, list of palms subject to lethal yellowing, lists of prohibited and restricted species and other relevant plant material information.

Following is an example of a complete set of landscape architectural drawings for a housing project. These plans are illustrative and do not establish specific drawing techniques or other methods of graphic or narrative communication. The first is the tree disposition plan, including a survey which indicates:

1. All existing major vegetation including the Species and condition of plant material;
2. Trees to be retained, transplanted and removed;
3. Protective barriers for those trees to be retained (Certain trees are protected by Chapter 24 of the Miami-Dade County Code).

The next drawing in the comprehensive planting plan and includes the following:

1. Existing trees to remain indicated by a dashed line of the canopy;
2. All proposed plant material indicated by solid circular lines, or in the case of ground covers and mass shrub plantings, by patterned lines;

3. Plant schedules with quantities, species, size, height, spread and any other relevant notations. The hexagon indicates the number of plants to be used for each planting area.

4. In this situation the comprehensive plan is complex, therefore, a blow up of the plan is required. This provides more detail to implement the plan.

Next is the irrigation plan which shows all types of heads and required spacing for maximum coverage. Pipe sizing water meter locations and valves are also shown. Heads have been selected to minimize over spraying. This plan is zoned depending on plant water requirements in order to reduce water consumption.

The last drawing indicates those specifications required to correctly install new plant material and protect existing plant material. Also included are the guidelines for long-term maintenance of the landscape.

### B. Legend and Compliance Forms

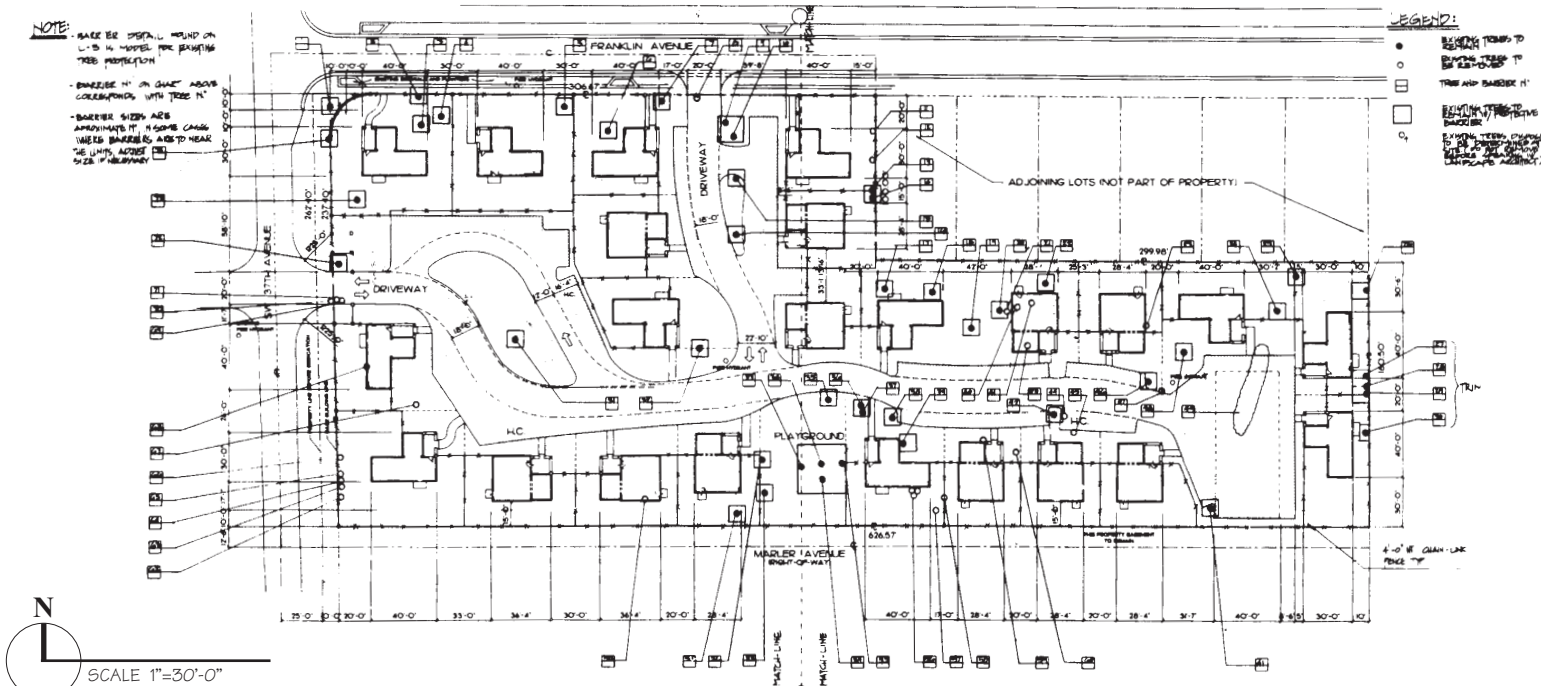
Included is the landscape legend which shall be permanently affixed to submitted landscape plan. The appropriate compliance form shall be submitted upon completion of the landscape installation.

# APPENDIX 1: TREE DISPOSITION PLAN

TREE BARRIER CHART			
BARRIER #	BARRIER SIZE	(CONT)	BARRIER SIZE
1	15' x 15'	34 34 24	40' x 40'
2	10' x 10'	35	10' x 10'
3	10' x 10'	36, 37	6' x 5'
4	10' x 10'	38	10' x 5'
5	10' x 10'	39	10' x 10'
6	15' x 15'	43	15' x 15'
7	20' x 20'	46	15' x 15'
8, 10	25' x 25'	48	30' x 30'
15, 16	15' x 15'	51	5' x 5'
18	15' x 15'	52	20' x 20'
19	15' x 15'	53	50' x 50'
17	10' x 10'	61	15' x 15'
18	5' x 5'	72	15' x 15'
19	20' x 30'	73	15' x 25'
20	10' x 10'	74	15' x 15'
21	15' x 15'		
22	30' x 30'		
23	15' x 15'		
24	10' x 10'		
25	15' x 15'		
26	20' x 20'		

TREE DISPOSITION CHART				(CONT)				(CONT)				(CONT)								
TREE #	SPECIES / COMMON NAME	DBH (IN)	REMAIN	RE-PLANT	TREE #	SPECIES / COMMON NAME	DBH (IN)	REMAIN	RE-PLANT	TREE #	SPECIES / COMMON NAME	DBH (IN)	REMAIN	RE-PLANT	TREE #	SPECIES / COMMON NAME	DBH (IN)	REMAIN	RE-PLANT	
1	PINE	12"	0	0	25	FLORA BUSH/FLORA	20"	0	0	45	FLORA	30"	0	0	67	BALTIMORE WILLOW	12"	0	0	
2	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	12"	0	0	26	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	40"	0	0	46	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	14"	0	0	68	PINE	12"	0	0	
3	"	20"	0	0	27	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	17"	0	0	47	FLORA BUSH/FLORA	24"	0	0	69	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	12"	0	0	
4	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	25"	0	0	28	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	20"	0	0	48	BURCH VIBURNUM/LARIX	117"	0	0	70				0	0
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**NOTE:**  
 - BASE TREE SPACING PLANT ON L-10 W/ MODEL FOR EXISTING TREE PROTECTION  
 - DIMENSE "H" ON "LINE" ABOVE COLOR/FIELD WITH TREE #"  
 - BARRIER SIZES ARE APPROXIMATE. IF SOME CHANGE, THESE BARRIERS ARE TO NEAR THE LIMIT, ADJUST TO 20' x 20' BARRIER



°TREE DISPOSITION PLAN°

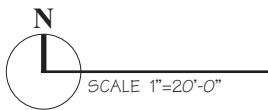
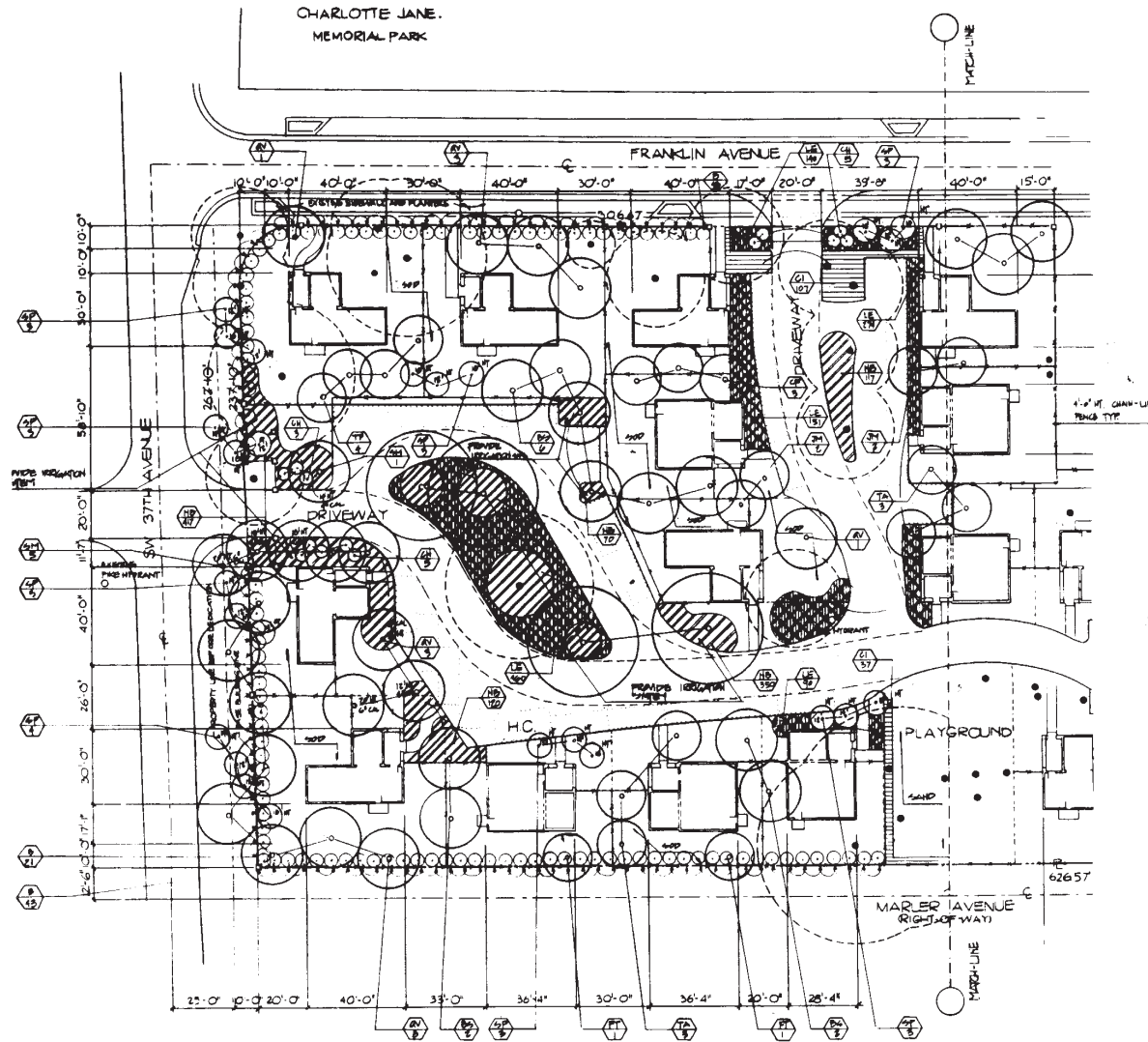
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# APPENDIX 3: SITE PLANTING DETAIL



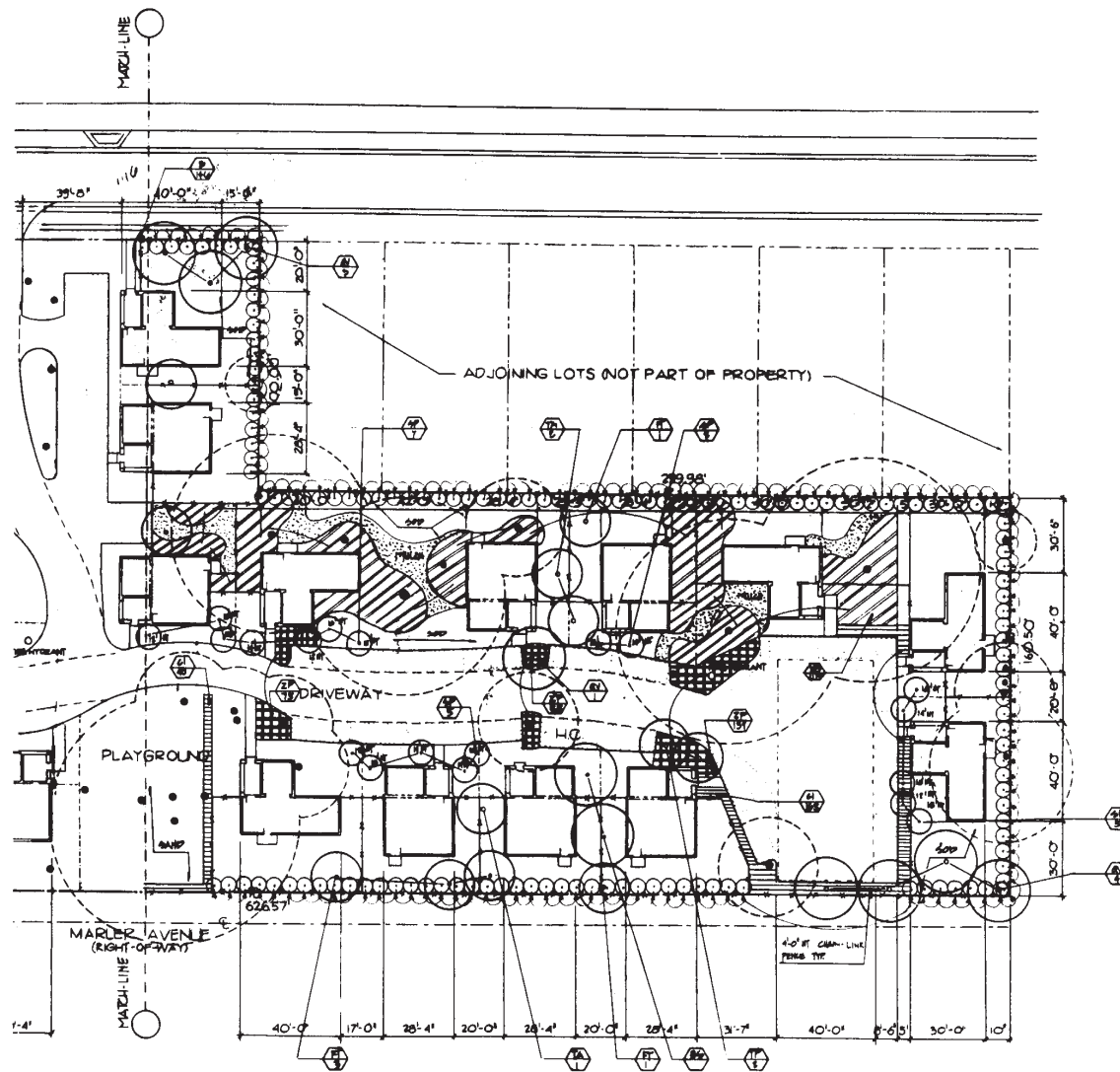
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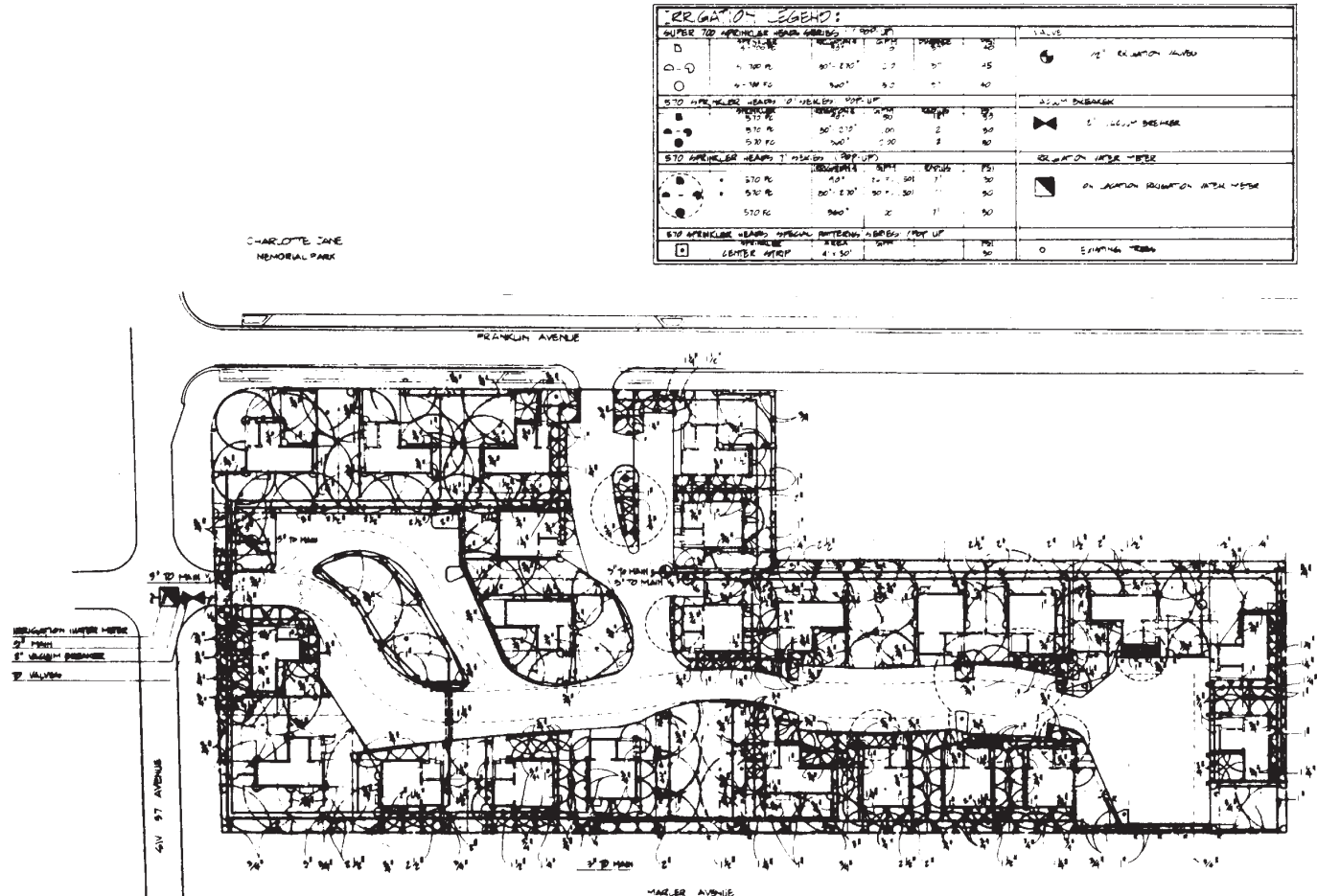
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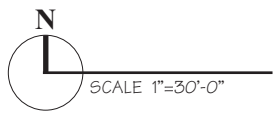
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# APPENDIX 5: IRRIGATION PLAN



**IRRIGATION LEGEND:**

SUPER TID SPRINKLER HEAD SYMBOLS / POP UP				VALUE	
□	1" 100 FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	12" EXHAUST VALVE
○	1" 100 FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	
○	1" 100 FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	
5" TO 10" WHEELER HEADS / WHEELER POP UP				VALVE	
●	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER
●	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER
●	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER
5" TO 10" WHEELER HEADS / WHEELER POP UP				VALVE	
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●	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER
5" TO 10" WHEELER HEADS / SPECIAL WHEELER HEADS / POP UP				VALVE	
□	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER
□	5" TO 10" FC	90° E 30°	2.0	15	5" WHEELER



**NOTES:**

- ALL WHEELER HEADS TO BE MOUNTED ON RUMBOS
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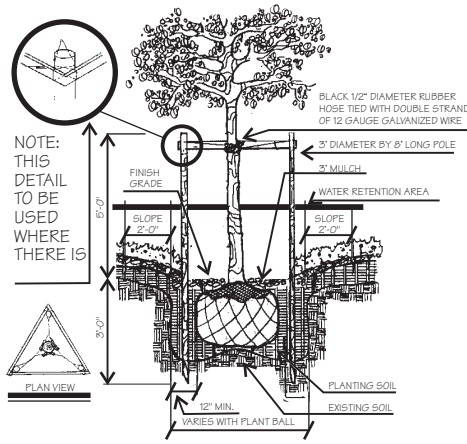
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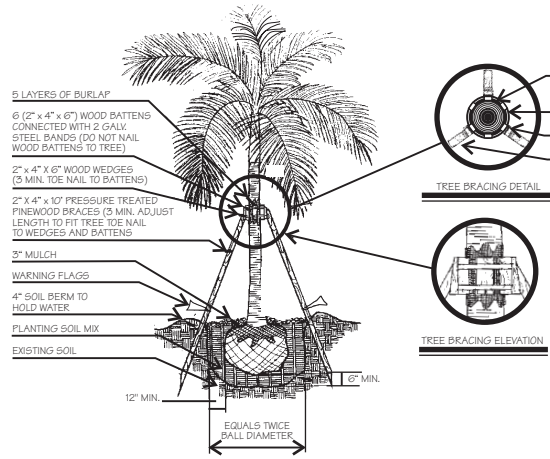
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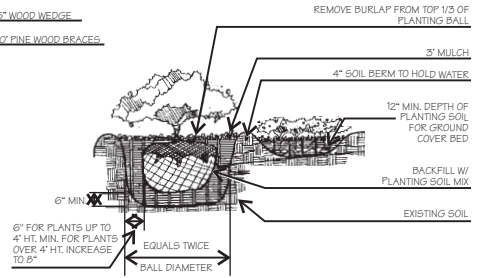
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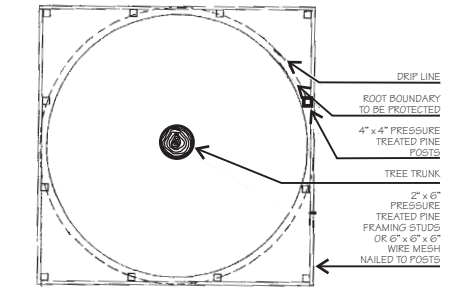
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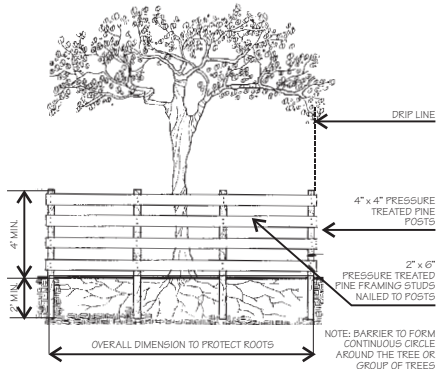
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°SHRUB AND GROUNDCOVER DETAIL°



°WOOD BARRIER DETAIL PLAN°



°WOOD BARRIER DETAIL°

°MAINTENANCE PLAN°

-ALL PLANTS SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN A HEALTHY CONDITION AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING:

- WATERING: PLANTS SHALL BE WATERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS AS PROVIDED ON THE IRRIGATION PLAN L-5.
- MOWING: ALL LAWN AREAS SHALL BE MOWED WEEKLY DURING GROWING SEASON AND BI-WEEKLY IN NON-GROWING SEASON.
- FERTILIZING: FERTILIZER SHALL BE APPLIED IN THE FALL OR EARLY SPRING. ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT HARMFUL TO APPLY FERTILIZER AT ANY TIME DURING THE YEAR. SEE SPECIFICATIONS FOR TYPES OF FERTILIZER APPLICATION.

TREES:

TREES SHALL NOT BE FERTILIZED UNTIL ESTABLISHED AND RECOVERED FROM TRANSPLANTING.

BEGIN FERTILIZATION AFTER THE TREE HAS BEGUN TO PRODUCE NEW SPROUTS. FERTILIZERS SHOULD INCLUDE MICRO- ELEMENTS ALONG WITH NITROGEN, PHOSPHOROUS AND POTASSIUM.

THE QUANTITY USED SHOULD REFLECT THE SIZE AND CONDITION OF THE TREE. TO DETERMINE THE PROPER AMOUNT OF FERTILIZER FIRST MEASURE THE DIAMETER OF THE TREE TRUNK AT A POINT FOUR AND HALF (4 1/2) FEET ABOVE THE GROUND (DBH)

- FOR TREES HAVING TRUNKS THAT ARE LESS THAN SIX INCHES (6") IN DIAMETER USE ONE (1) TO TWO (2) POUNDS OF FERTILIZER PER YEAR FOR EACH INCH IN DIAMETER.
- FOR TREES HAVING TRUNKS GREATER THAN SIX INCHES (6") IN DIAMETER, USE TWO (2) TO FOUR (4) POUNDS OF FERTILIZER PER YEAR FOR EACH INCH IN DIAMETER.

FERTILIZATION SHALL BE DONE IN THE MONTHS OF MARCH/ JUNE/OCTOBER.

PRUNING: PRUNING OF ALL TREES AND SHRUBS SHALL BE DONE REGULARLY TO CONTROL SHAPE AND FORM AND KEEP BRANCHES FROM DAMAGING SURROUNDING STRUCTURES OR PEOPLE. PRUNING SHALL BE DONE IN WINTER OR EARLY SPRING AND SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARDS OF THE NATIONAL ARBORIST ASSOCIATION.

MULCHING: ALL PLANTS SHALL BE MULCHED ON A YEARLY BASIS OR AS NEEDED TO MAINTAIN HEALTHY GROWTH AND REDUCE WEED GROWTH.

°DETAILS°

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**OWNER BUILDER SINGLE FAMILY CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE  
FOR FINAL INSPECTION**

**PROCESS NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_ **PERMIT NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_

I/we hereby certify that as owner/agent for owner of lot \_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_, Subdivision name \_\_\_\_\_, P.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_ (or metes and bounds legal description) \_\_\_\_\_

Located at (address) \_\_\_\_\_, that the landscaping and sprinkler system (if applicable) have been installed in compliance with the approved plans and that all requirements of **Chapter 18A** (18-13 Landscape Ordinance) have been met.

Owner Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Agent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 199 \_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation, on behalf of the corporation. He/She is personally known to me or has produced \_\_\_\_\_, as identification and did/did not take an oath.

Witness my signature and official seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 199 \_\_, in the County and State aforesaid, the date and year last aforesaid.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

**PROFESSIONAL PREPARER'S STATEMENT OF LANDSCAPING COMPLIANCE**

**PROCESS NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_ **PERMIT NUMBER** \_\_\_\_\_

Legal description: lot \_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_, Subdivision name \_\_\_\_\_,  
P.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_, Development name \_\_\_\_\_  
Located at (address) \_\_\_\_\_

I/We hereby certify that the landscaping/irrigation plan being submitted for the above captioned complies with the requirements of **Chapter 18A** (18-13 Landscape Ordinance Effective March 24, 1998) as to species, height, trunk width and location at time of planting, and that the species as shown a re in accordance with the accepted species approved by Miami-Dade County and that none of the species are from the prohibited list.

Additionally, automatic sprinkler system (if applicable) comply with requirements of said ordinance as to type of heads, spray system, location, etc.

Seal:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Professional Preparer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

**STATE OF** \_\_\_\_\_  
**COUNTY OF** \_\_\_\_\_

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Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

**LANDSCAPE LEGEND Information Required to be Permanently Affixed to Plan**

Zoning District: \_\_\_\_\_ Net Lot Area \_\_\_\_\_ acres \_\_\_\_\_ s.f.

**OPEN SPACE** **REQUIRED** **PROVIDED**

- A. Square Feet of open space required by Chapter 33, as indicated on site plan:  
 Net lot area = \_\_\_\_\_ s.f. x \_\_\_\_\_ % = \_\_\_\_\_ s.f. \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Square Feet of parking lot open space required by Chapter 18A,  
 as indicated on site plan: \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. parking spaces \_\_\_\_\_ x 10 s.f. per parking space = \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Total s.f. of landscaped open space required by Chapter 33: A+B = \_\_\_\_\_

**LAWN AREA CALCULATION**

- A. \_\_\_\_\_ total s.f. of landscaped open space required by Chapter 33 \_\_\_\_\_  
 B. Maximum lawn area (sod) permitted = \_\_\_\_\_ 5 x \_\_\_\_\_ s.f. = \_\_\_\_\_

**TREES**

- A. No. trees required per net lot acre  
 Less existing number of trees meeting minimum requirements  
 = \_\_\_\_\_ trees x net lot acres = \_\_\_\_\_
- B. % Palms Allowed: No. trees provided x 30% = \_\_\_\_\_  
 % Palms permitted to count as street trees on 1:1 basis x 30% \_\_\_\_\_
- C. % Natives Required: No. trees provided x 30% = \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Street trees (maximum average spacing of 35' o.c.): \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet along street / 35 = \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Street trees located directly beneath power lines  
 (maximum average spacing of 25' o.c.): \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet along street / 25 = \_\_\_\_\_

**SHRUBS**

- A. No. trees required x 10 = No. of shrubs allowed \_\_\_\_\_
- B. No. shrubs allowed x 30% = No. of native shrubs required \_\_\_\_\_
- IRRIGATION PLAN:** If required by Chapter 33 \_\_\_\_\_
- TABLE:** Containing information as indicated in sample below:

SYMBOL USED ON PLAN		PLANT NAME	NATIVE SPECIES		CALIPER	HEIGHT		CANOPY DIAMETER	QUANTITY
Symbol	New		Existing	Scientific		Common	Yes		

\*Required for trees located underneath or adjacent to powerlines and palms used at 1 : 1 ratio  
**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY CHAPTER 18A FOR BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL ZONES**

\*\*Excluded lawn area as provided in Chapter 18A shall be subtracted from net lawn area when calculating number of trees

THE LANDSCAPE MANUAL  
PLANT MATERIAL LISTS



## GUIDELINES TO PLANT LISTINGS

1. The following extensive plant listing is intended to serve as a guide for the design and creation of water conservative urban landscapes, and for the integration of non-native with native plant material. A few basic conservation and environmental concerns are briefly addressed, but it is not within the scope of this manual to provide extensive guidance in these areas. Conservation issues and restoration programs are separate disciplines that deserve and require specific detailed information provided through private consultation with a knowledgeable professional.

Because Dade County encompasses a wide variety of growing conditions, a wide variety of plant material has been included. This is not a complete list of all species that are available from local nurseries. Local suppliers are helpful with suggestions for additional appropriate plants they offer.

For the most part, the following definitions were used when creating the major divisions of the plant lists.

- a. **Trees:** A woody plant with secondary growth, having a single trunk, that exceeds the height of 20'.
- b. **Tree/Shrub:** A woody plant with secondary growth, having a single or multiple trunks, that ranges in height from approximately 10-25'. Whether a plant becomes a tree or shrub depends upon such factors as:
  1. The amount of light present at the growing site.
  2. The quality and depth of available soil in which the plant grows.
  3. The amount of competition from other adjacent plants for light and nutrients.
  4. Exposure to excessive winds or salt spray.
  5. Damage to the main trunk or stem caused by cold, wind, or mechanical means. These factors often lead to resprouting with multiple stems or trunks.
  6. Seedling and/or source plant diversity.
  7. Cultural control initiated by the grower.
- c. **Shrub:** A woody plant with secondary growth, having multiple trunks, that ranges in height from 3-15'.
- d. **Sub-Shrub:** A woody plant with secondary growth, having multiple trunks, that ranges in height from 1-3'.
- e. **Herbaceous:** A plant that does not have woody secondary growth, the height covers a wide range.

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- f. In various instances, a plant exerted its independence as a living entity, and did not seem to fit into any of the pre-established categories. An arbitrary decision was made, to assign the plant to a somewhat appropriate category, that hopefully will be tolerated with good humor by the users of this manual. Such individuality was not excluded.
2. For a few special circumstances, lists of suggested plants are offered. These lists are not meant to be all-inclusive, but rather to provide a frame of reference.
3. Those plants that may cause various types of toxic reactions in humans have not been addressed in this manual. Contact dermatitis, respiratory difficulties, gastro-intestinal distress, and central nervous system dysfunctions are examples of the types of problems that may occur from compounds contained in plant material. The responsible reader is referred to references in the bibliography.
4. Some plants that are not widely propagated are also detailed. It is hoped that the inclusion of these species will foster demand for greater diversity in the plant material used in Dade County gardens, and will suggest alternatives for plants that have proven to be problems. Three plant locator guides were used in the preparation of the following plant lists: (1) "Betrock's Plant Finder", (2) "The Nursery Report of the Dade County Chapter of the Florida Nurserymen & Growers Association", (3) "The Native Plant & Service Directory of the Association of Florida Native Nurseries". Their addresses at the time of preparation of this manual are listed in the bibliography. Some plants are available from local nurseries, but are not listed in plant finder catalogs. Other plants, particularly wild flowers and many grasses, are usually grown only on contract.
5. In response to requests for information about the nature of plant roots, especially tree roots, the following facts from three arboriculture publications, referenced in the bibliography, are offered.
  - a. The functions of roots are anchorage, storage, absorption, and conduction.
  - b. Roots grow wherever aeration, moisture, temperature, nutrition, and soil tilth are favorable. Roots of most plants, including large trees, grow primarily in the top three feet of soil, and most plants concentrate the majority of their small absorbing roots in the upper six inches of soil.
  - c. The downward growing tap root of young trees does not normally persist to maturity. It is usually choked out by expansion of the heart and sinker roots around it, or is diverted by unfavorable growing conditions. These tap and sinker roots grow only into the layers of soil that contain sufficient oxygen for growth. This could be only several inches in soil over rock, or areas with a high water table. When dense layers of soil or rock are encountered, or areas



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with little or no oxygen, the sinker and tap root systems stop and abruptly turn 90°. The vast majority of developed or developing areas in Miami-Dade County lie atop limestone rock. Most areas have from 2-6" of soil over the solid rock.

- d. The four to eleven large roots that radiate from the base of the tree trunk are either on the surface of the soil or only a few inches below. They grow horizontally through the soil.
  - e. The majority of tree roots range in diameter from that of a lead pencil to the size of a hair. These smaller roots originate from the larger roots and grow upward into the top few surface inches of soil and leaf litter. These roots use oxygen obtained from the tiny spaces between soil particles while absorbing water and minerals from the soil.
  - f. When unrestricted, the roots of trees often extend 2-3 times the radius of the crown, while those growing in a close planting will be more confined. Roots can grow 10-15 feet per year if optimum conditions are present. If a root grows into an obstacle and is deflected, it will tend to resume its original direction when the obstacle has been passed.
  - g. The extent and direction of root growth is more a function of environment than genetics. Surface rooting will be increased if poor irrigation practices keep soil too wet on the surface and too dry at lower depths, or inadequate drainage keeps the soil too wet throughout. In infertile soil inadequately supplied with moisture, roots are few in number, but larger and able to grow greater distances from the plant. The roots within the dripline of a tree are estimated to have 2.5-4.5 times more surface area than does the total of one side of all the leaves.
  - h. Frequently roots of several trees of the same species growing in close proximity are grafted together.
  - i. Mulch, after settling, should be no deeper than three inches to promote good soil aeration. It should be kept 6-8 inches away from the base of the plant to allow the trunk(s) to dry quickly after irrigation.
6. The column "Wind Tolerance" in the comprehensive plant listings sections "Trees" and "Tree/Shrubs" is offered with reservation, for it cannot present the entire picture. After Hurricane Andrew, August 24, 1992, a wind and tree survey was taken by Mary Duryea, Ph. D., of the Forest Resources and Conservation Department, University of Florida (Duryea, Mary, G. Blakeslee, W. Hubbard, and R. Vasquez, *Wind and Trees: a Survey of Homeowners After Hurricane Andrew*, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, 1994). The survey counted 1,947 trees on 128 residential properties. It included 202 different tree species. Sample sizes varied from over 100 trees per species, to only 8 or 14 trees per species. The researchers used a base of 145 mph recorded sustained winds.

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In general, damage was not uniform, but appeared to vary by species, size, and previous cultural practices. When trees fell, they were either uprooted, broken at the trunk, or both. Larger trees within a species were more likely to fall than smaller trees. This same finding has been observed in forests after a hurricane passed through. Most uprooted trees reflected shallow soil and lack of rooting space.

Palms did not benefit from “hurricane pruning”. The same percentage of palms fell whether pruned or not. Palm species did not respond uniformly to wind stress. Some tolerated strong winds better than others.

Thinning of the canopies of dense, broadleaf trees by using proper pruning techniques, such as ANSI A300 Pruning Standards, did make a difference. Fewer of these broadleaf trees failed.

Native tree species survived better than non-native species. It was felt that natural selection through many hurricanes over hundreds of years partly explains their greater tolerance to high winds.

The stress to trees as a result of hurricane damage initiates outbreaks of pests such as bark beetles, ambrosia beetles, sawyers, planthoppers, and blue stain fungi that preferentially attack stressed, damaged trees. These secondary problems have led to the death of trees, including palms, even several years after the storm. In addition, many trees were damaged internally due to vibration and twisting experienced during the period of high winds. Some of these have also died over time.

In conclusion, the study found that only 7% of trees studied caused damage to property. Live oak (*Quercus virginiana*) has exceptional wind resistance here, and in other hurricane prone southern areas. Palms are ranked second in wind resistance. It is important in urban areas for tree plantings to have species, age, and size diversity.

7. Creating the sea-level salt tolerant landscape is one of the more difficult horticultural tasks. Wind, sand, and salt combine to create formidable obstacles to luxuriant plant growth. As research proceeded for this manual, it became apparent that expert horticulturists and authors of reference publications differ greatly in their opinions concerning the relative salt tolerance of plants. Each site has its own particular soil conditions and exposure levels to stressful conditions. Nevertheless, this manual attempts to list the relative salt tolerance of plants.

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The plants most tolerant of seaside conditions have various ways of adapting to the stressful coastal environment. Some have hard surfaced leaves put together like fish scales. An example is shore juniper (*Juniperus conferta*). Other plants have leaves with a hard waxy coating. Examples are Seagrape (*Coccoloba uvifera*) and Spanish Bayonet (*Yucca aloifolia*). A third group of plants have leaves covered with tiny hairs called tomentum. Examples are Silver buttonwood (*Conocarpus erectus* var. *sericea*) and Necklace Pod (*Sophora tomentosa*). Certain plants have salt glands on stems or leaves that can secrete excess salts dissolved in soil water. Examples are Marsh Hay (*Spartina patens*) and Salt Marsh Sea Lavender (*Limonium carolinianum*). Still other plants are succulents with large abundant cells that store water. Examples are Saltwort (*Batis maritima*) and Aloe (*Aloe Vera*). Other modifications include reduced size or number of leaves, and curling of the leaf blades during hot daylight hours. Consider these characteristics when planning for the most open, unprotected sites closest to the sea.

Some native species have been designated as salt tolerant, but no listing is given for a Dade County coastal plant community. In such cases, that species has not been documented in Dade County in a coastal environment. However, the species is part of coastal plant communities in other parts of South Florida.

Under urban conditions the attractive appearance of the landscape is often of prime importance. Sometimes a plant may tolerate the environmental conditions, but the leaves may be desiccated by winds and show signs of chemical burn from salt deposits. These plants should be grown in a more protected location. An effort has been made to take a conservative approach, recommending less exposed conditions in instances where opinions differ. Even within each category there are those plants that will tolerate more stringent conditions than others. The following guidelines were used in an attempt to assign ranges of relative salt tolerance.

- Yes = Salt Tolerant, the Pioneer Zone, and Zone or Belt I. These plants will tolerate salt in the soil, salt spray and wind blown sand
- Moderate = Moderately Salt Tolerant, Zone or Belt II. These plants will tolerate some salt spray or salt breezes. They should be protected by barriers of some type, such as, buildings, fences or walls, a sand dune, other plants forming a windbreak
- Slight = Slightly Salt Tolerant, Zone or Belt III. These plants tolerate coastal conditions poorly. They should be planted well back of exposed areas with adequate protection so that just a bit of a salt breeze is noticeable. Good horticultural practices often produce good results.
- No = No mention was found of these plants growing in coastal areas. It was assumed these are inland plants

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8. A listing of native facultative plants is offered to assist with landscape plant species selection for stormwater retention/detention areas. Facultative plants tolerate a wide range of moisture conditions. The landscape code allows stormwater retention/detention areas to be permanently exempt from wetland regulations. Therefore, plants that state guidelines list as wetland indicator (obligate) plants at the time of this writing do not appear on the list.

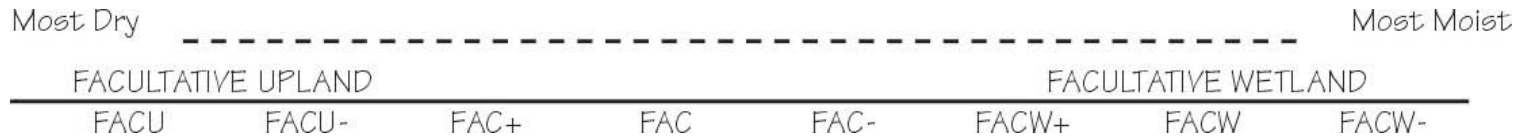
The stormwater area planting list contains two main groups of plants. (1) The Facultative Plants (FAC) are species that have a similar likelihood of occurring in both wetland and upland situations. They are not used in governmental evaluations to determine the dominant vegetation of possible natural wetland sites. These plants have a 39 - 66% probability of growing naturally in a wetland habitat. Some descriptive terms applied to the sites in which FAC plants naturally occur are: clearings, wet or dry prairies and meadows, hydric and mesic hammocks, both wetland and upland sites, rocklands, floodplains, pond and stream banks, beach strand, seepage slopes, mesic to wet flatwoods, and wet depressions. (2) The Facultative Wet Plants (FACW) are species which under natural conditions thrive in areas subject to surface water inundation and/or soil saturation. These plants have a 67 - 99% probability of occurring naturally in a wetland habitat, but are occasionally found in upland sites. Some descriptive terms applied to the sites in which FACW plants naturally occur are: edges of lakes and streams, depression marshes, poorly or well drained soils, mesic and xeric hammocks, ditches, clearings, floodplain forests, wet and non-wet woodlands, pinelands, low hammocks, salt flats, fresh and/or brackish marshes, savannas, open swales, glades, banks of sloughs, damp soils, mesic to wet flatwoods, dry or moist soils, prairies, sandhills, estuarine shores.

The plants in this list should be cross-referenced with the comprehensive plant listings and their designated native plant communities. Selecting groups of plants that naturally grow together under conditions similar to that of the site under consideration, should help establish a good success rate.

Stormwater retention/detention areas are usually site specific, with many conditions varying greatly from one location to another. Some sites may present conditions for recreating areas not seen for decades in this county, the wet and dry prairies that covered extensive areas in the days before development. The Biscayne, Humbugus, Pocomoonshine, and Allapattah Prairies, along with others, followed a general NE to SW irregular path west of the high pinelands and rock ridge. In the southern part of the county there were also prairies east of the rock ridge. The dominant vegetation consisted of many of the facultative wildflowers, grasses, and sedges recommended for stormwater retention/detention areas. Some prairie areas were always wet and moist. Others were seasonally wet or dry, and certain other sites were generally more high and dry. Where conditions are favorable, small prairies or meadows could be designed to appear again. In early 1998 they do not exist.

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In certain instances additional information is available to assist with assessing the moisture requirements/tolerances of various plants. When possible, sub-category lists were created to reflect the ranges of tolerance. The categories are arranged as follows in the order "more dry" to "more moist":



9. A listing of the susceptibility of various palms to lethal yellowing disease is included. This list has grown in length during the years of the existence of this disease in South Florida. Lethal yellowing will always be present in this area and there is no cure for the disease.

In the light of current knowledge, it is important to avoid monoculture planting of palms. When several palms are to be grown relatively close to each other, the use of a variety of species is strongly encouraged. Palms, as well as other plants, maintain higher resistance to insect and disease pests when they are maintained in a stress-free state. The planting site should meet as nearly as possible the requirements of each individual species regarding soil type, moisture, nutrition, light levels, and salt exposure. Green leaves should not be pruned from established palms. Each leaf makes a significant contribution to the general good health of the plant. Ill-advised green leaf pruning stresses the palm. Palm leaf pruning also contributes to sub-optimum trunk caliper and increased susceptibility to cold damage. At least one other disease now in this area, a fusarium wilt, is known to be transferred from an infected palm to other palms on contaminated pruning tools. There is no known control for this disease.

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10. The native plant communities found in Dade County are defined to assist with the successful incorporation of native plant material into our landscapes. Due to the wide variety of growing conditions, certain plants may attain tree status in one environment and exist as stunted shrubs in another more stringent environment. The listing is meant to illustrate a representative sampling of the plants in each community, rather than a detailed compete account. Many plants native to South Florida will grow in cultivation here, but we have attempted to include only some of those species documented to occur naturally in Dade County.
11. Legend:
  - A. n/a symbol in any column = not available
  - B. Native Community Columns:

Numbers 1-11 correspond to numbers assigned to each environment in the native plant community section.

BNP = Biscayne National Park	ENP = Everglades National Park
END = Extreme North Dade	U = Undetermined
  - C. Wildlife Value Columns:

BI = Bird	BU = Butterfly	AN = Animals
F = Food or Water	S = Shelter	

## COMMENTS ON FLORIDA'S PROTECTED PLANTS

Of the states in the United States, Florida is one of the richest in the diversity of its plant material. It is also a state with one of the highest rates of population growth. As the land is developed for human use, sections of plant and animal ecosystems are significantly altered or destroyed. As of April 29, 1996, the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services officially lists 338 species of plants as endangered, 66 species as threatened, and 10 species as commercially exploited throughout the state. There are also 77 species of animals listed as endangered and 27 species listed as threatened.

All those involved in landscape design are encouraged to inquire at local nurseries concerning the availability of legally propagated species of these disappearing native plants. We encourage you to include those that are available in your designs. The comprehensive plant listings of palms and cycads, trees, and tree-shrubs each have a separate column in their tables that records the special status of each native plant. In the other sections, the "common name" column is used to mention any endangered, threatened, or commercially exploited status.

Of the 830 species detailed in this manual, 381 are species native to South Florida. The vast majority of the listed native species are native to Miami-Dade County. A number of these can be found on the official list of Florida's endangered species, threatened species, and species of special concern. All protected species we have listed are in legal commercial propagation. There are prescribed penalties for illegally collecting these protected plants in the wild.

State-wide, there are a few groups of plants that have many of their members on the protected list. Of the ferns, 46 species are endangered, 4 are threatened, and 3 are commercially exploited. Of the bromeliads, 8 species are endangered and 2 are listed as threatened. Of the cacti, 7 species are endangered and 1 is threatened. Of the orchids, 56 species are listed as endangered, 18 are threatened, and 2 species are commercially exploited. Of the 12 species of palms native to Florida, 5 are endangered, and 1 commercially exploited. The publications that individually list and describe all these special species are included in the bibliography.

The Florida Protection Status is defined in Section 581.185 of the Florida Statutes:

**ENDANGERED:** Species of plants native to the state that are in imminent danger of extinction within the state, the survival of which is unlikely if the causes of a decline in the number of plants continues, and includes all species determined to be endangered or threatened pursuant to the Federal Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended, PUB. L. NO. 93-205 (87 STAT. 884).

**THREATENED:** Species of plants native to the state that are in rapid decline in the number of plants within the state, but which have not so decreased in such numbers as to cause them to be endangered.

**COMMERCIALY EXPLOITED:** Species of plants native to the state which are subject to being removed in significant numbers from native habitats in the state and sold or transplanted for sale.

LIST OF  
PROHIBITED LANDSCAPING PLANTS  
FOR DADE COUNTY

PROHIBITED SPECIES

Prohibited species may not be planted anywhere in Dade County in accordance with the Landscape Code. These species must be removed from sites upon site development.

	Species (Common Name)	Growth Form	Native Plant Communities Invaded
1.	<i>Acacia auriculiformis</i> (earleaf acacia)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
2.	<i>Adenanthera pavonina</i> (red sandalwood; Coralwood; Redwood; Circassian Bean tree; Peacock Flower-Fence; Coral Pea; Barbados Pride; Bead Tree)	Tree	Hammocks
3.	<i>Albizia lebeck</i> (woman's tongue; Lebeck Tree; Siris Tree)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
4.	<i>Ardisia elliptica</i> (=A.humilis) (shoebuttton ardisia)	Shrub	Hammocks, Wetlands
5.	<i>Bischofia javanica</i> (bischofia; Toog; Bishopwood)	Tree	Hammocks
6.	<i>Casuarina</i> spp. (Australian pine; Beefwood; She Oak)	Tree	Wetlands, Coastal
7.	<i>Cestrum diurnum</i> (day jessamine)	Shrub	Hammocks
8.	<i>Colubrina asiatica</i> (lather leaf)	Shrub	Coastal
9.	<i>Cupaniopsis anacardioides</i> (carrotwood)	Tree	Wetlands
10.	<i>Dalberia sisoo</i> (Indian rosewood; Sissoo)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
11.	<i>Discorea bulbifera</i> (Air Potato; Bitter Yam; Potato Vine)	Vine	Hammocks
12.	<i>Ficus altissima</i> (banyan tree; Council Tree; Lofty Fig; False Banyon)	Tree	Pine Rocklands, Hammocks
13.	<i>Ficus bengalensis</i> (bengal fig; Indian Banyan; Banyan Tree; East Indian Fig Tree)	Tree	Pine Rocklands, Hammocks
14.	<i>Ficus elastica</i> (Indian Rubber Tree; Rubber Plant; Assam Rubber)	Tree	Hammocks
15.	<i>Ficus microcarpa</i> (=F. nitida; F. retusa var. nitida) (laurel fig; Indian Laurel; Malay Banyan; Chinese Banyan; Glossy Leaf Banyan)	Tree	Pine Rocklands, Hammocks
16.	<i>Flacourtia indica</i> (Governor's Plum; Madagascar Plum, Batoko Plum; Ramonchi)	Shrub	Pine Rocklands, Hammocks
17.	<i>Hibiscus tiliaceus</i> (Mahoe; Sea Hibiscus)	Tree	Coastal
18.	<i>Jasminum dichotomum</i> (Gold Coast Jasmine)	Vine	Hammocks
19.	<i>Jasminum fluminense</i> (Jasmine)	Vine	Hammocks



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	Species (Common Name)	Growth Form	Native Plant Communities Invaded
20.	<i>Leucaena leucocephala</i> (Lead tree; Jumbie Bean; Tan-Tan; Wild Tamarind)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
21.	<i>Melaleuca quinquenervia</i> (Melaleuca; Paperbark Tree; Punk Tree; Tea Tree; Swamp Tea Tree; Cajeput; Bottle brush Tree)	Tree	Wetlands
22.	<i>Merremia tuberosa</i> (Wood Rose; Hawaiian Wood Rose; Yellow Morning Glory; Ceylon Morning Glory; Spanish Wood Vine)	Vine	Hammocks
23.	<i>Mimosa pigra</i> (Catclaw Mimosa)	Tree	Wetlands
24.	<i>Neyraudia reynaudiana</i> (Burma Reed; Cane Grass)	Grass	Pine Rocklands
25.	<i>Ricinus communis</i> (Castor Bean; Castor Oil Plant; Palma Christi; Wonder Tree)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
26.	<i>Schefflera actinophylla</i> (= <i>Brassaia actinophylla</i> ) (Schefflera; Umbrella Tree; Rubber Tree; Starleaf; Octopus Tree)	Tree	Hammocks
27.	<i>Schinus terebinthifolius</i> (Brazilian Pepper; Christmas Berry Tree; Florida Holly)	Tree	Pine Rocklands
28.	<i>Solanum viarum</i> (Tropical Soda Apple)	Shrub	Wetlands
29.	<i>Thespesia populnea</i> (Seaside Mahoe; Portia Tree; Cork Tree; False Rosewood)	Tree	Coastal
30.	<i>Tribulus cistoides</i> (Puncture Vine; Billy-Goat Weed; Large Yellow Caltrop)	Vine	Sandy Pinelands, Beaches

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CONTROLLED SPECIES

Controlled species may not be planted within 500 feet of the native plant communities which they have been known to invade after the adoption of the revised Landscape Code. Included below are the native plant communities which each is known to invade.

	Species (Common Name)	Growth Form	Native Plant Communities Invaded
1.	<i>Bauhinia purpurea</i> (orchid tree; Butterfly Tree; Mountain Ebony)	Tree	Hammocks
2.	<i>Bauhinia variegata</i> (orchid tree; Mountain Ebony; Buddhist Bauhinia)	Tree	Hammocks
3.	<i>Calophyllum antillanum</i> (= <i>C. inophyllum</i> ) (mast wood; Alexandrian Laurel; Indian Laurel; Kamani; Laurelwood)	Tree	Hammocks
4.	<i>Catharanthus roseus</i> (Madagascar periwinkle; Rose Periwinkle; Old Maid; Cape Periwinkle)	Groundcover	Beaches, Sandy Pinelands and Hammocks
5.	<i>Epipremnum pinnatum</i> cv. <i>Aureum</i> (pothos; Taro Vine; Devil's Ivy; Hunter's Robe; Golden Ceylon Creeper; Ivy Arum)	Vine	Hammocks, Pinelands
6.	<i>Eugenia uniflora</i> (Surinam Cherry; Brazil Cherry; Cayenne Cherry)	Shrub	Hammocks
7.	<i>Kalanchoe pinnata</i> (lifer plant; Air Plant; Floppers; Love Plant; Curtain Plant; Mother-in-law; Good Luck Leaf; Miracle Leaf; Sprouting Leaf; Live-Forever; Cathedral Bells)	Groundcover	Hammocks
8.	<i>Murraya paniculata</i> (orange jessamine; Chalcas; Satinwood; Chinese Box; Cosmetic Bark Tree; Marilla)	Shrub	Hammocks
9.	<i>Pittosporum pentandrum</i> (n/a)	Shrub	Pinelands
10.	<i>Pongamia pinnata</i> (= <i>Derris indica</i> ) (Ponga; Karum Tree; Poonga Oil Tree; Tallow Tree)	Tree	Pinelands
11.	<i>Pouteria campechiana</i> (canistel; Eggfruit; Ti-Es; Sapote Borracho; Sapote Amarillo)	Tree	Hammocks
12.	<i>Rhoeo spathacea</i> (oyster plant; Boat Lily; Moses in the Cradle; Man in a Boat)	Groundcover	Pinelands, Hammocks
13.	<i>Sansevieria hyacinthoides</i> (= <i>S. trifasciata</i> ) (Bowstring Hemp; Snake Plant; Mother-in-law's Tongue)	Groundcover	Pinelands, Hammocks
14.	<i>Scaevola sericea</i> (= <i>S. taccada</i> ; = <i>S. frutescens</i> ; ) ( <i>scaevola</i> ; half-flower; Beach Naupaka)	Shrub	Beaches

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15.	<i>Syngonium podophyllum</i> (arrowhead; Nephthysis; African Evergreen)	Vine	Hammocks, Pinelands
16.	<i>Syzygium cumini</i> (jambolan; Java Plum; Jambool; Jambu)	Tree	Hammocks
17.	<i>Syzygium jambos</i> (rose apple; Malabar Plum)	Shrub	Hammocks
18.	<i>Terminalia catappa</i> (tropical almond; Kamani; Myrobalan; India Almond)	Tree	Coastal & freshwater wetlands
19.	<i>Washingtonia robusta</i> (Washington Palm; Mexican Fan Palm)	Tree	Coastal wetlands & beaches
20.	<i>Wedelia trilobata</i> (wedelia)	Vine/ Groundcover	All communities
21.	<i>Zebrina pendula</i> (wandering zebrina; Wandering Jew; Inch Plant)	Vine/ Groundcover	All communities

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<sup>1</sup>These lists contain plant species documented by The Exotic Pest Plant Council, Dade County Park and Recreation Dept.'s Natural Areas Management Program, and Dade County Dept. of Environmental Resources Management to be invasive pests in natural areas of Dade County.

COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LIST -- COMMON NAME LISTING

PALMS & CYCADS

Alexandra Palm	<i>Archontophoenix alexandrae</i>	Fishtail Palm, Clustering	<i>Caryota mitis</i>
Areca Palm	<i>Chrysalidocarpus lutescens</i>	Fishtail Palm, Toddy	<i>Caryota urens</i>
Arikury Palm	<i>Syagrus schizophylla</i>	Foxtail Palm	<i>Wodyetia bifurcata</i>
Bailey Palm	<i>Copernicia baileyana</i>	Gingerbread Palm	<i>Hyphaene spp.</i>
Bamboo Palm	<i>Chamaedorea seifrizii</i>	Gru-Gru Palm	<i>Acrocomia totai</i>
Bismarck Palm	<i>Bismarkia nobilis</i>	Hospita Palm	<i>Copernicia hospita</i>
Bottle Palm	<i>Hyophorbe langenicaulis</i>	Hurricane Palm	<i>Dictyosperma album</i>
Buccaneer Palm	<i>Pseudophoenix sargentii</i>	Joannis Palm	<i>Veitchia joannis</i>
Burrawang (cycad)	<i>Macrozamia communis</i>	Kentia Palm	<i>Howea forsteriana</i>
Cabada Palm	<i>Chrysalidocarpus cabadae</i>	Lady Palm	<i>Rhapis excelsa</i>
Cabbage Palm (FL State Tree)	<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Latan Palm, Blue	<i>Latania loddigesii</i>
Cardboard Plant (cycad)	<i>Zamia furfuracea</i>	Licuala Palm	<i>Licuala grandis</i>
Carnauba Wax Palm	<i>Copernicia prunifera</i>	Macarthur Palm	<i>Ptychosperma macarthuri</i>
Carpentaria Palm	<i>Carpentaria acuminata</i>	Miraguama Palm	<i>Coccothrinax miraguama</i>
Cat Palm	<i>Chamaedora cataractarum</i>	Montgomery Palm	<i>Veitchia montgomeryana</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Ceratozamia hildae</i>	Moore's Macrozamia (cycad)	<i>Macrozamia moorei</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Ceratozamia robusta</i>	Needle Palm	<i>Rhapidophyllum hystrix</i>
Chamal (cycad)	<i>Dioon edule</i>	Oil Palm, African	<i>Elaeis guineensis</i>
Coconut Palm	<i>Cocos nucifera</i>	Old Man Palm	<i>Coccothrinax crinita</i>
Coontie (cycad)	<i>Zamia integrifolia (pumila)</i>	Palmetto, Dwarf; Blue Stem	<i>Sabal minor</i>
Coontie, Dominican (cycad)	<i>Zamia domingensis</i>	Palmetto, Saw	<i>Serenoa repens</i>
Date Palm, Canary Island	<i>Phoenix canariensis</i>	Palmetto, Scrub	<i>Sabal etonia</i>
Date Palm, Cliff	<i>Phoenix rupicola</i>	Parlor Palm	<i>Chamaedora elegans</i>
Date Palm, Pygmy	<i>Phoenix roebelinii</i>	Paurotis Palm	<i>Acoelorrhaphe wrightii</i>
Date Palm, Senegal	<i>Phoenix reclinata</i>	Petticoat Palm, Cuban	<i>Copernicia macroglossa</i>
Date Palm, Silver	<i>Phoenix sylvestris</i>	Queen Palm	<i>Syagrus romanzoffiana</i>
Date Palm, True	<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i>	Royal Palm Cuban	<i>Roystonea regia</i>
Dioon (cycad)	<i>Dioon spp.</i>	Royal Palm, Florida	<i>Roystonea elata</i>
Dioon, Spiny (cycad)	<i>Dioon spinulosum</i>	Sagisi Palm	<i>Heterospathe elata</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Encephalartos ferox</i>	Sago, King (cycad)	<i>Cycas revoluta</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Encephalartos gratus</i>	Sago, Prince (cycad)	<i>Cycas taitungensis</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Encephalartos hildebrandtii</i>	Sago, Queen (cycad)	<i>Cycas circinalis</i>
Fan Palm, Australian	<i>Livistona australis</i>	Seashore Palm	<i>Allagoptera arenaria</i>
Fan Palm, Central Australian	<i>Livistona mariae</i>	Silver Palm	<i>Coccothrinax argentata</i>
Fan Palm, Chinese	<i>Livistona chinensis</i>	Silver Palm, Puerto Rican	<i>Coccothrinax alta</i>
Fan Palm, European	<i>Chamaerops humilis</i>	Skinner's Cycad (cycad)	<i>Zamia skinneri</i>
Fan Palm, Ribbon	<i>Livistona decipiens</i>	Solitaire Palm; Alexander	<i>Ptychosperma elegans</i>
Fischer Zamia (cycad)	<i>Zamia fischeri</i>	Spindle Palm	<i>Hyophorbe verschafeltii</i>

PALMS & CYCADS (Cont.)

Taraw Palm	<i>Livistona saribus</i>
Teddy Bear Palm	<i>Neodypsis lastelliana</i>
Thatch Palm, Broom	<i>Thrinax parviflora</i>
Thatch Palm, Florida	<i>Thrinax radiata</i>
Thatch Palm, Key	<i>Thrinax morrisii</i>
Triangle Palm	<i>Neodypsis decaryi</i>
Winin Palm	<i>Veitchia winin</i>
n/a (cycad)	<i>Zamia loddigesii</i>

TREES

African Tulip Tree	<i>Spathodea campanulata</i>	Floss Silk Tree, White	<i>Chorisia insignis</i>
Allspice	<i>Pimenta dioica</i>	Guiana Chestnut	<i>Pachira aquatica</i>
Ambarella	<i>Spondias cytherea</i>	Guiana Plum	<i>Drypetes lateriflora</i>
Avocado	<i>Persea americana</i>	Gumbo Limbo	<i>Bursera simaruba</i>
Bangor Nut	<i>Sterculia foetida</i>	Hercules' Club	<i>Zanthoxylum clava-hercules</i>
Baobab	<i>Adansonia digitata</i>	Holly, Tawnyberry; Krug's	<i>Ilex krugiana</i>
Bay, Loblolly	<i>Gordonia lasianthus</i>	Hondapara	<i>Dillenia indica</i>
Bay, Red	<i>Persea borbonia</i> var. <i>borbonia</i>	Inkwood	<i>Exothea paniculata</i>
Beauty Leaf	<i>Calophyllum brasiliense</i>	Ironwood, Black	<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>
Black Olive	<i>Bucida buceras</i>	Jacaranda	<i>Jacaranda mimosifolia</i>
Blolly	<i>Guapira discolor</i>	Jamaica Dogwood	<i>Piscidia piscipula</i>
Blolly, Longleaf	<i>Guapira longifolia</i>	Jerusalem Thorn	<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i>
Bridalveil	<i>Caesalpinia granadillo</i>	Jujube Tree, Indian	<i>Zizyphus mauritiana</i>
Bunya-Bunya	<i>Araucaria bidwillii</i>	Kassod Tree	<i>Cassia siamea</i>
Buttercup Tree	<i>Cochlospermum vitifolium</i>	Lancepod	<i>Lonchocarpus violaceus</i>
Buttonwood, Green	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>	Lancewood	<i>Nectandra coriacea</i>
Calabash, Mexican	<i>Crescentia cujete</i>	Longan	<i>Euphoria longan</i>
Calabash Tree	<i>Crescentia alata</i>	Lychee	<i>Litchi chinensis</i>
Capulin	<i>Muntingia calabura</i>	Macadamia Nut	<i>Macadamia integrifolia</i>
Carambola	<i>Averrhoa carambola</i>	Madagascar Olive	<i>Noronhia emarginata</i>
Citrus (various)	<i>Citrus</i> spp.	Mahogany	<i>Swietenia mahagoni</i>
Colville's Glory	<i>Colvillea racemosa</i>	Mamey Colorado	<i>Calocarpum sapota</i>
Copperpod	<i>Peltophorum pterocarpum</i>	Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i>
Coral Tree, Cockspur	<i>Erythrina crista-gallii</i>	Mangrove, Black	<i>Avicennia germinans</i>
Crape Myrtle, Queen's	<i>Lagerstroemia speciosa</i>	Mangrove, Red	<i>Rhizophora mangle</i>
Custard Apple	<i>Annona reticulata</i>	Mangrove, White	<i>Laguncularia racemosa</i>
Cypress, Bald	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Maple, Red	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
Cypress, Italian	<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i>	Mastic Tree	<i>Mastichodendron foetidisdisemum</i>
Cypress, Pond	<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Milkbark	<i>Drypetes diversifolia</i>
Dracaena, Giant	<i>Cordyline australis</i>	Millettia	<i>Millettia ovalifolia</i>
Dubium	<i>Peltophorum dubium</i>	Mimusops	<i>Manilkara roxburghiana</i>
Fern Tree	<i>Filicium decipiens</i>	Mombin, Yellow	<i>Spondias mombin</i>
Fig, Fiddleleaf	<i>Ficus lyrata</i>	Mulberry, Red	<i>Morus rubra</i>
Fig, Rusty	<i>Ficus rubiginosa</i>	Oak, Laurel	<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>
Fig, Sacred Bo	<i>Ficus religiosa</i>	Oak, Live	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>
Fig, Shortleaf	<i>Ficus citrifolia</i>	Oak, Silk	<i>Grevillea robusta</i>
Fig, Strangler	<i>Ficus aurea</i>	Orchid Tree, Hong Kong	<i>Bauhinia blakeana</i>
Fig, West Indian Laurel	<i>Ficus perforata</i>	Paradise Tree	<i>Simarouba glauca</i>
Flame of the Forest	<i>Butea monosperma</i>	Persimmon	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>
Floss Silk Tree	<i>Chorisia speciosa</i>	Pigeon Plum	<i>Coccoloba diversifolia</i>

TREES (Cont.)

Pine, Norfolk Island  
 Pine, South Florida Slash  
 Pitch Apple  
 Pittosporum, Rusty  
 Podocarpus, Nagi  
 Podocarpus, Weeping  
 Podocarpus, Yew  
 Poinciana, Royal  
 Pond Apple  
 Sandbox Tree  
 Sapodilla  
 Sapote, Black  
 Sapote, White  
 Satinleaf  
 Sausage Tree  
 Screwpine  
 Screwpine, Veitch  
 Seagrape  
 Seagrape, Big-leaf  
 Senna, Ceylon  
 Shavingbrush Tree  
 Shower, Pink

*Araucaria heterophylla*  
*Pinus elliottii* var. *densa*  
*Clusia rosea*  
*Pittosporum ferrugineum*  
*Podocarpus nagi*  
*Podocarpus gracilior*  
*Podocarpus macrophyllus*  
*Delonix regia*  
*Annona glabra*  
*Hura crepitans*  
*Manilkara zapota*  
*Diospyros digna*  
*Casimiroa edulis*  
*Chrysophyllum oliviforme*  
*Kigelia pinnata*  
*Pandanus utilis*  
*Pandanus veitchii*  
*Coccoloba uvifera*  
*Coccoloba pubescens*  
*Cassia roxburghii*  
*Pseudobombax ellipticum*  
*Cassia grandis*

Shower, Pink & White  
 Shower Tree, Golden  
 Silk Cotton Tree  
 Silk Cotton Tree, Red  
 Snakewood  
 Soapberry  
 Spanish Cherry  
 Spanish Lime  
 Star Apple  
 Sugarberry; Hackberry  
 Sweetbay Magnolia  
 Tabebuia, Golden  
 Tamarind  
 Tamarind, Wild  
 Traveler's Tree  
 Trumpet Tree, Pink  
 Trumpet Tree, Silver  
 Tulipwood  
 Vera Wood  
 West Indian Cherry  
 Wild Cinnamon; Cinnamon Bark  
 Willow Busic

*Cassia javanica*  
*Cassia fistula*  
*Ceiba pentandra*  
*Bombax ceiba*  
*Cecropia palmata*  
*Sapindus saponaria*  
*Mimusops elengi*  
*Melicoccus bijugatus*  
*Chrysophyllum cainito*  
*Celtis laevigata*  
*Magnolia virginiana*  
*Tabebuia chrysotricha*  
*Tamarindus indica*  
*Lysiloma latisiliqua*  
*Ravanela madagascariensis*  
*Tabebuia heterophylla*  
*Tabebuia caraiba*  
*Harpullia arborea*  
*Bulnesia arborea*  
*Prunus myrtifolia*  
*Canella winterana*  
*Dipholis salicifolium*

TREE/SHRUBS

Acacia, Sweet	<i>Acacia farnesiana</i>	Frangipani	<i>Plumeria rubra</i>
Annatto	<i>Bixa orellana</i>	Fried Egg Tree	<i>Oncoba spinosa</i>
Arborvitae, Oriental	<i>Platyclusus orientalis</i>	Geiger Tree	<i>Cordia sebestena</i>
Bank's Grevillea	<i>Grevillea banksii</i>	Golden Dewdrop	<i>Duranta repens</i>
Bignay	<i>Antidesma bunius</i>	Golden Shower, Dwarf	<i>Cassia afrostistula</i>
Bird of Paradise, White	<i>Strelitzia nicolai</i>	Grumichama	<i>Eugenia brasiliensis</i>
Biscayne Prickly Ash	<i>Zanthoxylum coriaceum</i>	Gulf Licaria	<i>Licaria triandra</i>
Bitterbush	<i>Picramnia pentandra</i>	Holly, Dahoon	<i>Ilex cassine</i>
Blackbead	<i>Pithecellobium guadelupense</i>	Holly, Yaupon	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>
Black Olive cv. 'Shady Lady'	<i>Bucida buceras</i> cv. 'Shady Lady'	Horseradish Tree	<i>Moringa pterygosperma</i>
Black Olive, Spiny	<i>Bucida spinosa</i>	Jaboticaba	<i>Myrciaria cauliflora</i>
Black Torch	<i>Erithalis fruticosa</i>	Jamaican Rain Tree	<i>Brya ebenus</i>
Bottlebrush	<i>Callistemon</i> spp.	Kumquat	<i>Fortunella japonica</i>
Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Lignum Vitae	<i>Guaiacum sanctum</i>
Buttonwood, Silver	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i> var. <i>sericea</i>	Locustberry	<i>Byrsonima lucida</i>
Calabash, Black	<i>Amphitecna latifolia</i>	Logwood	<i>Haematoxylon campechianum</i>
Calamondin	<i>Citrofortunella mitis</i> (hybrid)	Loquat	<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>
Caper, Jamaica	<i>Capparis cynophallophora</i>	Marlberry	<i>Ardisia escallonioides</i>
Caper, Limber	<i>Capparis flexuosa</i>	Mayten, Florida	<i>Maytenus phyllanthoides</i>
Carib Wood	<i>Sabinea carinalis</i>	Mexicana	<i>Caesalpinia mexicana</i>
Cassia, Glaucaous	<i>Cassia surattensis</i>	Mombin, Red	<i>Spondias purpurea</i>
Cat's Claw	<i>Pithecellobium unguis-cati</i>	Myrsine; Rapanea	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>
Ceylon Gooseberry	<i>Dovyalis hebecarpa</i>	Myrtle-of-the-River	<i>Calypttranthes zuzygium</i>
Cherry-of-the-Rio Grande	<i>Eugenia aggregata</i>	Necklace Pod	<i>Sophora tomentosa</i> var. <i>truncata</i>
Cinnecord	<i>Acacia choriophylla</i>	Oak, Chapman's	<i>Quercus chapmanii</i>
Clusia, Small-leafed	<i>Clusia guttifera</i>	Oak, Myrtle	<i>Quercus myrtifolia</i>
Cocoplum; Red-Tip or Green-Tip	<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> var. <i>pellocarpas</i>	Oak, Sand Live	<i>Quercus geminata</i>
Coffee Colubrina	<i>Colubrina arborescens</i>	Ochrosia	<i>Ochrosia elliptica</i>
Coral Bean	<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Orange Wattle	<i>Acacia cyanophylla</i>
Crabwood	<i>Gymnanthes lucida</i>	Pencil Tree	<i>Euphorbia tirucalli</i>
Crape Myrtle	<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>	Ponytail	<i>Beaucarnia recurvata</i>
Darling Plum	<i>Reynosa septentrionalis</i>	Privet, Florida	<i>Forestiera segregata</i>
Dogwood, Stiff Cornel	<i>Cornus foemina</i>	Rhacoma	<i>Crossopetalum rhacoma</i>
Dragon Tree	<i>Dracaena draco</i>	Saffron Plum	<i>Bumelia celastrinum</i>
Everglades Velvetseed	<i>Guettarda elliptica</i>	Seven Year Apple	<i>Casasia clusiifolia</i>
Feijoa	<i>Feijoa sellowiana</i>	Silverthorn	<i>Elaeagnus pungens</i>
Fern, Australian Tree	<i>Sphaeropteris cooperi</i>	Snowflake Tree	<i>Trevesia palmata</i>
Fiddlewood	<i>Citharexylum fruticosum</i>	Soldierwood	<i>Colubrina elliptica</i>
Fig, Edible	<i>Ficus carica</i>	Soursop	<i>Annona muricata</i>



TREE/SHRUBS (Cont.)

Spicewood  
 Strongbark, Rough  
 Stopper, Red  
 Stopper, Redberry  
 Stopper Simpson  
 Stopper, Spanish  
 Stopper, White  
 Sumac, Winged  
 Sweetsop  
 Tabebuia  
 Tabebuia, Purple  
 Tallowwood; Hog Plum  
 Tamarind, Cuban; Sabicu

*Calypttranthes pallens*  
*Bourreria ovata*  
*Eugenia rhombea*  
*Eugenia confusa*  
*Myrcianthes fragrans* var. *simpsonii*  
*Eugenia foetida*  
*Eugenia axillaris*  
*Rhus copallina*  
*Annona squamosa*  
*Tabebuia umbellata*  
*Tabebuia impetiginosa*  
*Ximenia americana*  
*Lysiloma sabicu*

Tetrazygia; West Indian Lilac  
 Torchwood  
 Trema, Florida  
 Trema, West Indies  
 Wax Myrtle  
 Wild Dilly  
 Wild Lime  
 White Cordia  
 White Indigo Berry  
 Willow, Coastal Plain  
 Yellow Elder  
 Yucca, Spineless

*Tetrazygia bicolor*  
*Amyris elemifera*  
*Trema micranthum*  
*Trema lamarckianum*  
*Myrica cerifera*  
*Manilkara bahamensis*  
*Zanthoxylum fagara*  
*Cordia boissieri*  
*Randia aculeata*  
*Salix caroliniana*  
*Tecoma stans*  
*Yucca elephantipes*

SHRUBS & SHRUBS-LIKE

Abutilon, Trailing	<i>Abutilon magapotamicum</i>	Coral Plant	<i>Jatropha multifida</i>
n/a	<i>Aechmea aquilega</i>	Crape Jasmine	<i>Tabernaemontana divaricata</i>
n/a	<i>Aechmea eurycoremibus</i>	Croton	<i>Codiaeum variegatum</i>
African Milk-Bush	<i>Synadenium grantii</i>	Croton, Pineland	<i>Croton linearis</i>
African Milk Tree	<i>Euphorbia trigona</i>	Desert Rose	<i>Adenium obesum</i>
Allamanda, Bush	<i>Allamanda nerifolia</i>	Devil's Backbone	<i>Pedilanthus tithymaloides</i>
Aloe, Candelabra	<i>Aloe arborescens</i>	Dracaena	<i>Dracaena deremensis</i>
Aloe, Ferocious	<i>Aloe ferox</i>	Dracaena, Fragrant	<i>Dracaena fragrans</i>
n/a	<i>Aloe marlothii</i>	Dracaena, Gold-dust	<i>Dracaena surculosa</i>
Anthurium, Birdnest	<i>Anthurium salviniae</i>	Dracaena, Red Edged	<i>Dracaena marginata</i>
Aralia	<i>Polyscias</i> spp.	Dracaena, Reflexed	<i>Dracaena reflexa</i>
Aralia, Lacy-Lady	<i>Evodia suaveolens</i> var. <i>ridleyi</i>	Dragon-Bone Tree	<i>Euphorbia lactea</i>
Aucuba	<i>Aucuba japonica</i>	Elderberry, Southern	<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i>
Bamboo Orchid	<i>Arundinaria graminifolia</i>	Elephant Bush	<i>Portulacaria afra</i>
Barbados Cherry	<i>Malpighia glabra</i>	Elkhorn	<i>Euphorbia lactea</i> cv. 'Cristata'
Bauhinia, Red	<i>Bauhinia punctata</i>	Espiritu Santo	<i>Philodendron williamsii</i>
Bay Cedar	<i>Suriana maritima</i>	n/a	<i>Euphorbia acurensis</i>
Beauty-Berry, American	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	n/a	<i>Euphorbia drewpifera</i>
Boxthorn	<i>Severinia buxifolia</i>	False Aralia	<i>Dizygotheca elegantissima</i>
Brush Cherry	<i>Syngium paniculatum</i>	Fatsia	<i>Fatsia japonica</i>
Butterfly-Bush	<i>Buddleia officinalis</i>	Fern, Leather	<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>
Butterfly-Bush, Asian	<i>Buddleia asiatica</i>	Fern, a Sword	<i>Nephrolepis biserrata</i>
Butterfly Sage	<i>Cordia globosa</i>	Fig, Green Island	<i>Ficus 'Green Island'</i>
Cafe con Leche	<i>Pseudoanthemum atropurpureum</i>	Fire Flag	<i>Thalia geniculata</i>
Candle Bush	<i>Cassia alata</i>	Firebush	<i>Hamelia patens</i>
Cape Honeysuckle	<i>Tecomaria capensis</i>	Firecracker Plant	<i>Russelia equisetiformis</i>
Caricature Plant	<i>Graptophyllum pictum</i>	Firespike; Cardinal Flower	<i>Odontonema strictum</i>
Cassia	<i>Cassia bicapsularis</i>	Firethorn, Red	<i>Pyracantha coccinea</i>
Cassia, Bahama	<i>Cassia bahamensis</i> ( <i>chapmanii</i> )	Flamingo Plant	<i>Justicia carnea</i>
Cassia, Desert	<i>Senna polyphylla</i>	Gallberry	<i>Ilex glabra</i>
Cassia, Privet	<i>Cassia ligustrina</i>	Gardenia	<i>Gardenia jasminoides</i>
Century Plant	<i>Agave americana</i>	Gardenia, Thunbergia	<i>Gardenia thunbergia</i>
Century Plant, Spineless	<i>Agave attenuata</i>	Ghostweed	<i>Euphorbia marginata</i> (E. <i>variegata</i> )
Chenille Plant	<i>Acalypha hispida</i>	Ginger, Cardamom	<i>Elettaria cardamomum</i>
Chinese Hat Plant	<i>Holmskioldia sanguinea</i>	Ginger, Shell	<i>Alpinia zerumbet</i>
Christmas Berry	<i>Lycium carolinianum</i>	Glorybush, Java	<i>Clerodendron speciosissimum</i>
Clock Vine, Bush	<i>Thunbergia erecta</i>	Glorybush	<i>Tibouchina urvilleana</i>
Coffee	<i>Coffea arabica</i>	Hawthorn, Indian	<i>Raphiolepis indica</i>
Consolea	<i>Opuntia falcata</i>	Hawthorn, Round-Leaf	<i>Raphiolepis umbellata</i>
Copperleaf	<i>Acalypha wilkesiana</i>	Henna	<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>

SHRUBS & SHRUB-LIKE (Cont.)

Hibiscus	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Pseudoanthemum, Reticulated	<i>Pseudoanthemum reticulatum</i>
Hibiscus, Fringed	<i>Hibiscus schizopetalus</i>	Ribbon-Bush	<i>Homocladium platycladum</i>
Hibiscus, Swamp	<i>Hibiscus grandiflorus</i>	Ribbon Plant	<i>Dracaena sanderiana</i>
Holly, West Indian	<i>Leea coccinea</i>	Rice-Paper Plant	<i>Tetrapanax papyriferus</i>
Inkberry	<i>Scaevola plumieri</i>	Rosemary	<i>Ceratiola ericoides</i>
Ixora	<i>Ixora spp.</i>	Rosemary, Victorian	<i>Westringia rosmariniformis</i>
Jasmine, Downy	<i>Jasminum multiflorum</i>	Roughleaf Velvetseed	<i>Guettarda scabra</i>
Jasmine, Night-Blooming	<i>Cestrum nocturnum</i>	Sage, Blue	<i>Eranthemum pulchellum</i>
Jasmine, Shining	<i>Jasminum nitidum</i>	Sage, Texas	<i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i>
Joewood	<i>Jacquinia keyensis</i>	Sage, Wild	<i>Lantana involucrata</i>
Juniper, Chinese	<i>Juniperus chinensis</i>	Salt Bush, a	<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>
Karanda	<i>Carissa carandas</i>	Sanchezia	<i>Sanchezia speciosa</i>
Lady of the Night	<i>Brunfelsia americana</i>	Schefflera, Dwarf	<i>Schefflera arboricola</i>
Lavender Star Flower	<i>Grewia occidentalis</i>	Sea Lavender, Dune	<i>Mallotonia gaphaloides</i>
Lingaro	<i>Elaeagnus philippensis</i>	Shower of Gold	<i>Galphimia glauca</i>
Lyonia, Shiny	<i>Lyonia lucida</i>	Shrimp Plant	<i>Beloperone guttata</i>
Maidenbush	<i>Savia bahamensis</i>	Shrimp Plant, Golden	<i>Pachystachys lutea</i>
Mayten	<i>Maytenus undatus</i>	Snail Seed	<i>Cocculus laurifolius</i>
Medinella	<i>Medinella magnifica</i>	Snowball, Tropical	<i>Dombeya spp.</i>
Miracle Fruit	<i>Synsepalum dulcificum</i>	Snowberry	<i>Chiococca alba</i>
Mohintli	<i>Justicia spicigera</i>	Snowbush	<i>Breynia disticha</i>
Natal Plum	<i>Carissa grandiflora</i>	Spanish Bayonet	<i>Yucca aloifolia</i>
Oleander	<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Spanish Dagger	<i>Yucca gloriosa</i>
Oleander, Dwarf	<i>Nerium oleander</i> cv. 'Petite Salmon'	Spurge, Red	<i>Euphorbia cotinifolia</i>
Oleander, Yellow	<i>Thevetia peruviana</i>	Staggerbush	<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>
n/a	<i>Opuntia leucotricha</i>	Stopper, Long-stalked	<i>Psidium longipes</i>
Pagoda Flower	<i>Clerodendron paniculatum</i>	Tarflower	<i>Befaria recemosa</i>
Pascuita	<i>Euphorbia leucocephala</i>	Thryallis	<i>Galphimia gracilis</i>
Pencil Tree	<i>Euphorbia tirucalli</i>	Tibouchina	<i>Tibouchina clavata</i>
Peregrina	<i>Jatropha integerrima</i>	Ti Plant	<i>Cordyline terminalis</i>
Philodendron, Tree	<i>Philodendron selloum</i>	Tropical Snowflake	<i>Trevesia palmata</i>
Pittosporum	<i>Pittosporum tobira</i>	Tube Flower	<i>Clerodendron minahassee</i>
Plumbago	<i>Plumbago auriculata</i>	Turk's Cap	<i>Malvaviscus arboreus</i>
Poinsettia	<i>Euphorbia pulcherrima</i>	Varnish Leaf, Virginia Key	<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> var. <i>viscosa</i>
n/a	<i>Portea petropolitana</i> var. <i>extensa</i>	Velvet Leaf	<i>Kalanchoe beharensis</i>
Powderpuff, Red	<i>Calliandra haematocephala</i>	Viburnum, Sandankwa	<i>Viburnum suspensum</i>
Prickly Pear Cactus	<i>Opuntia spp.</i>	Viburnum, Sweet	<i>Viburnum odoratissimum</i>
Pride of Barbados	<i>Caesalpinia pulcherrima</i>	Vitex	<i>Vitex trifolia</i>
Privet, Pineland	<i>Forestiera pinetorum</i>	n/a	<i>Vriesea imperialis</i>

SHRUBS & SHRUB-LIKE (Cont.)

Wild Coffee, Bahama	<i>Psychotria ligustrina</i>
Wild Coffee, Shiny Leaf	<i>Psychotria nervosa</i>
Wild Coffee, Soft Leaf	<i>Psychotria sulzneri</i>
Yesterday, Today, & Tomorrow	<i>Brunfelsia australis</i>

SUB-SHRUBS - GROUND COVERS

African Bush Daisy  
 Allamanda, Pineland  
 Blueberry, Shiny  
 Carissa, Dwarf  
 Coco Plum, Coastal

Conradina  
 Crown-of-Thorns  
 Daisy, a Sea Oxeye  
 Daisy, a Sea Oxeye  
 Elder, Beach  
 False Heather  
 Fig, Oakleaf  
 Fig, Trailing  
 Firethorn, Dwarf

Goatweed  
 Golden Creeper, Beach  
 Golden Creeper, Pineland  
 Gout Plant  
 Holly, Dwarf Yaupon  
 Holly, Singapore  
 Ivy, Algerian  
 Jasmine, Confederate

*Gamolepis chrysanthemoides*  
*Angadenia berterii*  
*Vaccinium mysinites*  
*Carissa macrocarpa*  
*Chrysobalanus icaco* cv. 'Horizontalis'  
*Conradina grandiflora*  
*Euphorbia millii*  
*Borrchia arborescens*  
*Borrchia frutescens*  
*Iva imbricata*  
*Cuphea hyssopifolia*  
*Ficus montana*  
*Ficus sagittata*  
*Pyracantha koidzumii* cv. 'Low Dense'  
*Capraria biflora*  
*Ernodea littoralis* var. *littoralis*  
*Ernodea littoralis* var. *angusta*  
*Jatropha podagrica*  
*Ilex vomitoria*  
*Malpighia coccigera*  
*Hedera canariensis*  
*Trachelospermum jasminoides*

Jasmine, Confederate Small Leaf  
 Jasmine, Wax  
 Juniper, Chinese  
 Juniper, Shore  
 Lantana, Gold

Lantana, Trailing  
 Lantana, Yellow Pineland  
 Palafoxia, a  
 Pawpaw  
 Pennyroyal  
 Pentas; Egyptian Star Flower  
 Pittosporum, Dwarf  
 Quailberry  
 Rosemary

Rouge Plant  
 Serissa  
 Snowberry, Pineland  
 St. Andrew's Cross  
 St. John's Wort, a  
 Tea, Beach  
 Wax Myrtle, Dwarf  
 Yellow Alder

*Trachelospermum asiaticum*  
*Jasminum volubile*  
*Juniperus chinensis* (dwarf cultivars)  
*Juniperus conferta*  
*Lantana ovatifolia*

*Lantana montevidensis*  
*Lantana depressa*  
*Palafoxia feayi*  
*Asimina reticulata*  
*Piloblephis rigida*  
*Pentas lanceolata*  
*Pittosporum tobira* cv. 'Wheeleri'  
*Crossopetalum ilicifolium*  
*Rivina humilis*

*Rosemarinus officinalis*  
*Serissa foetida*  
*Chiococca pinetorum*  
*Hypericum hypericoides*  
*Hypericum cistifolium*  
*Croton punctatus*  
*Myrica pumila*  
*Turnera ulmifolia*

LOW GROWING HERBACEOUS PLANTS - GROUND COVERS

Aloe	<i>Aloe</i> spp.	Houseleek	<i>Sempervivum</i> spp.
n/a	<i>Aloe brevifolia</i>	Hyssop, Lemon; Lemon Bacopa	<i>Bacopa caroliniana</i>
n/a	<i>Aloe zanzibar</i>	Hyssop, Water	<i>Bacopa monnieri</i>
Artillery Plant	<i>Pilea microphylla</i>	Innocence, Trailing Bluet	<i>Hedyotis procumbens</i>
Beach Peanut	<i>Okenia hypogaea</i>	Iris, Prairie	<i>Iris hexagona</i>
Begonia, Star	<i>Begonia heracleifolia</i>	Kalanchoe	<i>Kalanchoe</i> spp.
Blue Daze	<i>Evolvulus glomeratus</i>	Lily, Day	<i>Hemerocallis</i> spp.
Bugleweed	<i>Ajuga reptans</i>	Lily, Rain	<i>Habranthes</i> spp.
Cast-Iron Plant	<i>Aspidistra elatior</i>	Lily, Rain; Zephyr	<i>Zephranthes</i> spp.
Chaff Flower, a	<i>Alternanthera maritima</i>	Lily, Spider	<i>Hymenocallis latifolia</i>
Chaff Flower, Pointed-leaf	<i>Alternanthera flavescens</i>	Lily of the Nile	<i>Agapanthus africanus</i>
Coinwort	<i>Centella asiatica</i>	Lily Turf, Creeping	<i>Liriope spicata</i>
Dichondra	<i>Dichondra micrantha</i>	Liriope	<i>Liriope muscari</i>
Dracaena, Lance	<i>Dracaena thalioides</i>	Lizard's Tail	<i>Saururus cernuus</i>
Earth Star	<i>Cryptanthus bromeliodes</i> var. <i>tricolor</i>	Matchweed	<i>Lippia nodiflora</i>
n/a	<i>Epidendrum ibaguense</i>	Mexican Bluebell	<i>Ruellia brittoniana</i>
Fern, Autumn; Wood	<i>Dryopteris erythrosura</i>	Mondo Grass	<i>Ophiopogon japonica</i>
Fern, East Indian Wart	<i>Polypodium phymatodes lavate</i>	Monkey Plant	<i>Ruellia makoyana</i>
Fern, Holly	<i>Cyrtomium falcatum</i>	Morning Glory, Beach	<i>Ipomoea stolonifera</i>
Fern, Leather Leaf	<i>Rumohra adiantiformis</i>	n/a	<i>Neoregelia compacta</i>
Fern, a Maidenhair	<i>Adiantum tenerum</i>	n/a	<i>Neoregelia Mc Williamsii</i>
Fern, Marsh	<i>Thelypteris palustris</i>	Panda Plant	<i>Neoregelia 'Royal Burgundy'</i>
Fern, Royal	<i>Osmunda regalis</i> var. <i>spectabilis</i>	Pennywort, Marsh or Seaside	<i>Kalanchoe tomentosa</i>
Fern, Southern Shield	<i>Thelypteris kunthii</i>	Pennywort, Water	<i>Hydrocotyle bonariensis</i>
Fern, Swamp	<i>Blechnum serrulatum</i>	Peperomia, Florida	<i>Hydrocotyle umbellata</i>
Fern, a Sword	<i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i>	Perfecta	<i>Peperomia obtusifolia</i>
Fern, Venus Hair	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Pineapple	<i>Neoregelia carolinae</i> var. <i>tricolor</i>
Fern, a Wood	<i>Thelypteris ovata</i>	Primrose, Seaside Evening	<i>Ananas comosus</i>
Flaming Katy	<i>Kalanchoe blossfeldiana</i>	Primrose, Water	<i>Oenothera humifusa</i>
Flamingo Flower	<i>Anthurium andraeanum</i>	Purple Heart	<i>Ludwigia repens</i>
Gazania Daisy	<i>Gazania longiscapa</i>	Purple Mecardonia	<i>Setcreasea pallida</i>
Ginger, Variegated	<i>Alpinia sanderae</i>	Purslane	<i>Mecardonia acuminata</i>
Ginger, White Butterfly	<i>Hedychium coronarium</i>	Purslane, Sea	<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>
Glasswort, Perennial	<i>Salicornia virginica</i>	Ragweed, Coastal	<i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i>
Golden Club	<i>Orontium aquaticum</i>	Railroad Vine	<i>Ambrosia hispida</i>
Golden Stars	<i>Mamillaria elongata</i>	Redroot	<i>Ipomoea pes-caprae</i>
Gopher Apple	<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Rustweed	<i>Lachnanthes caroliniana</i>
Heliotrope, Seaside	<i>Heliotropium curasavicum</i>	Saltwort	<i>Polypremum procumbens</i>
Hen & Chicks	<i>Echeveria</i> spp.		<i>Batis maritima</i>

LOW GROWING HERBACEOUS PLANTS - GROUND COVERS (Con't)

Samphire; Beach Carpet  
Sea Blite  
Selaginella, Blue  
Selaginella, Erect  
Smartweed  
Society Garlic  
Spanish Shawl

*Blutaparon vermiculare*  
*Suaeda linearis*  
*Selaginella uncinata*  
*Selaginella involvens*  
*Polygonum hydropiperoides*  
*Tulbaghia violacea*  
*Dissotis rotundifolia*

n/a  
Spider Plant  
Spoonflower; Arrow Arum  
Stonecrop  
Taro, Chinese  
Verbena, Beach  
Zulu Giant

*Spathoglottis plicata*  
*Chlorophytum comosum*  
*Peltandra virginica*  
*Sedum spp.*  
*Alocasia cucullata*  
*Verbena maritima*  
*Stapelia gigantea*

VINES AND VINE-LIKE

Allamanda, Purple  
 Allamanda, Wild  
 Allamanda, Yellow  
 Aster, Climbing Carolina  
 Beach Bean  
 Bleeding Heart  
 Bougainvillea  
 Bower Vine  
 Brazilian Amazon Vine  
 Bridal Bouquet  
 Butterfly Pea  
 Calico Flower  
 Cape Honeysuckle  
 Ceriman  
 Cheese Plant; Indian Mulberry  
 Clematis, Japanese  
 Climbing Hempvine  
 Clock Vine, Bengal  
 Clock Vine, Sweet White  
 Costa Rican Nightshade  
 Devil's Potato  
 Fig, Creeping  
 Flame Vine  
 Flame Vine, Mexican  
 Garlic Vine  
 Granadilla, Purple  
 Grape, Muscadine  
 Jacquemontia, Beach

*Allamanda violacea*  
*Urechites lutea* var. *lutea*  
*Allamanda cathartica*  
*Aster carolinianus*  
*Canavalia maritima*  
*Clerodendrum thomsoniae*  
*Bougainvillea spectabilis*  
*Pandorea jasminoides*  
*Stigmaphyllon littorale*  
*Stephanotis floribunda*  
*Centrosema virginianum*  
*Aristolochia elegans*  
*Tecomaria capensis*  
*Monstera deliciosa*  
*Morinda royoc*  
*Clematis dioscoreifolia*  
*Mikania scandens*  
*Thunbergia grandiflora*  
*Thunbergia fragrans*  
*Solanum wendlandii*  
*Echites umbellata*  
*Ficus pumila*  
*Pyrostegia venusta*  
*Senecio confusus*  
*Cydista aequinoctialis*  
*Passiflora edulis*  
*Vitis rotundifolia*  
*Jacquemontia reclinata*

*Jacquemontia*, Blue Sky  
 Jasmine, Brazilian  
 Jasmine, Poet's  
 Man-in-the-Ground  
 Mandevilla  
 Marine Ivy  
 Morning Glory  
 Morning Glory, Glades  
 Nicker Bean, Gray  
 Pandorea Vine  
 Passion Flower, a  
 Passion Flower Vine, Blue  
 Passion Flower Vine, Corky-stemmed  
 Pelican Flower  
 Pepper Vine  
 Philodendron, Cut-leaf Climbing  
 Philodendron, Spade-Leaf  
 Queen's Wreath  
 Rubber Vine  
 Rubber Vine, Madagascar  
 Sickelthorn Vine  
 Swiss Cheese Vine  
 Trumpet, Herald's  
 Trumpet Vine  
 Trumpet Vine, Violet  
 Virginia Creeper  
 Woolly Morning Glory

*Jacquemontia pentantha*  
*Mandevilla sanderi* cv. 'Rosea'  
*Jasminum officinale*  
*Ipomoea microdactyla*  
*Mandevilla sanderi*  
*Cissus incisa*  
*Ipomoea* spp.  
*Ipomoea sagittata*  
*Caesalpinia bonduc*  
*Podraria ricasoliana*  
*Passiflora pallens*  
*Passiflora caerulea*  
*Passiflora suberosa*  
*Aristolochia grandiflora*  
*Ampelopsis arborea*  
*Philodendron radiatum*  
*Philodendron hastatum*  
*Petrea volubilis*  
*Rhabdadenia biflora*  
*Cryptostegia madagascariensis*  
*Asparagus falcatus*  
*Monstera friedrichstahlII*  
*Beaumontia grandiflora*  
*Campsis radicans*  
*Clytostoma callistegioides*  
*Parthenocissus quinquefolia*  
*Argyreia nervosa*



WILDFLOWERS

Arrowhead, an	<i>Sagittaria lancifolia</i>	Ground Cherry, a	<i>Physalis angulata</i>
Aster, an	<i>Aster bracei</i>	Heliotrope, a	<i>Heliotropium polyphyllum</i>
Aster, Bush	<i>Aster dumosus</i>	Hoary Pea, Florida	<i>Tephrosia florida</i>
Aster, Clasping	<i>Aster adnatus</i>	Ironweed, Blodgett's	<i>Vernonia blodgettii</i>
Blazing Star, a	<i>Liatris gracilis</i>	Jacquemontia, Pineland	<i>Jacquemontia curtisii</i>
Blazing Star, a	<i>Liatris tenuifolia</i> var. <i>quadriflora</i>	Lily, Alligator	<i>Hymenocallis palmeri</i>
Blazing Star, Chapman's	<i>Liatris chapmanii</i>	Lily, String	<i>Crinum americanum</i>
Bloodleaf	<i>Iresine diffusa</i>	Lobelia, White	<i>Lobelia paludosa</i>
Blue-eyed Grass, a	<i>Sisyrinchium atlanticum</i>	Ludwigia, Pineland	<i>Ludwigia maritima</i>
Bluehearts	<i>Buchnera americana</i>	Meadow Beauty, a	<i>Rhexia cubensis</i>
Blue Mistflower	<i>Eupatorium coelestinum</i>	Moss Rose, Yellow	<i>Portulaca rubicaulis</i>
Blue Porterweed, Dwarf	<i>Stachytarpheta jamaicensis</i>	Partridge Pea, Deering's	<i>Chamaecrista deeringiana</i>
Brown-eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Petunia, Hairy Wild	<i>Ruellia caroliniensis</i> subsp. <i>ciliolus</i>
Butterfly Weed, Rolf's	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> subsp. <i>rolfsii</i>	Pickerelweed, a	<i>Pontedaria cordata</i> var. <i>lanceolata</i>
Buttermint; Musky Mint	<i>Hyptis alata</i>	Pine-hyacinth	<i>Clematis baldwinii</i>
Camphor Weed	<i>Heterotheca subaxillaris</i>	Pinklet	<i>Stenandrium dulce</i> var. <i>floridana</i>
Candyweed	<i>Polygala grandiflora</i>	Pipewort, a	<i>Eriocaulon compressum</i>
Canna, Yellow	<i>Canna flaccida</i>	Piriqueta, a	<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>glabra</i>
Cat-Tongue, Narrow-leaved	<i>Melanthera nivea</i>	Piriqueta, Hairy	<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>caroliniana</i>
Colic Root, White	<i>Aletris bracteata</i>	Plantain, Indian	<i>Arnoglossum ovatum</i>
Daisy, Everglades	<i>Helenium pinnatifidum</i>	Prickly Pear	<i>Opuntia stricta</i>
Daisey, a Pineland	<i>Chaptalia albicans</i>	Purslane, Pink	<i>Portulaca pilosa</i>
Dayflower, a	<i>Commelina diffusa</i>	Queen's Delight	<i>Stillingia sylvatica</i> subsp. <i>tenuis</i>
Dayflower, Thinleaf	<i>Commelina erecta</i> var. <i>angustifolia</i>	Rabbit Bells	<i>Crotalaria rotundifolia</i> var. <i>rotundifolia</i>
Deer Tongue	<i>Carphephorus corymbosus</i>	Rattlebox, Low	<i>Crotalaria pumila</i>
Elephant's Foot, Florida	<i>Elephantopus elatus</i>	Sage, Scarlet	<i>Salvia coccinea</i>
Elytraria, Carolina	<i>Elytraria caroliniensis</i>	Sea Lavender, Salt Marsh	<i>Limonium carolinianum</i>
Evolvulus, Hairy	<i>Evolvulus sericeus</i>	Sedge, Florida White-top	<i>Dichromena floridensis</i>
False Dragonhead	<i>Physostegia purpurea</i>	Sedge, a White-top	<i>Dichromena colorata</i>
Fleabane, Rosy	<i>Pluchea rosea</i>	Sida, Elliott's	<i>Sida elliotii</i>
Fleabane, Salt Meadow	<i>Pluchea odorata</i>	Sky Flower	<i>Hydrolea corymbosa</i>
Fleabane, Southern	<i>Erigeron quercifolius</i>	Sunflower, East Coast Beach	<i>Helianthus debilis</i> subsp. <i>debilis</i>
Gaillardia	<i>Gaillardia pulchella</i>	Thistle, Purple	<i>Cirsium horridulum</i>
Gentian, Seaside	<i>Eustoma exaltatum</i>	Tickseed (FL State Wildflower)	<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i>
Golden Aster	<i>Pityopsis graminifolia</i>	Toadflax, Blue	<i>Linaria canadensis</i>
Goldenrod, Chapman's	<i>Solidago odora</i> var. <i>chapmanii</i>	Twinflower, Dwarf Blue	<i>Dyschoriste angusta</i>
Goldenrod, Leavenworth's	<i>Solidago gigantea</i>	Water Willow	<i>Justicia angusta</i>
Goldenrod, Seaside	<i>Solidago sempervirens</i>	Wireweed	<i>Polygonella ciliata</i> var. <i>ciliata</i>
Goldenrod, Willow-leaf	<i>Solidago stricta</i>	Wood Sage	<i>Teucrium canadensis</i>
Green Eyes	<i>Berlanderia subcaulis</i>	Yellow-eyed Grass, a	<i>Xyris caroliniana</i>

WILDFLOWERS (Cont.)

Yellow-Puff, Small-headed  
Yellow-top

*Neptunia pubescens*  
*Flaveria linearis*

#### FRESHWATER AQUATICS

Floating Heart	<i>Nymphoides aquatica</i>
Floating Heart	<i>Nymphoides peltata</i>
Lotus	<i>Nelumbo spp.</i>
Lotus, American	<i>Nelumbo lutea</i>
Snowflake, White	<i>Nymphoides crenata</i>
Snowflake, Yellow	<i>Nymphoides cristata</i>
Spatterdock	<i>Nuphar lutea subsp. adzena</i>
Water Lily, Fragrant	<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>
Water Lily, Hardy	<i>Nymphaea spp.</i>
Water Lily, Tropical	<i>Nymphaea spp.</i>
Water Lily, Yellow	<i>Nymphaea mexicana</i>
Yellow Fringe	<i>Nymphoides geminata</i>

#### TURF GRASSES

Bahia Grass	<i>Paspalum notatum</i>
Bermuda Grass	<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>
Carpet Grass	<i>Axonopus affinis</i>
Centipede Grass	<i>Eremochloa ophriuroides</i>
Ryegrass, Italian	<i>Lolium multiflorum</i>
Ryegrass, Perennial	<i>Lolium perenne</i>
St. Augustinegrass	<i>Stenotaphrum secundatum</i>
Zoysia Grass	<i>Zoysia japonica</i>

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

For Moderate to Dry Areas

Autumn Grass, Florida	<i>Schizachyrium rhizomatum</i>	Hair Sedge, a	<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>ciliatifolia</i>
Bamboo Grass	<i>Lasiacis divaricata</i>	Hair Sedge, a	<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>coactata</i>
Beardgrass, a Bushy	<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i> var. <i>pumilus</i>	Indiangrass, Lop-sided	<i>Sorghastrum secundum</i>
Beardgrass, Slender	<i>Schizachyrium gracile</i>	Lemon Grass	<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i>
Bluestem, Splitbeard	<i>Andropogon ternarius</i> var. <i>cabanisii</i>	Love Grass, Elliott's	<i>Eragrostis elliotii</i>
Bluestem, West Indian	<i>Schizachyrium sanguineum</i> var. <i>sanguineum</i>	Pampas Grass	<i>Cortaderia selloana</i>
Broom Sedge, Sand	<i>Andropogon longiberbis</i>	Panicgrass, a	<i>Dichantherium ensifolium</i> var. <i>uniciphyllum</i>
Broom Sedge, Virginia	<i>Andropogon virginicus</i> var. <i>virginicus</i>	Panicgrass, a	<i>Dichantherium ovale</i>
Citronella Grass	<i>Cymbopogon nardus</i>	Panicgrass, a	<i>Dichantherium portoricense</i>
Cordgrass, Gulf	<i>Spartina spartinae</i>	Panicgrass, a	<i>Dichantherium strigosum</i> var. <i>glabrescens</i>
Dropseed, Coral	<i>Sporobolus domingensis</i>	Panicgrass, Variable	<i>Dichantherium commutatum</i>
Dropseed, Seashore	<i>Sporobolus virginicus</i>	Panicum, Bitter; Beach Grass	<i>Panicum amarulum</i>
Fescue, Blue	<i>Festuca ovina</i> var. <i>glauca</i>	Paspalum, Blue	<i>Paspalum caespitosum</i>
Finger Grass, West Indian	<i>Eustachys petraea</i>	Paspalum, Coral	<i>Paspalum blodgettii</i>
Fountain Grass	<i>Pennisetum setaceum</i>	Paspalum, Fringeleaf	<i>Paspalum setaceum</i> var. <i>ciliatifolium</i>
Foxtail, Coral	<i>Setaria macrosperma</i>	Paspalum, Seashore; Knotgrass	<i>Paspalum vaginatum</i>
Foxtail, Knotroot	<i>Setaria geniculata</i>	Sea Oats	<i>Uniola paniculata</i>
Galingale	<i>Cyperus planifolus</i>	Sedge, a	<i>Cyperus tetragonus</i>
Gamagrass, Fakahatchee	<i>Tripsacum dactyloides</i>	Wiregrass	<i>Aristida stricta</i>
Gamagrass, Florida	<i>Tripsacum floridanum</i>	Woodgrass	<i>Oplismenus setarius</i>

For Moderate/Moist to Wet Areas

Arrowfeather	<i>Aristida purpurascens</i> var. <i>purpurascens</i>	Papyrus, Dwarf	<i>Cyperus haspans</i>
Beakrush, Low	<i>Rhynchospora divergens</i>	Papyrus, Umbrella	<i>Cyperus alternifolius</i>
Beakrush, Small Fruited	<i>Rhynchospora microcarpa</i>	Paspalum, Gulf dune	<i>Paspalum monostachyum</i>
Bulrush, Soft-stem	<i>Scirpus validus</i>	Rush, Black; Needlerush	<i>Juncus roemerianus</i>
Cordgrass, Saltmeadow; Marsh Hay	<i>Spartina patens</i>	Rush, Large-headed	<i>Juncus megacephalus</i>
Cordgrass, Sand	<i>Spartina bakeri</i>	Saltgrass	<i>Distichlis spicata</i>
Finger Grass, a	<i>Eustachys glauca</i>	Sawgrass	<i>Cladium jamaicensis</i>
Maidencane	<i>Panicum hemitomom</i>	Sedge, Chestnut	<i>Fimbristylis castanea</i>
Muhly Grass, a	<i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i>	Sedge, Silver	<i>Cyperus ligularis</i>
Nutgrass, Tall	<i>Scleria triglomerata</i>	Spike Rush, a	<i>Eleocharis cellulosa</i>
Panicum, Bluejoint	<i>Panicum tenerum</i>	Spike Rush, a	<i>Eleocharis geniculata</i>
Panicum, Redtop	<i>Panicum rigidulum</i>	Spike Rush, Knotted	<i>Eleocharis interstincta</i>

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<i>Acoelorrhaphes wrightii</i>	Paurotis Palm		Moderate	Slow	ENP	15 - 25'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Medians; Residence; Buffer; Wet sites	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F&S
<i>Acrocomia totai</i>	GruGru Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	25 - 35'	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Parks; Boulevards; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Allagoptera arenaria</i>	Seashore Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	No	4 - 8'	Yellow	Insignificant	n/a	High	Low	Medians; Specimen; residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Archontophoenix alexandrae</i>	Alexandra Palm	•	No	Medium	No	40 - 45'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bismarckia nobilis</i>	Bismarck Palm	◆	Slight Moderate	Slow	No	30 - 60'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Boulevards; Medians	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Carpentaria acuminata</i>	Carpentaria Palm		No	Fast	No	35 - 45'	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	High	Residence; Parking Lots; Perimeters; Medians	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Caryota mitis</i>	Clustering Fishtail Palm	◆	No	Medium	No	15 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Buffer; Residence; Stem Dies After Flowering	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Caryota urens</i>	Toddy Fishtail Palm	◆	No	Medium	No	30 - 40'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Dies After Flowering, About 20 Years	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ceratozamia hildae</i>	None	•	No	Slow	No	3 - 5'	Brown; Green	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	Low; Medium	Neutral to alkaline soil; Med.	Sheltered specimen	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ceratozamia robusta</i>	None	•	No	Slow	No	6 - 10'	Brown; Green	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Sheltered specimen	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Chamaedorea cataractarum</i>	Cat Palm	•	No	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Chamaedorea elegans</i>	Parlor Palm	•	No	Slow	No	3 - 5'	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Low	Low	Specimen Plant; Ground Cover	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Chamaedorea seifrizii</i>	Bamboo palm	•	No	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Residence; Specimen Plant	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Chamaerops humilis</i>	European Fan Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	5 - 10'	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring	Low; Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Specimen Plant; Parks; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Chrysalidocarpus cabadae</i>	Cabada Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 30'	Yellow	Showy	n/a	Medium; High	Low	Median Parks; Parking lot; specimen; residence	High	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Chrysalidocarpus lutescens</i>	Areca Palm	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	High	Residence; Perimeter; Buffer	High	Not Protected	BI & AN= F
<i>Coccothrinax alta</i>	Puerto Rican Silver Palm	◆	Yes	medium	No	20 - 25'	White	Showy	n/a	Medium; High	Low	Median; specimen; residence	High	Not protected	Undetermined

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<i>Coccothrinax argentata</i>	Silver Palm	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	3; 8	10 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	residence; Median; Parks; parking lots	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Coccothrinax crinita</i>	Old Man Palm	•	Yes	Slow	No	12 - 15'	Yellow	Showy	n/a	Medium; High	Low	specimen; residence	High	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Coccothrinax miraguama</i>	Miraguama Palm	◆	Yes	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Ivory	Insignificant	n/a	Medium; High	Low	Median; specimen; residence	High	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Cocos nucifera</i>	Coconut Palm	◆	Yes	Medium	No	60 - 100'	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Edible Fruit; Seaside	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Copernicia baileyana</i>	Bailey Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	30 - 40'	Ivory	Showy	n/a	High	Low	Median; Parks; Parking lot; specimen; residence; Spines	High	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Copernicia hospita</i>	Hospita Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	30 - 40'	Brown	Insignificant	n/a	High	Low	Median; Parks; Parking lot; specimen; residence	High	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Copernicia macroglossa</i>	Cuban Petticoat Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	10 - 15'	brown	Insignificant	n/a	high	low	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Copernicia prunifera</i>	Caraba Wax Palm	•	Moderate	Slow to Medium	No	25 - 30'	brown	Insignificant	n/a	high	low	Median; Parks; Parking lot; specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cycas circinalis</i>	Queen Sago	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	10 - 15'	Brown	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	Medium	Medium	Specimen; Residence; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cycas revoluta</i>	King Sago	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	6 - 8'	yellow; orange	dioecious cycad cones	summer	medium; High	medium	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cycas taitungensis</i>	Prince Sago	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	3 - 6'	orange; red	dioecious cycad cones	summer	medium; High	medium	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dictyosperma album</i>	Hurricane Palm	•	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 30'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Boulevards; Parks; Medians	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dioon spp.</i>	Dioon	•	Moderate	Slow	No	4 - 15'	gray	dioecious cycad cones	most of year	medium; High	alkaline; soil; Low	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dioon edule</i>	Chamal	◆	Yes	Slow	No	4 - 8'	hairy; gray	dioecious cycad cones	most of year	medium; High	alkaline; soil; Low	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dioon spinulosum</i>	Spiny Dion	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	6 - 15'	hairy; gray	dioecious cycad cones	most of year	medium; High	alkaline; soil; Low	specimen; residence; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Elaeis guineensis</i>	African Oil Palm	•	Moderate	Medium	No	30 - 40'	ivory	Insignificant	n/a	high	moderate	Boulevard; Parks; Specimen; Spines	high	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Encephalartos ferox</i>	None	•	Yes	Slow	No	3 - 6'	Red; orange	Dioecious cycad cones	Winter	medium; High	Low; Medium	Specimen; Coastal Dunes; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Encephalartos gratus</i>	None	◆	No	Slow	No	6 - 12'	Orange-yellow	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen; Residence; Spines	High	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Encephalartos hildebrandtii</i>	None	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	4 - 6'	Orange-yellow	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen; residence; Spines	High	not Protected	Undetermined

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<i>Heterospatha elata</i>	Sagiei Palm	•	No	Slow	No	30 - 40'	White	Insignificant	Summer	medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Howea forsteriana</i>	Kentia Palm	•	Moderate	Slow	No	15 - 35'	White	Insignificant	n/a	Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Hyophorbe langenicaulis</i>	Bottle Palm	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	15 - 25'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Hyophorbe verschafeltii</i>	Spindle Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	No	15 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Hyphaene spp.</i>	Gingerbread Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	No	20 - 40'	Yellow-brown	Insignificant	n/a	High	Low	Median; Parks; Parking Lots; Specimen; residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Latania loddigesii</i>	Blue Latan Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	20 - 30'	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Parks; Medians; Residence; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Licuala grandis</i>	Licuala Palm		No	Slow	No	7 - 8'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	High	Residence; Perimeter; Specimen; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Livistona australis</i>	Australian Fan Palm	•	Moderate	Slow	No	35 - 40'	Ivory	Insignificant	n/a	Medium; High	Medium	Median; Parking Lots; Specimen	High	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Livistona chinensis</i>	Chinese Fan Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	20 - 30'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Medians; Parking Lot; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Livistona decipiens</i>	Ribbon Fan Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 30'	Yellow	Insignificant	n/a	Medium; High	Medium	Boulevards; Parks; Specimen; residence; Spines	High	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Livistona mariae</i>	Central Australian Fan Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	35 - 40'	Yellow	Showy	n/a	High	Medium	Median; Parks; Parking Lots ; Spines	High	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Livistona saribus</i>	Taraw Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	50 - 60'	Yellow	Insignificant	n/a	Medium; High	Medium	Median; Parks; Boulevard	High	not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Macrozamia communis</i>	Burrawang	◆	Yes	Slow	No	4 - 6'	Green	Diocious cycad cones	Most of Year	Low to High	Acid soil; Low	Specimen; Residence; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Macrozamia moorei</i>	Moore's Macrozamia	◆	No	Slow	No	6 - 20'	Green; Yellow	Dioecious cycad cones	Spring	Medium; High	Acid soil; Low	Specimen; Residence; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Neodypsis decaryi</i>	Triangle Palm	◆	No	Medium	No	20 - 25'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Neodypsis lastelliana</i>	Teddy Bear Palm	•	No	Medium	No	25 - 30'	White	Insignificant	n/a	High	Medium	Median; Parks; Specimen; Residence	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Phoenix canariensis</i>	Canary Island Date Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	35 - 40'	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Residence; Parking Lot; Perimeter; Medians; Specimen; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i>	True Date Palm	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	60 - 70'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Park; Boulevards; Spines	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Phoenix reclinata</i>	Senegal Date Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 35'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Buffer; Specimen; Spines	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F

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<i>Phoenix roebelinii</i>	Pygmy Date Palm	◆	No	Slow	No	10 - 15'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Specimen; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Phoenix rupicola</i>	Cliff Date Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	25 - 30'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Phoenix sylvestris</i>	Silver Date Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	30 - 40'	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Parks, Boulevards, Medians; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Pseudophoenix sargentii</i>	Buccaneer Palm; Sargent's Cherry Palm	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	BNP	10 - 15'	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Residence; Parks	High	Endangered	AN & BI = F
<i>Ptychoperma elegans</i>	Solitaire Palm, Alexander Palm	•	No	Medium	No	15 - 25'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Specimen	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Ptychoperma macarthurii</i>	Macarthur Palm	•	No	Medium	No	20 - 30'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Park; Boulevards; Medians; Perimeter; Residence; Specimen	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Rhapidophyllum hystrix</i>	Needle Palm	◆	Moderate	Slow	Yes Not to Dade	3 - 5'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Low to High	Low	Specimen; Spines	n/a	Commercially Exploited	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Rhapis excelsa</i>	Lady Palm	•	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 10'	White	Insignificant	Year round	Low	Moderate	Specimen Plant; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Roystonea elata</i>	Florida Royal Palm	•	Moderate	Medium	ENP	60 - 80'	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium; High	Park; Boulevards; Perimeter; Medians; FACW	Medium	Endangered	AN&BI=F
<i>Roystonea regia</i>	Cuban Royal Palm	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	50 - 75'	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Boulevards; Parks; Residence; Perimeter; Medians	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Sabal etonia</i>	Scrub Palmetto	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	ENP	3 - 4'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Low	Specimen	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F&S
<i>Sabal minor</i>	Dwarf Palmetto; Blue Stem	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	Yes, not to Dade	5 - 7'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Specimen	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F&S
<i>Sabal palmetto (Florida State Tree)</i>	Cabbage Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	4; 6; 7; 8; 10	40 - 60'	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Parking Lot; Medians; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F&S BU=F
<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto	◆	Yes	Slow	3; 5; 6; 8	3 - 6'	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; Ground Cover; FACU	High	Not Protected	BI, BU & AN = F&S
<i>Syagrus romanzoffiana</i>	Queen Palm	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	40 - 45'	White	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	High	Residence; Parking Lot; Medians; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Syagrus schizophylla</i>	Arikury Palm	◆	Slight Moderate	Slow	No	10 - 15'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Medians; Spines	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Thrinax morrisii</i>	Key Thatch Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	BNP	10 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Low	Residence; Parks; Medians	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LISTS

PALMS & CYCADS

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<i>Thrinax parviflora</i>	Broom Thatch Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	No	15 - 30'	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen; Parks; Parking Lots	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Thrinax radiata</i>	Florida Thatch Palm	◆	Yes	Slow	BNP & ENP	15 - 20'	White	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Low	Residence; Parks; Medians; Parking Lots; FAC	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Veitchia joannis</i>	Joannis Palm	•	Moderate	Fast	No	50 - 60'	White	Showy	n/a	Medium; High	Moderate	Boulevard; Parks specimen	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Veitchia montgomeryana</i>	Montgomery Palm	•	Moderate	Fast	No	25 - 40'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Veitchia winii</i>	Winii Palm	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	40 - 50'	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Wodyetia bifurcata</i>	Foxtail Palm	•	Moderate	Fast	No	25 - 30'	White	Showy	n/a	Medium; High	Moderate	Median; parks; Specimen; Residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Zamia domingensis</i>	Dominican Coontie	◆	Yes	Medium	No	1 - 2'	Brown	Dioecious cycad cones	Most of year	Moderate; High	Alkaline soil; Low	Specimens; seashores residence; ground cover	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Zamia fischeri</i>	Fischer Zamia	•	No	Medium	No	1 - 2'	Gray; green	Dioecious cycad cones	Most of year	Medium; High	Alkaline soil; Low	Specimen; ground cover	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Zamia furfuracea</i>	Cardboard Plant	◆	Yes	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Tan	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	High	Alkaline soil; Low	Specimen; ground cover; seashores residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Zamia integrifolia (pumila)</i>	Coontie	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 8	1 - 2'	Red; brown	Dioecious cycad cones	Fall; Winter	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; ground cover; seashore residence	High	Commercially Exploited	BI & AN=F BU=F
<i>Zamia loddigesii</i>	None	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Tan; brown	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; ground cover; residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Zamia skinneri</i>	Skinner's cycad		No	Slow	No	3 - 8'	Tan; brown	Dioecious cycad cones	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Sheltered specimen; residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined

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<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple		No Slight	Fast	10	30 - 40'	Deciduous	Red	Showy	Fall; Winter	High	Low	Shade; Perimeter; Parking Lots; Medians; Boulevards; Residence; Buffer; Wet sites; FACW	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Adansonia digitata</i>	Baobob	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	40 - 45'	Deciduous	White	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Parks; Shade; Boulevard Specimen	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Annona glabra</i>	Pond Apple		No Slight	Fast	10	25'	Deciduous	Ivory	Insignificant	Spring	Medium	Low	Wet Sites	n/a	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Annona reticulata</i>	Custard Apple	●	No	Medium	No	20 - 25'	Deciduous	Green, Yellow	Insignificant	Fall; Winter	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence	High	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Araucaria bidwillii</i>	Bunya-Bunya	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	60 - 70'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Boulevards; Residence	Low	Not Protected	BI = S
<i>Araucaria heterophylla</i>	Norfolk Island Pine	◆	Yes	Fast	No	60 - 80'	Evergreen	Brown	Insignificant; Cone	Spring	High	Low	Medians; Perimeter; Buffer	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Avicennia carambola</i>	Carambola	●	No Slight	Medium	No	15 - 30'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Shade; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Avicennia germinans</i>	Black Mangrove		Yes	Medium	1	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	High	Low	Seaside parks and residences	High	Protected	BI = S BU = F
<i>Bauhinia blakeana</i>	Hong Kong Orchid Tree	◆	No Slight	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Purple	Showy; does not set seed	Fall; Winter	High	Medium	Residence; Perimeter; Buffer; Parking Lots	Low	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Bombax ceiba</i>	Red Silk Cotton Tree	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	50 - 55'	Deciduous	Red	Showy	Winter	High	Medium	Parks; Perimeter; Specimen; Boulevard	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Bucida buceras</i>	Black Olive	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Shade; Perimeter; Medians; Boulevards; Residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bulnesia arborea</i>	Yera Wood	◆	No	Medium	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Shade; Perimeter; Median; Boulevard; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bursera simaruba</i>	Gumbo Limbo	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	4; 7; 9	40 - 60'	Semi-deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Shade; Perimeter; Parking Lots; Boulevards; Residence	High	Not Protected	BI = F & S AN = F
<i>Butea monosperma</i>	Flame of the Forest	◆	Moderate Yes	Med	No	40 - 45'	Deciduous	Orange-Red	Showy	Winter	High	Medium	Parks; Shade; Boulevard	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Caesalpinia granadillo</i>	Bridalveil	●	No	Medium	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen; Parks; Median; Boulevard	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Calocarpum sapota</i>	Mamey Colorado	●	No	Slow	No	20 - 35'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Fall; Winter	High	Medium/High	Edible fruit; Residence	Medium	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Calophyllum brasiliense</i>	Beauty Leaf; Santa Maria	●	Yes	Fast	No	50 - 60'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Summer	High	Medium	Shade; Perimeter; Park	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Canella winterana</i>	Wild Cinnamon; Cinnamon Bark	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	ENP	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Purple, White	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Specimen	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S

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<i>Casimiroa edulis</i>	White Sapote	●	No Slight	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Winter	High	Medium	Edible fruit; Residence	Medium	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Cassia fistula</i>	Golden Shower	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 40'	Deciduous	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Medians; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Cassia grandis</i>	Pink Shower	◆	n/a	Medium	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Boulevard; Median; Specimen	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Cassia javanica</i>	Pink-And-White Shower	●	Moderate	Fast	No	40 - 50'	Deciduous	Red, Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cassia roxburghii</i>	Ceylon Senna	◆	n/a	Slow	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Boulevard; Specimen; Median	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Cassia siamea</i>	Kassod Tree	●	No	Fast	No	35 - 40'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cecropia palmata</i>	Snakewood	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Parks	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ceiba pentandra</i>	Silk Cotton Tree	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	50 - 80'	Deciduous ; Spiny	White; Purple	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	Sugarberry; Hackberry	●	No	Medium	7; 9	40 - 60'	Deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Shade; Perimeter; Residence; Parks; FACW	High	Not Protected	BI = F & S; BU = F
<i>Chorisia insignis</i>	White Floss-Silk Tree	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	35 - 40'	Deciduous ; Spiny	White	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Parks; Shade; Residence; Perimeter	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Chorisia speciosa</i>	Floss-Silk Tree	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	35 - 50'	Deciduous ; Spiny	Pink	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	Low	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Chrysophyllum cainito</i>	Star Apple	●	Moderate	Medium	No	35 - 40'	Evergreen	White Purple	Insignificant	Fall	High	Medium	Edible fruit; Residence	Medium	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Chrysophyllum oliviforme</i>	Satin Leaf	◆	Moderate	Slow	4; 7; 9	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Fall	High	Medium	Shade; Parks; Medians; Boulevards; Residence; Parks	Low	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Citrus spp.</i>	Citrus (various)	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 30'	Evergreen; Spiny	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	High	High	Edible Fruit; Residence	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Clusia rosea</i>	Pitch Apple	◆	Yes	Slow	U	25 - 35'	Evergreen	Pink, White	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Moon garden	High	Endangered	AN & BI = F
<i>Coccoloba diversifolia</i>	Pigeon Plum	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	25 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Coccoloba pubescens</i>	Big-leaf Seagrape	◆	Yes	Medium	No	40 - 60'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>	Seagrape	◆	Yes	Medium	3; 4	15 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Edible Fruit; Buffer; Parks; Can be hedged; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Cochlospermum vitifolium</i>	Buttercup Tree	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 40'	Deciduous	Yellow	Showy	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Perimeter; Residence; Parking Lots	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Colvillea racemosa</i>	Colville's Glory	●	No	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Deciduous	Orange	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined

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<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>	Green Buttonwood	●	Yes	Medium	1; 4	30 - 50'	Evergreen	Purple, Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Parking Lots; Can be hedged; FACW+	High	Not Protected	BI = S & F
<i>Cordyline australis</i>	Giant Dracaena	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	n/a	Medium	Medium	Residence; Park; Median Perimeter	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Crescentia alata</i>	Mexican Calabash	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 45'	Evergreen	Green, Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Crescentia cujete</i>	Calabash Tree	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Green - Yellow	Showy	n/a	High	Low	Specimen; Gourd-like fruit; Support for orchids	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cupressus sempervirens</i>	Italian Cypress	●	Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 50'	Evergreen	Brown	Insignificant; Cone	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Perimeter	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Delonix regia</i>	Royal Poinciana	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	25 - 40'	Deciduous	Red, Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Parks; Shade; Boulevards; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dillenia indica</i>	Hondapara	●	No	Medium	No	30 - 45'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Diospyros digna</i>	Black Sapote	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Yellow, Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon	●	No Slight	Medium	7	30 - 45'	Deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Perimeter; Residence; Shade; Edible Fruit; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Dipholis salicifolium (Sideroxylum)</i>	Willow Busic	●	No	Medium	4; 7; 9	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	High	Low	Median; Park; Boulevard; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S; AN = S
<i>Drypetes diversifolia</i>	Milkbark	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	Yes, Not to Dade	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Ivory	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Perimeter; Specimen Plant; Park	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Drypetes lateriflora</i>	Guiana Plum	◆	Moderate	Slow	4; 9	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Winter	High	Low	Perimeter; Residence	High	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Erythrina crista-gallii</i>	Cockspur Coral Tree	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous ; Spiny	Red	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Euphoria longan</i>	Longan	●	No Slight	Medium	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Exothea paniculata</i>	Inkwood	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	35'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	Medium	Low	Residence; Parks; Shade	High	Not Protected	BI = F; AN = F & S
<i>Ficus aurea</i>	Strangler Fig	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	4; 7; 9; 10	40 - 50'	Semi-deciduous	Orange	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Parks; Shade; FAC	High	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S
<i>Ficus citrifolia</i>	Shortleaf Fig	◆	Moderate	Fast	9	40 - 50'	Semi-deciduous	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; FAC	High	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S
<i>Ficus lyrata</i>	Fiddleleaf Fig	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Parks; Boulevards; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S

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<i>Ficus perforata</i>	West Indian Laurel Fig	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Parks; Boulevards; Residence; Shade	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Ficus religiosa</i>	Sacred Fig; Bo Tree	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	50 - 80'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Parks; Shade; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Ficus rubiginosa</i>	Rusty Fig	●	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Buffer	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Filicium decipiens</i>	Fern Tree		n/a	Slow	No	35'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	n/a	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevard	n/a	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Gordonia lasianthus</i>	Loblolly Bay		No	Medium	Yes, Not to Dade	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Summer	High	Medium, Acid Soil	Residence; Shade; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Grevillea robusta</i>	Silk Oak	●	Moderate	Fast	No	35 - 60'	Evergreen	Orange	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Guapira discolor</i>	Blolly	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	Yes, Not to Dade	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Green, Yellow	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Shade; Boulevards; Parks	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S; AN = S
<i>Guapira longifolia</i>	Longleaf Blolly	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 9	25 - 35'	Evergreen	Green; Yellow	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevard; Shade; FAC	Medium	Not protected	BI = F & S; AN = S
<i>Harpullia arborea</i>	Tulipwood	◆	No	Slow	No	25 - 40'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant; Showy orange fruit	Year round	High	Low	Park; Residence; Shade	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Hura crepitans</i>	Sandbox Tree	●	No	Fast	No	40 - 60'	Deciduous ; Spiny	Red	Showy	n/a	High	Medium	Shade; Parks; Perimeter	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ilex krugiana</i>	Tawnyberry Holly; Krug's Holly (Endangered)	●	No	Medium	9	25 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Purple fruit	Winter; Spring	Medium	Medium	Residence; Buffer; Shade Parks; Medians; Tree/shrub	High	Endangered	BI = F; BI & AN = F & S
<i>Jacaranda mimosifolia</i>	Jacaranda	◆	No Slight	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Deciduous	Blue	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Parks; Boulevards; Residence; Shade; Parking Lots	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Kigelia pinnata</i>	Sausage Tree	●	No	Medium	No	40 - 45'	Evergreen	Purple	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Medium	Parks	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>	Black Ironwood	◆	Moderate	Slow	4; 7; 9	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow, Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Lagerstroemia speciosa</i>	Queen's Crape Myrtle	◆	No	Medium	No	30 - 45'	Deciduous	Purple	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Medians; Residence; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Laguncularia racemosa</i>	White Mangrove		Yes	Medium	1	40 - 60'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	High	Low	Shade; Parks; Perimeter; Residence; Buffer	High	Protected	Undetermined
<i>Litchi chinensis</i>	Lychee	●	No	Medium	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	High	Residence; Parks; Shade; Perimeter; Edible Fruit	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Lonchocarpus violaceus</i>	Lancepod	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	30 - 35'	Evergreen	Lavender	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen; Parks; Median Boulevard	n/a	Not protected	Undetermined

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<i>Lysiloma latisiliqua</i>	Wild Tamarind	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	9	40 - 50'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Shade; Boulevards; Parks; Parking Lots; Medians	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S BU = F
<i>Macadamia integrifolia</i>	Macadamia Nut	●	No Slight	Slow	No	15 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Shade; Perimeter; Boulevards; Medians; Edible Fruit	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay Magnolia		Slight Moderate	Medium	10	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Parks; Medians; Boulevards; Wet Sites	High	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S
<i>Mangifera indica</i>	Mango	●	Moderate	Medium	No	40 - 60'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Parks; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Manilkara roxburghiana</i>	Mimusops	◆	Yes	Medium	No	25 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Residence; Boulevards; Parks; Medians	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Manilkara zapota</i>	Sapodilla	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Edible Fruit; Shade; Perimeter	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Mastichodendron foetidissimum (Sideroxylon)</i>	Mastic Tree	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	45 - 70'	Evergreen	Yellow, Green	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Perimeter; Medians; Shade; Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Melicoccus bijugatus</i>	Spanish Lime	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Boulevards; Residence; Parks; Edible Fruit	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Millettia ovalifolia</i>	Millettia	◆	No	Medium	No	20 - 35'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards; Parking Lots	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Mimusops elengi</i>	Spanish Cherry	●	Moderate	Fast	No	30'	Evergreen	White	Fragrant	n/a	High	Low	Boulevards; Residence; Medians	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Morus rubra</i>	Red Mulberry	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	7; 9	30 - 45'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	High	Low	Residence; Edible Fruit; Parks; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Muntingia calabura</i>	Capulin	●	No	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Residence; Edible Fruit; Parks	Low	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Nectandra coriacea (Ocotea)</i>	Lancewood	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	4; 7; 9	25 - 35'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Shade; Perimeter; Residence; Buffer	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Noronhia emarginata</i>	Madagascar Olive	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Buffer; Shade; Perimeter; Parking Lots; Medians; Boulevards; Parks	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Pachira aquatica</i>	Guiana Chestnut	●	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 30'	Deciduous	White, Red	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Pandanus utilis</i>	Screwpine	◆	Yes	Slow	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen; Spiny	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Medians; Buffer; Boulevards	Medium	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Pandanus veitchii</i>	Veitch Screwpine	◆	Yes	Slow	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Buffer; Medians	High	Not Protected	Undetermined

Not Dry Tolerant

- Moderate
- ◆ Very Tolerant Very Tolerant

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Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Growth Rate	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Flower Color	Flower Characteristics	Flowering Season	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses	Wind Tolerance	Florida Protection Status	Wildlife Value
<i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i>	Jerusalem Thorn	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous ; Spiny	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Buffer; Medians	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Peltophorum dubium</i>	Dubium	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	35 - 40'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Boulevard; Median; Specimen; Perimeter	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Peltophorum pterocarpum</i>	Copperpod	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Shade	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Persea americana</i>	Avocado	◆	No Slight	Fast	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Edible Fruit; Parks; Shade	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Persea borbonia var. borbonia</i>	Red Bay		Moderate	Medium	4	50 - 60'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Shade; Boulevards; Wet Sites; FACW	High	Not Protected	BI & BU=F
<i>Pimenta dioica</i>	Allspice	◆	No	Slow	No	15 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Parking Lots; Culinary Seeds	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Pinus elliotii var. densa</i>	S. Florida Slash Pine	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	5; 6; 8	70 - 80'	Evergreen	Brown	Cone	Spring	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Buffer; Boulevards; FAC	Low	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Piscidia piscipula</i>	Jamaica Dogwood	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	4	35 - 50'	Semi-deciduous	White, Lavender	Showy	Spring	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Medians; Parking Lots	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Pittosporum ferrugineum</i>	Rusty Pittosporum	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards; Buffer	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Podocarpus gracillior</i>	Weeping Podocarpus	●	Moderate	Medium	No	30 - 50'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Medians; Boulevards; Perimeter; Buffer	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i>	Yew Podocarpus	●	Moderate	Medium	No	25 - 35'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Buffer; Boulevards; Perimeter; Parking Lots Formal Hedge	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Podocarpus nagi</i>	Nagi Podocarpus	●	Moderate	Medium	No	30 - 50'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Buffer; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Prunus myrtifolia</i>	West Indian Cherry	●	No	Fast	9	30 - 40'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Winter	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen; Residence; Parks	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Pseudobombax ellipticum</i>	Shavingbrush Tree	●	Moderate	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous	Red	Showy	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Perimeter; Shade; Boulevards; Medians	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>	Laurel Oak	●	No Slight	Fast	7	60 - 80'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low; Only deep acid soils	Shade; Residence; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S BU = F
<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	Live Oak	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	40 - 50'	Semi-deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Shade; Boulevards; Residence; Parks; FACU	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S BU = F
<i>Ravanelia madagascariensis</i>	Traveler's Tree	●	No Slight	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Rhizophora mangle</i>	Red Mangrove		Yes	Medium	1	30 - 40'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Parks; Sea Side	High	Protected	BI = S

Not Dry Tolerant

- Moderate
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<i>Sapindus saponaria</i>	Soapberry	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Boulevards; FACU-	Medium	Not Protected	BU & AN = F
<i>Simarouba glauca</i>	Paradise Tree	◆	Moderate	Medium	4; 9	35 - 50'	Evergreen	Ivory	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	BI = F & S; AN = F
<i>Spathodea campanulata</i>	African Tulip Tree	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	40 - 60'	Evergreen	Orange, Yellow	Showy	Winter	High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Boulevards; Shade	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Spondias cytherea</i>	Ambarella; Otaheite Apple;	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Winter/ Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Spondia mombin</i>	Yellow mombin	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Edible fruit; Residence	Low	Not protected	Undetermined
<i>Sterculia foetida</i>	Bangar Nut	●	No	Fast	No	50 - 80'	Deciduous	Red, Yellow	Showy	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Parks	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Swietenia mahagoni</i>	Mahogany	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	ENP BNP	35 - 60'	Evergreen	Green, Yellow	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Shade; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Parking Lots	High	Endangered	BI = S
<i>Tabebuia caraiba</i>	Silver Trumpet-Tree	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Deciduous	Yellow	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Parking Lots	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tabebuia chrysostricha</i>	Golden Tabebuia	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	35 - 50'	Deciduous	Yellow	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Shade; Medians; Boulevards	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tabebuia heterophylla</i>	Pink Trumpet-Tree	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 30'	Evergreen	Pink, White	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Parks; Boulevards; Medians; Parking Lots	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tamarindus indica</i>	Tamarind	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	40 - 50'	Evergreen	Yellow, Red	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Residence; Shade; Parks; Boulevards; Edible fruit	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Pond Cypress	●	Slight	Medium	10	50 - 60'	Deciduous	Green	Cone	Spring	High	Low	Wet sites; Parks	High	Not protected	BI & AN= S & F
<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Bald Cypress	◆	Slight	Medium	10	60 - 100'	Deciduous	Green	Cone	Spring	High	Low	Parks; Shade; Residence; Boulevards; Wet Sites	High	Not Protected	BI & AN= F & S
<i>Zanthoxylum clava-herculis</i>	Hercules' Club	◆	Moderate	Medium	7	25 - 30'	Deciduous ; Spiny	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Residence; Park	Low	Not protected	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Zizyphus mauritiana</i>	Indian Jujube Tree	●	No	Medium	No	30 - 40'	Evergreen; Spiny	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Summer	High	Medium	Parks; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined

● Not Dry Tolerant

◆ Moderate

◆ Very Tolerant Very Tolerant

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LISTS

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Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Growth Rate	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Flower Color	Flower Characteristics	Flower Season	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses	Wind Tolerance	Protection Status	Wildlife Value
<i>Acacia choriophylla</i>	Cinnecord	◆	Yes	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Residence; Median; Perimeter; Buffer	n/a	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Acacia cyanophylla</i>	Orange Wattle	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	14 - 18'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Blue-Green Foliage	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Acacia farnesiana</i>	Sweet Acacia	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	U	10 - 12'	Evergreen; Spiny	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub; Parks	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Amphitecna latifolia</i>	Black Calabash	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	U	15 - 18'	Evergreen	Yellow; Pink	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Specimen; Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	AN = F
<i>Amyris elemifera</i>	Torchwood	◆	Moderate	Slow	4	10 - 15'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Fall; Winter; Spring	Low to High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Buffer; Park	Medium	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S
<i>Annona muricata</i>	Soursop	●	Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant; Fragrant	Year round	High	Medium	Residence; Edible Fruit	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Annona squamosa</i>	Sweeteop	●	No Slight	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Green; Yellow	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Antidesma bunius</i>	Bignay	●	Moderate	Fast	No	15 - 25'	Evergreen	Red	Insignificant	Summer; Fall; Winter	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ardisia escallonioides</i>	Marlberry	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	15 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Fall	Low to High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Beaucarnea recurvata</i>	Ponytail	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	10 - 15'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Parks	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bixa orellana</i>	Annatto	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy; Red Seed Pods	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Culinary Seeds	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bourreria ovata</i>	Rough Strong Bark	●	Moderate	Medium	BNP	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Late Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Buffer; Park	Medium	Not Protected	AN & BI & BU = F
<i>Brya ebenus</i>	Jamaican Rain Tree	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 25'	Evergreen; Spiny	Gold	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Specimen; Median	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bucida buceras</i> cv. 'Shady Lady'	Shady Lady; Black Olive	◆	Yes	Slow	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bucida spinosa</i>	Spiny Black Olive	◆	Yes	Slow	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Bumelia celastrinum</i> (Sideroxylon)	Saffron Plum	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	4	20 - 24'	n/a Spiny	Ivory	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; FAC	High	Not Protected	AN & BI = F & S
<i>Byrsonima lucida</i>	Locustberry	◆	No	Slow	8	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White; Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Tree/Shrub; Park; FAC	Medium	Endangered	BI = F & S
<i>Caesalpinia mexicana</i>	Mexicana	●	No	Medium	No	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Specimen	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Callistemon spp.</i>	Bottlebrush	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	10 - 25'	Evergreen	Red	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Shade; Perimeter; Parking Lots; Medians; Boulevards; Residence; Parking Lots	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S BU = F
<i>Calyptranthes pallens</i>	Spicewood	◆	Moderate	Slow	9	10 - 18'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring, Summer	Medium	Medium	Formal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub	Medium	Not Protected	AN & BI = F&S; BU = F
<i>Calyptranthes zuzygium</i>	Myrtle of the River	●	Moderate	Medium	Yes, Not to Dade	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Buffers; Park; Specimen; Residence	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Capparis cynophallophora</i>	Jamaica Caper	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	4	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Pink; White	Showy	Spring	Low to High	Low	Moon Gardens; Specimen Plant	High	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Capparis flexuosa</i>	Limber Caper	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 4	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Summer	High	Low	Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub; Moon Garden	High	Not Protected	BI = F

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<i>Casasia clusifolia</i>	Seven-year Apple	◆	Yes	Slow	3	15 - 18'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen; Park Buffer; Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Cassia afrodistula</i>	Dwarf Golden Shower	◆	n/a	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Residence; Specimen; Yard tree	n/a	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Cassia surattensis</i>	Glaucous Cassia	●	No	Fast	No	10 - 20'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Yard Tree	Medium	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Buttonbush		No Slight	Medium	10; 11	10 - 15'	Deciduous	White	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Wet Sites	n/a	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Chrysobalanus icaco var. pellocarpus</i>	Red-tip or Green-tip Cocoplum	●	*	Medium	4; 6; 10	10' - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub; Edible Fruit; * Coastal and Inland Forms Exist; FACW	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Citharexylum fruticosum (C. spinosum)</i>	Fiddlewood	◆	Moderate	Medium	4; 7; 9	10 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Low	Parks; Boulevards; Residence; Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	BI = F & S; BU = F
<i>Citrofortunella mitis (hybrid)</i>	Calamondin Orange	●	No	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen; Spiny	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring, Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Edible Fruit	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Clusia guttifera</i>	Small-leaved Clusia		Yes	Slow	No	18 - 25'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Colubrina arborescens</i>	Coffe Colubrina	◆	No Slight	Fast	Yes, not to Dade	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Not Protected	BI & BU = F
<i>Colubrina elliptica</i>	Soldierwood	◆	Moderate	Fast	Yes; not to Dade	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Tree/Shrub; Parks	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Conocarpus erectus var. sericea</i>	Silver Buttonwood	●	Yes	Medium	BNP	10 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Specimen; Formal Hedge, FACW	Medium	Not Protected	BI = S & F
<i>Cordia boissieri</i>	White Cordia	◆	Yes	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Yard Tree	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Cordia sebestena</i>	Geiger Tree	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	Yes; not to Dade	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Orange	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Yard Tree; Specimen; Parks	Medium	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Cornus foemina</i>	Stiff Cornel Dogwood		No	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	15 - 20'	Deciduous	White	Showy	Spring	Medium; High	Low	Wet sites; Pond Edges; Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Crossopetalum rhacoma</i>	Rhacoma; Poison Cherry	◆	Yes	Very Slow	3,4	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Green-red	Insig; Showy Red Fruit	Year round	High	Low	Residence; Group planting	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F
<i>Doxyalis hebecarpa</i>	Ceylon gooseberry	●	No	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Edible Fruit	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena draco</i>	Dragon Tree	◆	Yes	Slow	No	10 - 15"	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub; Specimen	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Duranta repens (D. erecta)</i>	Golden-Dewdrop	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	U	12 - 15'	Evergreen; Spiny	Blue or White	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/ Shrub; White Flowered Variety Available	Medium	Not Protected	BU = F; BI = F & S
<i>Elaeagnus pungens</i>	Silverthorn	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	15'-20'	Evergreen; Spiny	Brown	Insignificant, Fragrant	Winter	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Silver Foliage	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>	Loquat	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy, Fragrant	Fall; Winter	High	Low	Edible Fruit; Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards	Low	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Erithalis fruticosa</i>	Black Torch	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	3	10 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Coral Bean	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 4; 7; 9	10 - 15'	Deciduous	Red	Showy	Spring; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	BI = F

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Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Growth Rate	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Flower Color	Flower Characteristics	Flower Season	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses	Wind Tolerance	Protection Status	Wildlife Value
<i>Eugenia aggregata</i>	Cherry-of-the Rio Grande	●	No	Slow	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Eugenia axillaris</i>	White Stopper	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	4; 7; 9	15 - 25'	Evergreen; Musky odor	White	Insignificant	Spring to Summer	Low to High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Eugenia brasiliensis</i>	Grumichama		Moderate	Slow	No	10 - 12'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Informal Hedge	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Eugenia confusa</i>	Redberry Stopper	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	15 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	High	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Eugenia foetida</i>	Spanish Stopper	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Eugenia rhombea</i>	Red Stopper	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	BNP	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	n/a	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Euphorbia tirucalli</i>	Pencil-Tree	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	10 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Fejoa sellowiana</i>	Feijoa	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 18'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Spring	Medium; High	Low	Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub; Edible Fruit	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ficus carica</i>	Edible Fig	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 15'	Deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Forestiera segregata</i>	Florida Privet	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	10 - 15'	Semi-Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge; Parks; FACU	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Fortunella japonica</i>	Kumquat	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen; S piny	White	Showy; Fragrant	Winter; Spring	High	High	Specimen Plant; Edible Fruit	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Grevillea banksii</i>	Bank's Grevillea	◆	No	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Red; White	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Perimeter; Specimen Plant; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Guaiacum sanctum</i>	Lignum Vitae	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	BNP	10 - 30'	Evergreen	Blue	Showy	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Yard Tree/Shrub	High	Endangered	BU = F
<i>Guettarda elliptica</i>	Everglades Velvetseed	◆	Slight	Medium	9	20 - 25'	Deciduous	Pink; White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; Borders	Low	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Gymnanthes lucida</i>	Crabwood	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	4; 9	15 - 30'	Evergreen	Red	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Parking Lots; Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Haematoxylon campechianum</i>	Logwood	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Specimen	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ilex cassine</i>	Dahoon Holly		Moderate	Medium	10	20 - 30'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant; Red Fruit	Winter; Spring	Low	Acid Soil; Medium	Specimen Plant; Wet Sites; Yard Tree/Shrub	High	Not Protected	BI & BU = F; AN = F & S
<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>	Yaupon Holly	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	Yes, Not to Dade	2 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Low	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub; Specimen	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>	Crape Myrtle	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Deciduous	Red; Pink; White	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Perimeter; Boulevards; Parks; Parking Lots	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Licaria triandra</i>	Gulf Licaria	◆	Moderate	Medium	9	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Purple; White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Endangered	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Lysiloma sabicu</i>	Cuban Tamarind; Sabicu	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	20 - 25'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Low	Medians; Parks; Shade; Yard Tree	High	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Manikara bahamensis</i> (M. jainiqui subsp. emarginata)	Wild Dilly	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	Yes, Not to Dade	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Winter; Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Perimeter; Residence	High	Not Protected	AN = F & S
<i>Maytenus phyllanthoides</i>	Florida Mayten	◆	Slight Moderate	Slow	ENP BNP	10 - 18'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Informal Hedge; Yard Tree/Shrub; Park; FAC	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Moringa pterygosperma</i>	Horseradish Tree	◆	No	Fast	No	20 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; All Parts Edible	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined

Not Dry Tolerant

● Moderate

◆ Very Tolerant

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## COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LISTS

### TREE/SHRUBS (PLEASE REFER TO SECTION "GUID-146 -LINES TO PLANT LISTINGS", ITEMS #5, #6, and #7)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Growth Rate	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Flower Color	Flower Characteristics	Flower Season	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses	Wind Tolerance	Protection Status	Wildlife Value
<i>Myrcianthes fragrans</i> var. <i>simpsonii</i>	Simpson Stopper	◆	Moderate	Medium	9	15 - 25'	Evergreen	White; Red Fruit	Fragrant; Showy	Summer	Low to High	Low	Residence; Parks; Medians; Boulevards; Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge	High	Threatened	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Myrciaria cauliflora</i>	Jaboticoba	●	No	Slow	No	10 - 25'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	High	Residence; Edible Fruit	High	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	5; 6; 7; 9; 10	15 - 25'	Semi-Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	Medium; High	Low	Residence; Parks; Buffer; Yard Tree/Shrub; Formal Hedge; FAC+	High	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S
<i>Myrsine guianensis</i> ( <i>Rapanea punctata</i> )	Rapanea; Myrsine	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 6; 7; 9; 10	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	Low to High	Low	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; FAC	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Ochrosia elliptica</i>	Ochrosia		Moderate Yes	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Yellow; White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Summer	Medium High	Medium	Specimen; Residence	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Oncoba spinosa</i>	Fried Egg Tree	◆	n/a	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen; Spiny	White	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence; Specimen	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Picramnia pentandra</i>	Bitterbush	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	U	12 - 18'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Low to High	Low	Buffer; Informal Hedge; Color in winter leaves	Medium	Not Protected	BI = F & S
<i>Pithecellobium guadelupense</i> ( <i>P. keyense</i> )	Black Bead	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 4	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Pink	Showy	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Parks; Buffer; FAC	n/a	Not Protected	BI & BU = F & S; AN = S
<i>Pithecellobium unguis-cati</i>	Cat's Claw	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	15 - 20'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green-Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Parks; Buffer; FAC	n/a	Not Protected	AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Platycladus orientalis</i>	Oriental Arborvitae	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Blue	Cone	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Parks; Residence; Perimeter; Boulevards	High	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Plumeria rubra</i>	Frangipani	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	15 - 25'	Deciduous	White; Yellow; Pink	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Residence; Perimeter; Medians; Boulevards; Parking Lots	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Quercus chapmanii</i>	Chapman's Oak	◆	Yes	Slow	5	15 - 25'	Deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Residence; Park; Specimen	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S BU = F
<i>Quercus geminata</i>	Sand Live Oak	◆	Moderate Yes	Slow	5	15 - 25'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Usually a Shrub; Residence	Medium	Not Protected	BI&AN=F&S BU = F
<i>Quercus myrtifolia</i>	Myrtle Oak	◆	Yes	n/a	5	15 - 20'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Residence; Parks	Medium	Not Protected	BI&AN=F&S BU = F
<i>Randia aculeata</i>	White Indigo Berry	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 4; 9	6 - 12'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Insignificant	Low to High	Low	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; FAC	n/a	Not Protected	BI & BU = F & S
<i>Reynosa septentrionalis</i>	Darling Plum	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	Yes, Not to Dade	15 - 30'	Evergreen	Yellow; Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Residence; Parks; Boulevards; Specimen; Yard Tree/Shrub	Medium	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Rhus copallina</i>	Winged Sumac	◆	No	Fast	6; 8	15 - 20'	Deciduous	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	BI & BU = F
<i>Sabinea carinalis</i>	Carib. Wood	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	10-15'	Deciduous	Red	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Specimen; Park	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Salix caroliniana</i>	Coastal-Plain Willow		No Slight	Fast	10	20 - 25'	Deciduous	Green	Insignificant	Winter	High	Low	Parks; Wet Sites; Yard Tree/Shrub	Low	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Sophora tomentosa</i> var. <i>truncata</i>	Necklace Pod	◆	Yes	Medium	3	10 - 15'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Tree/Shrub	n/a	Not Protected	BU = F
<i>Sphaeropteris cooperi</i>	Australian Tree Fern		No	Slow	No	15 - 20'	Semi-woody; Evergreen	None	None	None	Medium	Medium	Residence; Parks	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Spondias purpurea</i>	Red or Purple Mombin	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	20 - 25'	Deciduous	Red	Insignificant	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Edible Fruit; Residence	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined

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<i>Strelitzia nicolai</i>	White Bird of Paradise	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks	n/a	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tabebuia impetiginosa</i>	Purple Tabebuia	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	15 - 20'	Deciduous	Purple	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Medians; Yard Tree	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tabebuia umbellata</i>	Tabebuia	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	15'	Deciduous	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Yard Tree; Medians	Low	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Tecoma stans</i>	Yellow Elder	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	U	10 - 18'	Evergreen	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Yard Tree/Shrub; Buffer	Low	Not Protected	BI = F
<i>Tetrazygia bicolor</i>	Tetrazygia; West Indian Lilac	◆	Moderate	Medium	9	12 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Spring Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant; FAC	n/a	Threatened	BI & BU = F
<i>Trema lamarckianum</i>	West Indies Trema	◆	Moderate	Fast	8, 11	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Residence; Yard Tree; FAC	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Trema micranthum</i>	Florida Trema	◆	Moderate	Fast	7; 9	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Green	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Buffer; Pasture Shade; FAC	Low	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S; BU = F
<i>Trevesia palmata</i>	Snowflake Tree	●	No	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Residence; Parks; Yard Tree	Medium	Not Protected	Undetermined
<i>Ximenia americana</i>	Tallowood; Hog Plum	◆	Moderate	Medium	5	20 - 25'	Evergreen	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Parks; Residence; Yard Tree; Edible Fruit	High	Not Protected	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Yucca elephantipes</i>	Spineless Yucca	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Evergreen	White	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant	n/a	Not Protected	BI & AN = F
<i>Zanthoxylum coriaceum</i>	Biscayne Prickly Ash	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4	15 - 20'	Evergreen; Spiny	Ivory	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Specimen; Park; Residence	n/a	Endangered	BU = F; BI & AN = F & S
<i>Zanthoxylum fagara</i>	Wild Lime	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	4; 7; 9	20 - 25'	Evergreen; Spiny	Ivory	Insignificant	Spring	Low to High	Low	Buffer; Formal Hedge; Barrier	High	Not Protected	BU = F BI & AN = F & S

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SHRUBS AND SHRUB-LIKE

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<i>Abutilon megapotanicum</i>	Trailing Abutilon		No	Fast	No	2 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Red-Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Acalypha hispida</i>	Chenille Plant		No	Fast	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge; Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Acalypha wilkesiana</i>	Copperleaf		Slight Moderate	Fast	No	5 - 8'	Evergreen	Red; Green; Pink	White	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>	Leather Fern (commercially exploited)		Moderate Yes	Medium	1; 2; 10; 11	6 - 8'	Herbaceous Evergreen	Green	--	Spores	--	Low to High	Low	Moist Sites; Buffer; Specimen; Pond Edges	Undetermined
<i>Adenium obesum</i>	Desert Rose	♦	Yes	Slow	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen Succulent	Green	Pink	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen	BI = F
<i>Aechmea aquilega</i>	n/a	♦	Yes	Medium	No	4 - 5'	Herbaceous bromeliad	Burgundy - green	Pink; Yellow	Showy; Long-lasting	Spring	High	Low	Specimen; Rock Garden	BI = F
<i>Aechmea eurycorembus</i>	n/a	♦	Yes	Medium	No	5 - 7'	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green	Orange	Showy; Branching	Spring; Fall	Medium; High	None additional	Specimen; Rock Garden	BI = F
<i>Agave americana</i>	Century plant	♦	Yes	Slow	No	5'	Thorny, succulent perennial	Green or variegated	Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen; Barrier plant; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Agave attenuata</i>	Spineless Century Plant	♦	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	2 - 5'	Evergreen Succulent	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Allamanda neriifolia</i>	Bush Allamanda	●	Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Aloe arborescens</i>	Candelabra Aloe	♦	Yes	Slow	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen Succulent; Spiny	Green	Red	Showy	Spring	Medium High	Low	Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Aloe ferox</i>	Ferocious Aloe	♦	Moderate	Slow	No	3 - 10'	Thorny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Variegated Green	Orange	Showy	Winter	High	Low	Specimen; Ground cover; Barrier; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Aloe marlothii</i>	n/a	♦	Moderate	Slow	No	6 - 15'	Thorny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Blue-green	Orange - yellow	Showy	Winter	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined

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SHRUBS AND SHRUB-LIKE

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<i>Alpinia zerumbet</i>	Shell Ginger	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Herbaceous Evergreen	Green	White & Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall; Winter	Medium High	Medium	Specimen; Informal Hedges	Undetermined
<i>Anthurium salviniae</i>	Birdnest Anthurium	●	No	Medium	No	4 - 5'	Herbaceous Evergreen	Green	Pink	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Low	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Arundina grainifolia</i>	Bamboo Orchid	●	No	Medium	No	4 - 5'	Terrestrial orchid	Green	Purple; Lavender	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen; Screen; Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Aucuba japonica</i>	Aucuba	●	No	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Yellow-Green	Purple	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium Acid Soil	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	a Salt Bush	◆	Yes	Medium	3	7 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant; FAC; Yard Shrub/Tree	Undetermined
<i>Bauhinia punctata</i>	Red Bauhinia; Nasturtium Bauhinia	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	3 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Befaria racemosa</i>	Tarflower	◆	No	Slow	5; 6	3 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Winter; Spring	Medium High	Acid Soil; Low	Specimen; Borders; Cut Flowers; FAC-	Undetermined
<i>Beloperone guttata</i>	Shrimp Plant	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow - White	Showy	Year round	Medium	Medium	Specimen; Mass; Border	BI = F
<i>Breynia disticha</i>	Snowbush	●	No Slight	Medium	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Variegated; Green; Pink; White	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Brunfelsia americana</i>	Lady of the Night	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Moon Garden	Undetermined
<i>Brunfelsia australis</i>	Yesterday Today and Tomorrow	●	No	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Blue; White	Showy; Fragrant	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Buddleia asiatica</i>	Asian Butterfly-Bush	●	No	Medium	No	12'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Winter; Spring	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Buddleia officinalis</i>	Butterfly-Bush	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy; Fragrant	Winter	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	BU = F
<i>Caesalpinia pulcherrima</i>	Pride of Barbados	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Orange; Yellow; Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Calliandra haematocephala</i>	Red Powderpuff	◆	No Slight	Medium	No	8 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	Red; Pink; White	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	BI = F
<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	American Beauty-Berry	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9	4 - 8'	Semi-deciduous	Green	Lavender	Semi-showy	Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; FACU-	BI, BU & AN = F
<i>Carissa carandas</i>	Karanda	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	n/a	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen; Edible Fruit; Thorny	Undetermined

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<i>Carissa grandiflora</i>	Natal Plum	◆	Yes	Medium	No	5 - 8'	Evergreen; Spines	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Edible Fruit	Undetermined
<i>Cassia alata</i>	Candle Bush	●	Moderate	Fast	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant.	BU = F
<i>Cassia bahamensis</i> (Senna mexicana var. chapmanii)	Bahama Cassia	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	♂	2 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BI & BU = F
<i>Cassia bicaeularis</i>	Cassia	●	Moderate	Fast	No	10 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Cassia ligustrina</i> (Senna)	Privet Cassia	●	n/a	Fast	7; 9	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Fall; Winter; Spring	Low; Medium; High	Low	Informal Hedge; Very Adaptable	BU = F
<i>Ceratiola ericoides</i>	Rosemary	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	4 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	Red, Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Cestrum nocturnum</i>	Night-Blooming Jasmine	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Moon Garden; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Chiococca alba</i>	Snowberry	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	3; 4; 7; 9; 10	6 - 9'	Evergreen Sprawls	Green	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	Low to High	Low	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; Vine-like; FAC	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Clerodendron minahassee</i>	Tube Flower	◆	No	Medium	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Clerodendron paniculatum</i>	Pagoda Flower	●	No	Fast	No	6'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Clerodendron speciosissimum</i>	Java Glorybower	●	No	Fast	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Spring; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Coccolus laurifolius</i>	Snail Seed	●	No	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Codiaeum variegatum</i>	Croton	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 8'	Evergreen	Red; Yellow; Green; Pink	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Coffea arabica</i>	Coffee	●	No	Medium	No	15'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	Medium	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Cordia globosa</i>	Butterfly Sage	●	Yes	Fast	U	7 - 9'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant; Red fruit	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen; Beds	BU = F; BI = F & S
<i>Cordyline terminalis</i>	Ti Plant	●	Slight Moderate	Slow	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Red; Green; Pink; Yellow	White; Pink	Insignificant	Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Color for Shade	Undetermined
<i>Croton linearis</i>	Pineland Croton	◆	Yes	Slow	♂	3 - 6'	Slightly woody evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	In Masses; Beds	BU = F
<i>Dizygotheca elegantissima</i>	False Aralia	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined

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<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> var. <i>viscosa</i>	Virginia Key Varnish Leaf	♦	Moderate Yes	Slow	3	8 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Buffer; Yard Shrub/Tree	Undetermined
<i>Dombeya</i> spp.	Tropical Snowball		No	Fast	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White; Pink; Red	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena deremensis</i>	Dracaena	●	No	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena fragrans</i>	Fragrant Dracaena	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green; Green-Yellow	Yellow	Fragrant; Insignificant	Spring	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena marginata</i>	Red-edged Dracaena	♦	Moderate	Medium	No	8 - 12'	Evergreen	Green-Red	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena reflexa</i>	Reflexed Dracaena	♦	No	Slow	No	8 - 15'	Evergreen	Variegated; Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena sanderiana</i>	Ribbon Plant	♦	No	Slow	No	3 - 5'	Evergreen	Variegated; Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena surculosa</i>	Gold-dust Dracaena	●	No	Slow	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Green-Yellow	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Elaeagnus philippensis</i>	Lingaro	♦	Yes	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Silver	Brown	Insignificant; Fragrant	Winter	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge; Edible fruit	Undetermined
<i>Elettaria cardamomum</i>	Cardamom Ginger	●	No	Medium	No	4 - 8'	Herbaceous Evergreen	Green	White & Pink	Showy	n/a	Medium	Medium	Under trees; Edges; Culinary uses	Undetermined
<i>Eranthemum pulchellum</i>	Blue Sage		Moderate	Fast	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Blue	Showy	Winter	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU & BI = F
<i>Euphorbia acurensis</i>	n/a	♦	Yes	Slow	No	12'	Spiny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Green	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia cotinifolia</i>	Red Spurge	●	No	Fast	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Red	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia drepifera</i>	n/a	♦	Moderate	Fast	No	12 - 15'	Thorny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Green	Yellow fruit	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia lactea</i>	Dragon-bone Tree	♦	Yes	Medium	No	15'	Spiny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Green; Variegated	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden; Barrier	Undetermined

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<i>Euphorbia lactea</i> cv. 'Cristata'	Elkhorn	◆	Yes	Medium	No	15'	Tree-like, succulent perennial	Silver-gray	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia leucocephala</i>	Pascuita	●	No	Fast	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Winter	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia marginata</i> (E. variegata)	Ghostweed	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	2 - 6'	Spiny, succulent perennial	Green and white	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia pulcherrima</i>	Poinsettia	●	No Slight	Fast	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Red; White; Pink	Showy	Winter	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia tirucalli</i>	Pencil tree	◆	Yes	Medium	No	15 - 20'	Tree-like, succulent perennial	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden; Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Euphorbia trigona</i>	African Milk Tree	◆	Yes	Medium	No	8'	Spiny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Variegated	n/a	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden on wall or fence	Undetermined
<i>Evodia suaveolens</i> var. <i>ridleyi</i>	Lacy-lady Aralia		No	Fast	No	5 - 7'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Fatsia japonica</i>	Fatsia	●	Moderate	Slow	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Ficus 'Green Island'</i>	Green Island Fig	●	Moderate	Slow	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Brown	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Forestiera pinetorum</i>	Pineland Privet	◆	No	Medium	♂	4 - 9'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Informal Hedge; Buffer; Specimen	BI & AN = F & S BU = F
<i>Galphimia glauca</i>	Shower-of-gold	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	7 - 9'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Galphimia gracilis</i>	Thyallis	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Gardenia jasminoides</i>	Gardenia	●	No Slight	Slow	No	1 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	High; Acid soil	Specimen Plant; Moon Garden	Undetermined
<i>Gardenia thunbergia</i>	Thunbergia Gardenia	◆	No	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	Acid Soil; Medium	Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Graptophyllum pictum</i>	Caricature Plant		No	Fast	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Variegated; Purple	Red	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined

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<i>Grewia occidentalis</i>	Lavender Star Flower	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Guettarda scabra</i>	Roughleaf Velvetseed	◆	No Slight	Very Slow	♂	4 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	White; Red fruit	Semi-showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Yard Shrub/Tree	BI & AN = F
<i>Hamelia patens</i>	Firebush	◆	Moderate	Fast	4; ♀	6 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Year round	Low to High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Yard Shrub/Tree	BI & BU = F
<i>Hibiscus grandiflorus</i>	Swamp Hibiscus		No Slight	Medium	11	4 - 6'	Winter Dormant	Green	Pinkish	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Moist Sites; Pond Edges	BI = F
<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Hibiscus	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	Red; Yellow; Orange; White	Showy	Year round	High	High	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Hibiscus schizopetalus</i>	Fringed Hibiscus	●	Moderate	Fast	No	8 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Red; Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Holmskioldia sanguinea</i>	Chinese Hat Plant		Slight Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Orange; Yellow	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BI = F & S
<i>Homocladium platycladum</i>	Ribbon-Bush	●	Moderate	Medium	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	n/a	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Gallberry	●	Moderate	Slow	♂	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant; Black winter fruit	Spring; Summer	Medium High	Acid Soil; Low	Informal Hedge; Specimen; FACW	BI = F
<i>Ixora spp.</i>	Ixora	●	Moderate	Medium	No	3 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow; Red; Pink	Showy	Year round	High	High; Acid Soil	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Jacquinia keyensis</i>	Joewood (threatened)	◆	Moderate Yes	Very Slow	ENP; BNP	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow- White	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Larger only with great age	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Jasminum multiflorum</i>	Downy Jasmine	●	No Slight	Medium	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Jasminum nitidum</i>	Shining Jasmine	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Summer; Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Jatropha integerrima</i>	Peregrina	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	5 - 7'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Jatropha multifida</i>	Coral Plant	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Juniperus chinensis</i>	Chinese Juniper	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	1 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	n/a	CONE	Spring	High	Low	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Ground Cover	Undetermined
<i>Justicia carnea</i>	Flamingo Plant		No	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Justicia spicigera</i>	Mohintli		No	Fast	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Orange	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined

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<i>Kalanchoe beharensis</i>	Velvet leaf	♦	Moderate Yes	Slow	No	8'	Succulent perennial	Gray-green	Yellow	Showy	n/a	High	Low	Specimen; Rock gardens	Undetermined
<i>Lantana involucrata</i>	Wild Sage	♦	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 8	3 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	White; Blue	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BU & BI = F
<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>	Henna	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White; Pink	Fragrant; Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Leea coccinea</i>	West Indian Holly		Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Cold Sensitive	Undetermined
<i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i>	Texas Sage	♦	Moderate	Slow	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Silver	Lavender	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Lycium carolinianum</i>	Christmas Berry	♦	Yes	Slow	2	5 - 9'	Evergreen	Green	Blue	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Shrub/Tree	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>	Staggerbush	♦	No	Medium	5; 6	7 - 9'	Evergreen	Green; Copper	White	Showy	Spring	High	Acid Soil; Low	Informal Hedge; In Masses; Yard Shrub/Tree; FAC	Undetermined
<i>Lyonia lucida</i>	Shiny Lyonia	●	Slight Moderate	Slow	5; 6	5 - 9'	Evergreen	Green	White; Pink	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Mallotonia gnaphaloides</i> (Argusia)	Dune Sea Lavender (Endangered)	♦	Yes	Slow	3	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Silver-green	White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Specimen; Coastal Screen; Sand Retention	Undetermined
<i>Malpighia glabra</i>	Barbados Cherry	♦	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Pink	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Edible Fruit	BI & AN = F
<i>Malviscus arboreus</i>	Turk's-Cap	♦	No	Fast	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Red; Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Maytenus undatus</i>	Mayten	♦	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	4 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Medinella magnifica</i>	Medinella		No	Medium	No	4 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	Medium; Acid soil	Specimen Plant; Cold Sensitive	Undetermined
<i>Nephrolepis biserrata</i>	a Sword Fern	●	No	Medium	7, 10	3 - 4'	Herbaceous perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium; High	Low	Shady Sites; Open Areas; Beds; Banks; FAC	Undetermined
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Oleander	♦	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	White; Pink; Red; Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	BU = F
<i>Nerium oleander 'petite salmon'</i>	Dwarf Oleander	♦	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	6'	Evergreen	Green	Pink	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	BU = F
<i>Odontonema strictum</i>	Cardinal Flower; Firespike		No	Medium	No	3 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Opuntia spp.</i>	Prickly Pear Cactus	♦	Yes	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Succulent Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Purple; Red; White; Yellow	Showy	Spring	High	Low	Seasides; Specimen; Edible Fruit	Undetermined

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<i>Opuntia falcata</i>	Consolea	◆	No	Slow	No	12 - 14'	Spiny, tree-like, succulent perennial	Blue-green	Yellow; White; Red	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock gardens	Undetermined
<i>Opuntia leucotricha</i>	n/a	◆	No	Slow	No	12 - 15'	Tree-like, thorny, succulent perennial	Green	Yellow	Doesn't bloom here	n/a	High	Low	Specimen; Rock gardens; Edible fruit	Undetermined
<i>Fachystachys lutea</i>	Golden Shrimp Plant		No	Fast	No	2 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Pedilanthus tithymaloides</i>	Devils-backbone	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 4'	Evergreen; Succulent	Green; Variegated	Red	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Philodendron selloum</i>	Tree Philodendron	●	No Slight	Fast	No	4 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring	Low; Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Philodendron williamsii</i>	Espiritu Santo	●	No	Slow	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Pittosporum tobira</i>	Pittosporum	●	Yes	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	White	Seldom in S. FL	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen; Screen; Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Plumbago auriculata</i>	Plumbago	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	Blue; White	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	BU = F
<i>Polyscias spp.</i>	Aralia	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	3 - 10'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	White	Insignificant	Year round	Low; Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	AN = F
<i>Portea petropolitana var. extensa</i>	n/a	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	3 - 4'	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green	Pink; Purple	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	BI & AN = F
<i>Portulacaria afra</i>	Elephant Bush	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen succulent	Green; Variegated	Pink	Insignificant	n/a	High	Medium	Specimen; Rock gardens	Undetermined
<i>Pseuderanthemum atropurpureum</i>	Cafe Con Leche		Moderate	Fast	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Purple	White-Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Color for Shade	Undetermined
<i>Pseuderanthemum reticulatum</i>	Reticulated Pseuderanthemum		No	Fast	No	3 - 5'	Evergreen	Green-Yellow	White-Purple	Showy	Spring	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Color for Shade	Undetermined
<i>Peidium longipes</i>	Long-stalked Stopper	◆	Moderate	Very Slow	8	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Spring	High	Low	Specimen	AN, BU & BI = F
<i>Psychotria ligustrifolia</i>	Bahama Wild Coffee	●	Moderate	Slow	U	3 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Buffer; Informal Hedge; FAC	AN, BI & BU = F & S
<i>Psychotria nervosa</i>	Shiny-Leaf Wild Coffee	●	No	Medium	4; 7; 9	4 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; FAC	AN, BI & BU = F & S

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<i>Psychotria sulzneri</i>	Soft Leaf Wild Coffee	●	No	Medium	7; 9	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Specimen; Informal Hedges, FAC	AN, BI & BU = F & S
<i>Pyracantha coccinea</i>	Red Firethorn	●	Moderate	Medium	No	8 - 12'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	BI & AN = F
<i>Raphiolepis indica</i>	Indian Hawthorn	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	4 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	BI & AN = F
<i>Raphiolepis umbellata</i>	Round-leaf Hawthorn	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Ruellia equisetiformis</i>	Firecracker plant	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	2 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Ground Cover	BI = F
<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i> ( <i>S. canadensis</i> )	Southern Elderberry		No Slight	Fast	10; 11	10 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Yard Shrub/Tree; FACW-	BI = F & S
<i>Sanchezia speciosa</i>	Sanchezia		Slight Moderate	Fast	No	5 - 6'	Evergreen	Variegated	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BI = F
<i>Savia bahamensis</i>	Maidenbush	◆	Moderate	Slow	Yes, not to Dade	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; Buffer; Yard Shrub/Tree	Undetermined
<i>Scaevola plumieri</i>	Inkberry (threatened)	◆	Yes	Slow	3	1 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Schefflera arboricola</i>	Dwarf Schefflera	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen	Green; Variegated	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium; High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Ground Cover	Undetermined
<i>Senna polyphylla</i>	Desert Cassia	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	10 - 14'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Fall; Winter	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	BU = F
<i>Severinia buxifolia</i>	Boxthorn	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	3 - 4'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	BI & AN = F
<i>Suriana maritima</i>	Bay Cedar (endangered)	◆	Yes	Slow	3	3 - 15'	Evergreen	Yellow-Green	Yellow	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Coastal Buffer; Yard Shrub/Tree; FACU	BU = F
<i>Synadenium grantii</i>	African Milk-Bush	◆	Yes	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green; Red	Red	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Synsepalum dulcificum</i>	Miracle Fruit		No	Slow	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Edible Fruit	BI = F
<i>Syzygium paniculatum</i>	Brush Cherry	●	Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant; Edible Fruit	BI = F
<i>Tabernaemontana divaricata</i>	Crape-Jasmine	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Tecomaria capensis</i>	Cape Honeysuckle	●	Moderate	Fast	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	Orange; Red; Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Informal Hedge; Formal Hedge	BI = F

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LISTS

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<i>Tetrapanax papyriferus</i>	Rice-paper Plant	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	8 - 10'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Thalia geniculata</i>	Fire Flag; Alligator Flag		No	Fast	10; 11	5 - 8'	Herbaceous aquatic perennial	Green	Purple	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium	Acid soil; Medium	Wet sites; Water gardens; Ponds	Undetermined
<i>Thevetia peruviana</i>	Yellow Oleander	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Thunbergia erecta</i>	Bush Clock Vine		Slight Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	Blue; Purple; White	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Tibouchina clavata</i>	Tibouchina		No	Fast	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Silver-Green	Purple	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Tibouchina urvilleana</i>	Glorybush		No Slight	Medium	No	8 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	Purple	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium; Acid Soil	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Trevesia palmata</i>	Tropical Snowflake	●	No	Medium	No	8 - 12'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium	Medium	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Viburnum odoratissimum</i>	Sweet Viburnum	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 15'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Viburnum suspensum</i>	Sandankwa Viburnum		Slight Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 8'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Vitex trifolia</i>	Vitex	●	Moderate	Medium	No	10 - 12'	Deciduous	Green; Variegated	Blue	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Vriesea imperialis</i>	n/a	◆	Low	Slow	No	6 - 8'	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green, red	Green, red	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Specimen	BI & AN = F
<i>Westringia rosmariniformis</i>	Victorian Rosemary	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	4 - 6'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Formal Hedge; Informal Hedge; Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Yucca aloifolia</i>	Spanish-bayonet	◆	Yes	Medium	U	12 - 15'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Showy	Spring	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BI & BU = F
<i>Yucca gloriosa</i>	Spanish-dagger	◆	Yes	Slow	No	6 - 10'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Specimen Plant	BI & AN = F

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SUB-SHRUBS - GROUND COVERS

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<i>Angadenia berterii</i>	Pineland Allamanda	◆	No	n/a	8	2 - 3'	Evergreen; Very Slow; Climbs or Sprawls	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; Rock gardens; well drained site; fence	Undetermined
<i>Asimina reticulata</i>	Pawpaw	◆	No	Medium	5; 6	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Winter; Spring; Summer	High	Low	Specimen; FACU	BU & AN = F
<i>Borrichia arborescens</i>	a Sea Oxeye Daisy	◆	Yes	Medium	BNP	2 - 4'	Evergreen	Silver-Green; Green	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Seasides; Open Areas; Takes Flooding	BU = F
<i>Borrichia frutescens</i>	a Sea Oxeye Daisy	◆	Yes	Medium	1; 2; 3	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Silver-Green; Green	Yellow	Showy	Spring to Summer	High	Low	Open areas; Banks; Seasides; Low hedge; Adaptable	BU = F
<i>Capraria biflora</i>	Goatweed	●	Moderate	Fast	U	3'	Evergreen	Green	White	Slightly showy	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Wildflower garden; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Carissa macrocarpa</i>	Dwarf Carissa	◆	Yes	Medium	No	12 - 18"	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Seasides; Open Areas	BI & AN = F
<i>Chiococca pinetorum</i>	Pineland Snowberry	◆	Moderate	Slow	8	1 - 2'	Evergreen; Sprawls	Green	White; Purple/White	Insignificant; Showy fruit	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Open Areas; Edges	BI & AN = S
<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> cv. 'horizontalis'	Coastal Coco Plum	◆	Yes	Slow	3	1 - 4'	Evergreen; Prostrate	Green	White; fruit is white or pink	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Border; Ground cover; Can be sheared	BI & AN = F & S
<i>Conradina grandiflora</i>	Conradina	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	18 - 24"	Evergreen	Green	Blue	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Open areas; Banks and slopes; Seasides	Undetermined
<i>Crossopetalum ilicifolium</i>	Quailberry (Endangered)	◆	No	Medium	8	6 - 12"	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Pink	Insignificant; Red fruit	Year round	High	Medium	Dry open areas, Borders	BI & AN = F
<i>Croton punctatus</i>	Beach Tea	◆	Yes	Slow	3	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Silver-Green	White	Insignificant; Fragrant	Year round	High	Low	Seaside only; Ground cover; Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Cuphea hyssopifolia</i>	False Heather	●	No Slight	Medium	No	12 - 15"	Evergreen	Green	White; Pink; Lavendar	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Ernodea littoralis</i> var. <i>angusta</i>	Pineland Golden Creeper	●	Moderate Yes	Slow	8	1 - 2'	Evergreen; Prostrate	Yellow-Green	Pink-white	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Seasides; Banks and slopes; Edges; Open areas	BI = F

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<i>Ernodea littoralis</i> var. <i>littoralis</i>	Beach Golden Creeper (Threatened)	◆	Yes	Slow	3	1 - 2'	Evergreen	Yellow-Green	Pink to White	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas; Rock Garden	BI = F
<i>Euphorbia milii</i>	Crown of Thorns	◆	Yes	Slow	No	1 - 2'	Evergreen; Spines	Green	Pink; Red; Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Seaside; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Ficus montana</i>	Oakleaf Fig	●	No	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Ficus sagittata</i>	Trailing Fig	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	10 - 12"	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Gamolepis chrysanthemoides</i>	African Bush Daisy	●	No	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Edges; Open Areas; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Hedera canariensis</i>	Algerian Ivy	●	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	8 - 12"	Evergreen	Variogated	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Hypericum cistifolium</i>	a St. John's Wort; St. Peter's Wort		No	Medium	6	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Bog & Water Gardens; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Hypericum hypericoides</i>	St. Andrew's Cross	●	No	Medium	6; 11	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Moist or Dry Sites; FAC	Undetermined
<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>	Dwarf Yaupon Holly	◆	Moderate	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	2 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow-green	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Open Areas; Edges	BI = F
<i>Iva imbricata</i>	Beach Elder	●	Yes	Medium	3	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Alkaline soil; Low	Seaside; Mix with grasses; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Jasminum volubile</i>	Wax Jasmine	●	Moderate	Medium	No	3 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Jatropha podagrica</i>	Gout Plant	◆	Moderate	Slow	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Red	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Specimen Plant	Undetermined
<i>Juniperus conferta</i>	Shore Juniper	◆	Yes	Medium	No	12 - 24"	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Banks & Slopes, Edges, Seaside, Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Juniperus chinensis</i>	Chinese Juniper (dwarf varieties)	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 36"	Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Lantana depressa</i>	Yellow Pineland Lantana (Endangered)	◆	Moderate	Medium	8	8"	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Open Areas	BI & BU = F
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	Trailing Lantana	◆	Yes	Medium	No	18 - 24"	Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Seaside; Open Areas	BU = F
<i>Lantana ovatifolia</i>	Gold Lantana	◆	Yes	Medium	No	8 - 10"	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Open Areas; Edges; Seaside	BU = F
<i>Malpighia coccigera</i>	Singapore Holly	●	Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen; Spiny	Green	Pink	Showy	Year round	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined

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<i>Myrica pumila</i>	Dwarf Wax Myrtle	◆	n/a	Slow	8	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Open areas; Banks; Slopes; Edges	Bl = F & S; AN = S
<i>Palafoxia feayi</i>	a Palafoxia	◆	No	Medium	5	4 - 5'	Evergreen	Green	White to lavender	Showy	Fall	High	Low	Dry open sites; Wildflower mix; Edges	BU = F
<i>Pentas lanceolata</i>	Egyptian Star Flower; Pentas	●	No Slight	Medium	No	3 - 4'	Evergreen	Green	White; Lavender; Pink; Red	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Open Areas; Edges; Banks & Slopes	Bl & BU = F
<i>Piloblephis rigida</i>	Pennyroyal	◆	Moderate	Slow	5; 6	18 - 24"	Evergreen; Erect or spreading; slightly woody	Green	Lavendar	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Acid soil; Low	Rock garden; Open areas; Herb & Wildflower Garden	BU = F
<i>Pittosporum tobira</i> cv. 'Wheeler'	Dwarf Pittosporum	●	Yes	Slow	No	12 - 24"	Evergreen	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Seaside; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Pyracantha koidzumii</i> cv. 'Low Dense'	Dwarf Firethorn	●	Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 24"	Evergreen; Spines	Green	White	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Edges	Undetermined
<i>Rivina humilis</i>	Rouge Plant	●	Moderate	Medium	4; 7; 9	2 - 3' sprawls	Evergreen	Green	Pinkish	Insignificant; Scarlet Fruit	Year round	Low; Medium	Medium	In Masses; Border	Bl = F
<i>Rosemarinus officinalis</i>	Rosemary		Yes	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Gray-Green	Pale blue	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Ground cover; Specimen; Herb garden	Undetermined
<i>Serissa foetida</i>	Serrisa	●	No	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green, Variegated	White	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Specimen Plant; Informal Hedge	Undetermined
<i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i>	Small Leaf Confederate Jasmine	●	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 12"	Evergreen	Green	Yellow-White	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i>	Confederate Jasmine	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	6 - 12"	Vine-like Evergreen	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Open Areas; Trellis	Undetermined
<i>Turnera ulmifolia</i>	Yellow Alder		Moderate Yes	Fast	No	2 - 3'	Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Specimen Plant; Ground Cover	Undetermined
<i>Vaccinium myrsinites</i>	Shiny Blueberry	◆	No	Slow	5; 6	1 - 2'	Evergreen	Green	White to Pink	Insignificant	Spring	Medium; High	Acid soil; Low	Open dry sites; Masses; Low border; Edible fruit; FACU	Bl & AN = F

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LOW GROWING HERBACEOUS PLANTS - GROUND COVERS

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<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Venus Hair Fern	●	No	Medium	9	12 - 18"	Herbaceous perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Shade; Protected sites; FACU	Undetermined
<i>Adiantum tenerum</i>	a Maidenhair Fern (Endangered)	●	No	Medium	9	24 - 30"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Shade; Protected sites; FAC	Undetermined
<i>Agapanthus africanus</i>	Lily of the Nile	●	No Slight	Slow	No	18 - 20"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Blue	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Ajuga reptans</i>	Bugleweed	●	No	Medium	No	8 - 10"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green, Purple, Variegated	White, Purple	Showy	Spring; Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Beds	Undetermined
<i>Alcascia cucullata</i>	Chinese Taro		No	Medium	No	24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Edges; Under Trees	Undetermined
<i>Aloe spp.</i>	Aloe	◆	Yes	Medium	No	1 - 4"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Red, Pink, Yellow	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Aloe brevifolia</i>	n/a	◆	No	Medium	No	6 - 8"	Toothed, succulent perennial	Gray-green	Red	Showy	Winter	High	Low	Specimen; Beds; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Aloe zanzibar</i>	n/a	◆	No	Slow	No	10"	Toothed, succulent perennial	Green	Orange	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Ground cover; Beds; Rock gardens	Undetermined
<i>Alpinia sanderae</i>	Variegated ginger	●	No	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Herbaceous Perennial	Variegated	n/a	Rarely flowers	n/a	Medium	Medium	Sheltered border; Shade	Undetermined
<i>Alternanthera flavescens</i>	Pointed-leaf Chaff flower	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	3	18 - 24"	Herbaceous Perennial Prostrate	Green	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Wet coastal sites; Longer leaves than <i>A. maritima</i>	Undetermined
<i>Alternanthera maritima</i>	a Chaff flower; Alligator weed	●	Yes	Medium	3	12 - 18"	Prostrate Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Ivory	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Wet coastal sites; Edges; Borders and beds; Open sites	Undetermined
<i>Ambrosia hispida</i>	Coastal ragweed	◆	Yes	Slow	3	6 - 18"	Herbaceous Perennial prostrate	Gray-green	White	Semi-showy	Summer	High	Low	Seaside; Sand retention; Borders	Undetermined
<i>Ananas comosus</i>	Pineapple	●	No	Fast	No	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Bromeliad; Spines	Green, variegated	Reddish	Insignificant	Year round	High	Medium	Open areas; Edible fruit	Undetermined
<i>Anthurium andraeanum</i>	Flamingo Flower	●	No	Medium	No	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Red, Pink White	Showy	Year round	Medium	Medium	Sheltered borders; Color for Shade	Undetermined
<i>Aspidistra elatior</i>	Cast Iron Plant	●	Moderate	Slow	No	20 - 30"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green, Variegated	Purple	Insignificant	Spring	Low	Low	Under Trees; Beds	Undetermined

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<i>Bacopa caroliniana</i>	Lemon Hyssop; Lemon Bacopa; Blue Water Hyssop		No	Medium	10; 11	3 - 6'	Herbaceous Perennial aquatic	Green	Ivory	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Low	Wet sites; Water gardens; Ponds; Grass substitute	BU = F
<i>Bacopa monnieri</i>	Water hyssop		Moderate	Medium	10; 11	3 - 6"	Herbaceous Perennial aquatic	Green	Ivory	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Wet sites; Water gardens; Ponds; Grass substitute	BU = F
<i>Batis maritima</i>	Saltwort	●	Yes	Medium	1; 2	3 - 4'	Herbaceous Perennial Prostrate	Pale green; scented	White	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Coastal Marshes	Undetermined
<i>Begonia heracleifolia</i>	Star Begonia	●	No	Medium	No	2 - 3'	Herbaceous Perennial	Green, Purple	Pink	Showy	Spring	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Beds	Undetermined
<i>Blechnum serrulatum</i>	Swamp Fern		No	Medium	6; 10	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Acid soil; Medium	Mass; Shade; Moist places; Edges; FACW+	Undetermined
<i>Blutaparon vermiculare</i>	Samphire; Beach carpet	●	Yes	Medium	2	6 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial Prostrate	Yellow-green	White	Semi-showy fragrant	Year round	High	Low	Seasides; Border ground cover; Sand retention; FACW+	BU = F
<i>Centella asiatica</i>	Coinwort		Moderate	Medium	11	2 - 3"	Prostrate herbaceous perennial	Green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Ground cover; Open areas; Moist sites; Turf substitute; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Chlorophytum comosum</i>	Spider Plant	●	No	Medium	No	10 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green, Variegated	White	Insignificant	Summer; Fall	Low; Medium; High	Low	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Cryptanthus bromelioides var tricolor</i>	Earth Star	●	Moderate	Medium	No	2 - 6"	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green, cream, white.	White	Insignificant	n/a	Medium	Low	Beds under trees; Shady area	Undetermined
<i>Cyrtomium falcatum</i>	Holly Fern	●	Moderate	Slow	No	12 - 24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges	Undetermined
<i>Dichondra micrantha</i>	Dichondra	●	Moderate	Medium	No	1 - 3"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Yellow/Green	Insignificant	n/a	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Dissotis rotundifolia</i>	Spanish Shawl		No	Medium	No	5 - 6"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Pink	Showy	Summer; Fall	Low	Medium	Under Trees	Undetermined
<i>Dracaena thaloides</i>	Lance Dracaena	◆	No	Slow	No	24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Pink	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Edges	Undetermined
<i>Dryopteris erythrosora</i>	Autumn Fern, Wood Fern	●	No	Medium	No	12 - 24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Red-Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Low	Under Trees; Edges	Undetermined

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<i>Echeveria</i> spp.	Hen & Chicks	◆	Yes	Medium	No	6 - 3' depending on the species	Herbaceous succulent	Green, red, purple in rosettes	Red; yellow; pink	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall; depending on the species	High	Low	Rock gardens; Small beds	Undetermined
<i>Epidendrum ibaguense</i> (E. radicans)	n/a	•	Moderate	Medium	No	12 - 18"	Epiphytic orchid	Green	Red; orange; yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Ground cover; Beds; Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Evolvulus glomeratus</i>	Blue Daze	●	Yes	Medium	No	10 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Silver, Green	Blue	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Gazania longiscapa</i>	Gazania Daisy	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	18 - 20"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	White, Yellow, Orange, Lavender, Pink, Red	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Open Areas; Edges; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Habranthes</i> spp.	Rain Lily	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	7 - 9"	Herbaceous Perennial Bulb	Green	White; Pink; Yellow; Red	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Open beds; Edges	Undetermined
<i>Hedychium coronarium</i>	White Butterfly Ginger		No Slight	Medium	No	3 - 5'	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	White	Showy Fragrant	Spring	High	Medium	Bog & water gardens	Undetermined
<i>Hedyotis procumbens</i>	Innocence; Trailing Bluet	◆	No	n/a	5; 6	1"	Prostrate, herbaceous perennial	Green	White	Tiny flowers on 10" stems	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Ground cover; Dry to moist sites	Undetermined
<i>Heliotropium curassavicum</i>	Seaside Heliotrope	◆	Yes	Medium	2	3 - 12"	Short-lived perennial	Green	White	Slightly showy	Year round	High	Low	Seasides; Low mass; Accent	Undetermined
<i>Hemerocallis</i> spp.	Day Lily	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	12 - 36"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Yellow, Pink, Orange	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Hydrocotyle bonariensis</i>	Marsh or Seaside Pennywort		Yes	Fast	11	2 - 6"	Herbaceous perennial	Green	Insignificant	n/a	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Ground cover; Moist areas; Fresh water or blackish; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Hydrocotyle umbellata</i>	Water Pennywort		No Slight	Fast	11	2 - 6"	Herbaceous perennial	Green	Insignificant	n/a	Year round	High	Low - Moderate	Ground cover; Moist areas; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Hymenocallis latifolia</i>	Spider Lily	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3	2 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial bulb	Green	White	Showy fragrant	Summer; Fall	High	Alkaline soil; Low	Accent; Edges; Seaside; Dry sites	BU = F
<i>Ipomoea pes-caprae</i> subsp. <i>braziliensis</i>	Railroad Vine	◆	Yes	Fast	3	4 - 12"	Herbaceous vine	Green	Purple	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas; Vining groundcover; FAC	BI = F

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<i>Ipomea stolonifera</i> (L. imperati)	Beach Morning Glory	◆	Yes	Medium	3	2 - 3'	Succulent rooting vine	Green	White; Purple	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Seaside; Sand retention; Groundcover	BI = F
<i>Iris hexagona</i>	Prairie Iris		No	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Perennial Aquatic	Green	Purple	Showy	Spring	High	Medium	Wet site; Ponds; Water gardens	BI = F
<i>Kalanchoe</i> spp.	Kalanchoe	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	6 - 36"	Herbaceous	Blue-Green	Pink, Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Kalanchoe blossfeldiane</i>	Flaming Katy	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	12"	Succulent perennial	Blue-green	Red; Orange; Yellow; White	Showy	Winter	High	Low	Ground cover; Rock garden; Borders	Undetermined
<i>Kalanchoe tomentosa</i>	Panda Plant	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	8"	Succulent perennial	Silver	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Ground cover; Accent bed; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Lachnanthes caroliniana</i>	Redroot	●	No	Medium	6	24 - 30"	Herbaceous rhizomatous perennial	Green	Ivory	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Moist or dry sites; Borders; Edges; FAC	Undetermined
<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Gopher Apple	◆	Yes	Medium	3; 5; 6; 8	3 - 12"	Semi-woody Perennial	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Banks & Slopes; Seaside; Open Areas	AN = F
<i>Lippia nodiflora</i> (Phyla nodiflora)	Matchweed; Creeping Charlie; Frog Fruit	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	2; 3; 6; 8; 11	1 - 3'	Herbaceous viny perennial	Green gray	Pink/ white	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Groundcover; Seaside; Open Areas; Can be mowed; FAC	BU = F
<i>Liriope muscari</i>	Liriope	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	12"	Herbaceous perennial	Green, Variegated	Purple	Showy	Spring	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Liriope spicata</i>	Creeping Lily Turf	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	6 - 12"	Herbaceous perennial	Green	Purple, White	Showy	Summer	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Ludwigia repens</i>	Water Primrose		No	Fast	10; 11	2 - 3'	Herbaceous Prostrate aquatic	Red-green	Yellow	Insignificant	Spring; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Bog and Water Gardens	Undetermined
<i>Mammillaria elongata</i>	Golden Stars	◆	No	Medium	No	6 - 8"	Spiny, succulent perennial	Yellow-green	White	Insignificant	Summer	High	Low	Specimen; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Mecardonia acuminata</i>	Purple Mecardonia		No	Slow	6; 8; 11	15 - 20"	Herbaceous evergreen perennial	Green or purple	Whitish	Insignificant	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Borders; Ground cover; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Neoregelia caroliniae</i> var. <i>tricolor</i>	Perfecta	●	No	Medium	No	18"	Herbaceous bromeliads	Green, white, pink, red	Insignificant	Showy; Long-lasting	Leaves blush in Spring	Low	Medium	Beds under trees	BI & AN = F

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<i>Neoregelia compacta</i>	n/a	●	No	Fast	No	18"	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green, red	Insignificant	Showy, long-lasting	Leaves bluish in Spring	Medium- high	Medium	Beds; Rock garden; Open areas	BI & AN = F
<i>Neoregelia Mc Williamsii</i>	n/a	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	24 - 30"	Herbaceous bromeliad	Green, red	Insignificant	Showy, long-lasting	Leaves bluish in Spring	Medium- high	Low	Ground cover; Beds under trees; Open areas; Rock garden	Undetermined
<i>Neoregelia 'Royal Burgundy'</i>	n/a	●	Moderate	Medium	No	18 - 20"	Herbaceous bromeliad	Burgundy	Insignificant	Showy; Long-lasting	Leaves bluish in Summer	High	Low	Beds under trees; Rock garden	BI & AN = F
<i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i>	a Sword Fern	●	No	Medium	7; 10	12 - 36"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium; High	Low	Shady sites; Open areas; Banks; Slopes; FAC+	Undetermined
<i>Oenothera humifusa</i>	Seaside Evening Primrose	◆	Yes	Slow	3	8 - 12"	Herbaceous perennial	Green	Yellow to Orange	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Open areas; Seaside; Masses; Sand retention	Undetermined
<i>Okenia hypogaea</i>	Beach Peanut (Endangered)	◆	Yes	Medium	3	6"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Purple	Showy	Summer	High	Low	Seasides; Sand Retention	Undetermined
<i>Ophiopogon japonica</i>	Mondo Grass	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	6 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Lavender	Insignificant	Spring	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Orontium aquaticum</i>	Golden Club		No	Medium	Yes, not to Dade	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	Showy spadix	Warm months	High	Medium	Wet sites; Ponds; Water gardens	Undetermined
<i>Osmunda regalis var. spectabilis</i>	Royal Fern (Commercially Exploited)		No Slight	Medium	10	24 - 30"	Herbaceous perennial semi-deciduous	Green	--	Spores	--	Medium	Acid soil; Medium	Moist shade; Specimen	Undetermined
<i>Peltandra virginica</i>	Spoonflower; Arrow Arum		No Slight	Medium	10; 11	1 - 2'	Herbaceous aquatic perennial	Green	Green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Low	Acid soil; Medium	Water gardens; Ponds, Wet sites	BI = F
<i>Peperomia obtusifolia</i>	Florida Peperomia (Endangered)	◆	Moderate	Medium	U	6 - 20"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Green	Insignificant	Year round	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Filler	Undetermined
<i>Pilea microphylla</i>	Artillery Plant	●	No	Medium	8	12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Green	Insignificant	Year round	Low; Medium; High	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Polygonum hydropiperoides</i>	Smartweed		No Slight	Fast	10	1 - 2'	Herbaceous aquatic annual or perennial	Green	White to Pink	Insignificant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Wet sites; Water gardens; Ponds	BI & AN = F
<i>Polypodium phymatodes lavate</i>	East Indian Wart Fern	●	No	Fast	No	3'	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low	Medium	Banks & Slopes; Under Trees; Open Areas	Undetermined

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<i>Polypermum procumbens</i>	Rustweed	◆	No	Slow	6	3 - 4"	Herbaceous evergreen perennial	Green; rust	White	Insignificant	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Ground cover; FACU-	Undetermined
<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>	Purslane	◆	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	4"	Herbaceous Annual	Green	Pink, White, Orange, Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Open Areas; Edges	Undetermined
<i>Ruellia brittoniana</i>	Mexican Bluebell	●	No	Medium	No	18 - 24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Lavender, Blue	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium	Medium	Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Ruellia makoyana</i>	Monkey Plant		No	Medium	No	8 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Purple-Green	Purple	Showy	Year round	Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Rumohra adiantiformis</i>	Leather Leaf Fern	●	No	Medium	No	18 - 30"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Salicornia virginica (S. perennis)</i>	Perennial Glasswort		Yes	n/a	12	Prostrate 2-3"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green and Red	Red in Fruit	Insignificant	Year round	High	Low	Salt marshes	BU = F
<i>Saururus cernuus</i>	Lizard's Tail		No Slight	Medium	10	1 - 2'	Herbaceous Perennial Aquatic	Green	White	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Water gardens; Ponds	BI = F
<i>Sedum</i>	Stonecrop	◆	Yes	Medium	No	2 - 5' depending on the species	Herbaceous succulent	Green, yellow, red	White; yellow; pink	Showy	Depends on the species	High	Low	Rock gardens; Small beds; Specimens	BU = F
<i>Selaginella involvens</i>	Erect Selaginella		No	Slow	No	8 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	None	None	None	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes; Edges	Undetermined
<i>Selaginella uncinata</i>	Blue Selaginella		No	Fast	No	8 - 20"	Herbaceous Perennial	Blue-Green	None	None	None	Low; Medium	Medium	Under Trees; Banks & Slopes	Undetermined
<i>Sempervivum spp.</i>	Houseleek	◆	Yes	Medium	No	2 - 6" depending on the species	Herbaceous succulent	Gray-green; reddish in rosettes	Pink; purple; white	Showy	Spring; Summer; depending on the species	High	Low	Rock gardens; Small beds	Undetermined
<i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i>	Sea Purslane	●	Yes	Medium	2; 3	12 - 18"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Pink	Semi- Showy	Year round	High	Low	Seasides; Low Banks; Moist Areas; Slopes; Sand Retention; FACW	BI & AN = F
<i>Setcreasea pallida</i>	Purple Heart	◆	Moderate	Fast	No	10 - 14"	Herbaceous Perennial	Purple	Pink	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Under Trees; Edges; Seasides; Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Spathoglottis plicata</i>	n/a		No	Medium	No	12 - 15"	Tenestrial orchid	Green	Purple	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	Medium	Beds; Sheltered garden	Undetermined
<i>Stapelia gigantea</i>	Zulu giant	◆	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	12"	Succulent perennial	Green	Purple, yellow	Showy; odiferous	Summer	Medium- high	Low	Specimen; Rock garden; Ground cover	Undetermined

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<i>Suaeda linearis</i>	Sea Blite		Yes	n/a	1	2 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial	Green	n/a	Insignificant	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Edges; Ground cover; Coastal wet sites	Undetermined
<i>Thelypteris kunthii</i>	Southern Shield Fern		No	Medium	9	1 - 2'	Herbaceous perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Moist shady site; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Thelypteris ovata</i>	a Wood Fern		No	Medium	9	1 - 2'	Herbaceous perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Low	Sheltered moist shade; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Thelypteris palustris</i> var. <i>pubescens</i>	Marsh Fern		No	Medium	10	24 - 30"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	--	Spores	--	Low; Medium	Medium	Moist shade; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Tulbaghia violacea</i>	Society Garlic	●	Moderate	Medium	No	15 - 24"	Herbaceous Perennial	Green	Purple	Showy	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Open Areas	Undetermined
<i>Verbena maritima</i> ( <i>Glandularia</i> )	Beach Verbena (Endangered)	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	3; 8	2 - 4" prostrate spreading	Herbaceous perennial	Green	Purple	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Seasides; Open areas; In Masses; Wildflower Gardens	BI & BU = F
<i>Zephyranthes</i> spp.	Rain Lily; Zephyr Lily	●	Moderate	Medium	Some are	8 - 12"	Herbaceous Perennial Bulb	Green	Pink, Purple, White	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Edges; Open Areas	Undetermined

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<i>Allamanda cathartica</i>	Yellow Allamanda	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	Rambling; Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Ground Cover	Undetermined
<i>Allamanda violacea</i>	Purple Allamanda	●	No Slight	Medium	No	Rambling; Evergreen	Green	PURPLE	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Ground Cover	Undetermined
<i>Ampelopsis arborea</i>	Pepper Vine	◆	No	Fast	U	Woody; Shrubby; Tendrils	Green	Greenish	Insignificant	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Trellises; Fence; Wet or dry sites; FAC+	BI = F
<i>Argyrea nervosa</i>	Woolly Morning Glory	●	Moderate	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Pink; PURPLE	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Aristolochia elegans</i>	Calico Flower	●	No	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Red, PURPLE-White	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	BU = F
<i>Aristolochia grandiflora</i>	Pelican Flower	●	No	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	PURPLE-White	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Asparagus falcatus</i>	Sicklethorn Vine	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	Spiny; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Winter	Low; Medium	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	BI & AN = F
<i>Aster carolinianus</i>	Carolina Aster		No	Fast	10	Evergreen; Rambling	Green	Pink Lavender	Showy	Year Round	High	Low	Fences; Trellises; Wet sites	BU = F
<i>Beaumontia grandiflora</i>	Herald's Trumpet	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Bougainvillea spectabilis</i>	Bougainvillea	◆	Moderate Yes	Medium	No	Spiny; Evergreen	Green; Variegated	Red; WHITE; PURPLE; Orange	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Fences; Trees & Trellises	BU = F
<i>Caesalpinia bonduc</i>	Gray Nicker Bean	◆	Yes	Medium	3	Evergreen; Spiny rambler	Green	Orange; Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Thorny Barrier; Seaside; FACU	Undetermined
<i>Campsis radicans</i>	Trumpet Vine	◆	Slight Moderate	Fast	Yes, Not to Dade	AERIAL ROOTS; Deciduous	Green	Orange	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Fences; Trees & Trellises; Masonry	BI = F
<i>Canavalia maritima (C. rosea)</i>	Beach Bean	◆	Yes	Fast	3	Herbaceous; Creeping	Green	Purple	Showy	Year Round	High	Low	Seasides; Ground Cover; Sand retention; FAC-	Undetermined
<i>Centrosema virginianum</i>	Butterfly Pea	◆	Yes	Fast	5	Herbaceous; Twining	Green	Blue	Showy	Year Round	High	Low	Fences; Trellises; Wildflower Garden	BU-F
<i>Cissus incisa (C. trifoliata)</i>	Marine Ivy	◆	Yes	Fast	Yes, not to Dade	Tendrils; Deciduous	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Trees & Trellises; Fences	BI = F
<i>Clematis dioscoreifolia</i>	Japanese Clematis	●	No	Medium	No	Twining; Deciduous	Green	WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Clerodendrum thomsoniae</i>	Bleeding Heart		No Slight	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE-Red	Showy	Summer	Medium	Medium	Trees & Trellises	BU = F
<i>Clytostoma callistegioides</i>	Violet Trumpet Vine	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Rambling; Tendrils	Green	Lavender	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Cryptostegia madagascariensis</i>	Madagascar Rubber-vine	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Fences; Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Cydistia aequinoctialis</i>	Garlic Vine	◆	No Slight	Fast	No	Tendrils; Evergreen	Green	Lavender; Pink; WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Echites umbellata</i>	Devil's Potato	◆	Yes	Fast	3	Twining; Evergreen	Green	White	Showy	Year round	Medium; High	Medium	Adaptable; Fences; Trellises	BU = F

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<i>Ficus pumila</i>	Creeping Fig	♦	Yes	Fast	No	AERIAL ROOTS; Evergreen	Green	Green	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Fences; Masonry	Undetermined
<i>Ipomoea spp.</i>	Morning Glorys	●	Moderate	Fast	No	Rambling; Twining	Green	PURPLE; White	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Fences; Ground Cover; Trellis	BU & BI = F
<i>Ipomoea microdactyla</i>	Man-in-the Ground (Endangered)	♦	No	Medium	8	Woody; Twining	Green	Crimson	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Trellis; Fences; Wildflower Gardens	BU & BI = F
<i>Ipomoea sagittata</i>	Glades Morning Glory		No Slight	Fast	11	Vigorous; Twining; Evergreen	Green	White; Pink	Showy	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Fences; Wall; Trellis; FACW	BI = F
<i>Jacquemontia pentantha</i>	Blue Sky Jacquemontia	●	Moderate	Fast	ENP	Herbaceous; Twining; Trailing	Green	Blue	Showy	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Fences; Trellis; Ground Cover; Arbor; Aggressive	BU & BI = F
<i>Jacquemontia reclinata</i>	Beach Jacquemontia (Endangered)	♦	Yes	Slow	3	Herbaceous; Twining; Prostrate	Green	White	Showy	Fall; Winter; Spring	High	Low	Seasides; Ground Cover	BI & BU = F
<i>Jasminum officinale</i>	Poet's Jasmine	●	No	Medium	No	Twining	Green	White	Showy; Fragrant	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Mandevilla sanderi</i>	Mandevilla	♦	Moderate	Fast	No	Evergreen	Green	Pink; Red	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Trellis; Fences	BU = F
<i>Mandevilla sanderi 'Rosea'</i>	Brazilian Jasmine	♦	Moderate	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	BU = F
<i>Mikania scandens</i>	Climbing Hempvine	●	No Slight	Fast	6; 9; 11	Rambling; Evergreen	Green	White-pink	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Trellis; Fence; FACW +	BU = F
<i>Monstera deliciosa</i>	Ceriman	●	No Slight	Medium	No	AERIAL ROOTS; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Insignificant	Summer	Low; Medium	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Edible Fruit	AN = F
<i>Monstera friedrichstahlii</i>	Swiss Cheese Vine	●	No	Medium	No	AERIAL ROOTS; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Showy	Summer	Low	High	Fences; Masonry	Undetermined
<i>Morinda royoc</i>	Cheese plant; Indian Mulberry	♦	Slight Moderate	Medium	8	Shrubby; Rambling	Green	White or Reddish	Insignificant	Year round	Low; Medium; High	Low	Adaptable; Trellises; FAC	BI & AN = F
<i>Pandorea jasminoides</i>	Bower Vine	●	No	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE; Pink	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	Virginia Creeper	♦	Yes	Fast	4; 5; 7; 9; 10	Tendrils; Deciduous	Green	WHITE	Insignificant	Summer	Medium; High	Low	Fences; Trees & Trellises; Masonry; FAC	BI & AN = F
<i>Passiflora caerulea (others available)</i>	Blue Passion Flower	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Blue; Many cultivars	Showy	Summer	High	Medium	Trellises; Fences	BU = F
<i>Passiflora edulis</i>	Purple Granadilla	●	Slight Moderate	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Purple	Showy	Year round	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Masonry; Fences; Edible fruit	BU = F
<i>Passiflora pallens</i>	a Passion Flower	●	No Slight	Medium	9	Herbaceous; Tendrils	Green	White	Showy	Year round	Medium	Low	Fences; Trellises	BI & BU = F
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky-Stemmed Passion Flower Vine	♦	Moderate Yes	Fast	3; 8	Herbaceous; Tendrils	Green	Greenish	Insignificant	Year round	Low; Medium; High	Low	Fences; Walls; Trellis; Trees	BI, AN & BU = F
<i>Petrea volubilis</i>	Queen's Wreath	●	Slight Moderate	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Philodendron hastatum</i>	Spade-Leaf Philodendron		No	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Green	Showy	Year round	Medium	Medium	Fences; Masonry; Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Philodendron radiatum</i>	Cut-leaf Climbing Philodendron		No	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Green	Showy	Year round	Low	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Masonry; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Podraria ricasoliana</i>	Pandorea Vine	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Rambling; Evergreen	Green	Pink	Showy	Spring; Winter	Medium	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined

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<i>Pyrostegia venusta</i>	Flame Vine	◆	No Slight	Fast	No	Tendrils; Evergreen	Green	Orange	Showy	Winter; Spring	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences; Masonry	BI = F
<i>Rhabdadenia biflora</i>	Rubber Vine	●	Moderate Yes	Medium	1	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE with Yellow	Showy	Year round	High	Low	Trees & Trellises; Fences; FACW+	Undetermined
<i>Senecio confusus</i>	Mexican Flame Vine	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Tendrils; Evergreen	Green	Orange	Showy	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	BU = F
<i>Solanum wendlandii</i>	Costa Rica Nightshade	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Lavender	Showy	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	Undetermined
<i>Stephanotis floribunda</i>	Bridal Bouquet; Madagascar Jasmine	◆	Moderate	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Summer	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises	BU = F
<i>Stigmaphyllon littorale</i>	Brazilian Amazon Vine	●	Moderate	Medium	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Tecomania capensis</i>	Cape Honeysuckle	●	Moderate Yes	Fast	No	Rambling; Evergreen	Green	Red; Orange; Yellow	Showy	Summer, Fall	High	Medium	Fences	Undetermined
<i>Thunbergia fragrans</i>	White Thunbergia; Sweet Clock Vine	●	No	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE	Showy; Fragrant	Year round	High	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	Undetermined
<i>Thunbergia grandiflora</i>	Bengal Clock Vine	●	No Slight	Fast	No	Twining; Evergreen	Green	WHITE; Blue	Showy	Summer; Fall	Medium	Medium	Trees & Trellises; Fences	BU = F
<i>Urechites lutea</i> var. <i>lutea</i> ( <i>Pentalinon luteum</i> )	Wild Allamanda		Yes	Slow	1; 3	Twining; Evergreen	Green	Yellow	Showy	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Trellis; Fences; FACW	Undetermined
<i>Vitis rotundifolia</i> ( <i>V. munsoniana</i> )	Muscadine Grape	●	Moderate	Fast	5 - 9	Tendrils; Deciduous	Green	Pale green	Insignificant	Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Low	Screening; Edible fruit; FAC	BI - AN = F & S

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<i>Aletris bracteata</i>	White Colic Root	◆	No	U	18 - 24"	Herbaceous perennial	White	Small flowers on each spike	Spring	High	Low	Rock gardens; Filler; In masses; FAC+
<i>Arnoglossum ovatum</i>	Indian Plantain	●	n/a	6	2 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial	White	Branched clusters of small flowers on terminal heads	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Moist areas; Filler; FACW
<i>Asclepias tuberosa subsp. rolfsii</i>	Rolf's Butterfly Weed	◆	Moderate	5; 8	2 - 3'	Slow perennIAL; upright herb	Red, Orange, Yellow	Loose 2" clusters	Year round	High	Low	BU & BI = F; Well drained sites; rock gardens
<i>Aster adnatus</i>	Clasping Aster	◆	No	6; 8	24 - 30"	slow perennIAL; upright herb	Blue or Lavender	1" on branched clusters	Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Rock Gardens; Well drained site
<i>Aster bracei</i>	an Aster		Yes	11	12 - 15"	slow perennIAL; sparse upright herb	White and Yellow	3/4" on open branched stems	Summer; Fall; Winter	High	Low	BU = F Fresh & Salt water wet sites
<i>Aster dumosus</i>	Bush Aster	◆	No Slight	6; 8	3'	Herbaceous perennial	White or bluish	Showy 1/2" flowers on branched stems	Spring; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Filler; Flower gardens; FAC
<i>Berlandiera subcaulis</i>	Green-eyes	◆	n/a	8	4 - 6"	Herbaceous perennial	Yellow, green	Solitary to 1" on 20" stems	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Flower gardens
<i>Buchnera americana</i>	Bluehearts	◆	No Slight	6; 8	1 - 2'	Herbaceous perennial	Violet; white	1/4"; several on terminal spikes	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Rock gardens; In masses; FAC
<i>Canna flaccida</i>	Yellow Canna		No	11	3 - 4'	fast Aquatic perennIAL	Yellow	showy to 3-4"	Spring; Summer	High	Medium	BI & BU = F; Wet sites; bog & water gardens; Encroaches
<i>Carphephorus corymbosus</i>	Deer Tongue	●	No	6	2 - 3'	perennIAL; slender, erect herb	Lavender	clusters of small flowers on 2' spike	Summer; Fall	High	Acid Soil	BU = F; Low, Moist sites; Wildflower mix
<i>Chamaecrista deeringiana (C. fasciculata)</i>	Deering's Partridge Pea	◆	No Slight	8	1 - 2'	Perennial; Prostrate Herb	Yellow	Numerous 3/4" on stalks	Year round	High	Low	BI & BU = F Dry Open Sites; Rock Gardens; FACU
<i>Chaptalia albicans</i>	a Pineland Daisey	◆	No	8	10 - 12"	Herbaceous perennial	White	to 1/2"; solitary on 12" stems	Winter; Spring; Summer	Medium; High	Low	Flower gardens
<i>Cirsium horridulum</i>	Purple Thistle	◆	Yes	6; 8	1 - 4'	Herbaceous perennial; Spiny	Purple	2 -3" solitary on stalk	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	BI & BU = F; Rock gardens; Filler; FAC+
<i>Clematis baldwinii</i>	Pine-hyacinth	●	n/a	6; 8	10 - 20"	Herbaceous perennial	Lavender pink	Solitary 1" rodding on stem	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	BI = F; Flower gardens; Ground cover; Moist Areas; FACW-
<i>Commelina diffusa</i>	a Dayflower		No	8	6 - 8"	Herbaceous perennial	Blue	3/4" in small terminal clusters	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Low	BI, BU & AN =F; Ground cover; Moist areas; Wildflower mix; FACW
<i>Commelina erecta var. angustifolia</i>	Thin-leaf Dayflower; Erect Dayflower	◆	Yes	3; 8	8 - 12"	Fast Perennial; Erect Herb	Blue; Flowers in A.M.	3/4" in small terminal clusters	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	BI, BU & AN = F WELL DRAINED SITES; wildflower mix

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<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i>	Tickseed (Florida State Wildflower) <i>Coreopsis</i>		No	6; 11	8 - 12"	Short-Lived Perennial; Erect Herb; Endemic to FL	Yellow	1" on numerous branched stalks	Year round	High	Low	BU = F Moist Sites; Self-seeds; Wildflower Mix; FACW
<i>Crinum americanum</i>	String Lily; Swamp Lily		Slight Moderate	11	1 - 2'	Slow Perennial; Aquatic; Bulb	White	3" on closely branched stalk; fragrant	Spring; Summer	High	Low	Bog & Water Gardens
<i>Crotalaria pumila</i>	Low Rattlebox	♦	Yes	3; 8	6 - 12"	Annual to Short-Lived Perennial; Prostrate	Yellow, Orange, Red	Showy clusters or solitary to 3/4"	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; Ground Cover; Pods Explode; Well Drained Site
<i>Crotalaria rotundifolia</i> var. <i>rotundifolia</i>	Rabbit Bells	♦	No	8	3 - 6'	Short-Lived Perennial; Branched prostrate Herb	Yellow	1" Sparse on branched stalks	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; ground cover; well Drained Site; Wildflower Mix; FACU
<i>Dichromena colorata</i> ( <i>Rhynchospora</i> )	a White-top Sedge		No Slight	6	1 - 2'	Slow Perennial; Rhizomes	White Bracts	Solitary 1/2" on stalks	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	BI = F; Moist Sites; Bog & Water Gardens; Grass-like; Encroaches; FACW
<i>Dichromena floridensis</i> ( <i>Rhynchospora</i> )	Florida White-top Sedge	•	No	8	4 - 12"	Slow Perennial; Rhizomes	White Bracts	Solitary 1/2" on stalks	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	BI = F; Grass-like; Moist Sites; Encroaches; FACW+
<i>Dyschoriste angusta</i>	Dwarf Blue Twinflower	♦	No	6; 8	4 - 6"	Slow Perennial; Herb	Blue	Solitary 1/2" on sparsely on stems	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Borders; Ground Cover; Well Drained Site; Rock garden; FAC
<i>Elephantopus elatus</i>	Florida Elephant's Foot	•	No	6	18 - 24"	Perennial; Herb	Purple	3/8" Sparse on branched stalk	Summer; Fall	High	Low	Low Filler; Wildflower Mix
<i>Elytraria carolinensis</i>	Carolina Elytraria	♦	n/a	8; 11	10 - 15"	Herbaceous perennial	White; pale blue	Small on terminal spikes	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Rock gardens; Flower gardens
<i>Erigeron quercifolium</i>	Southern Fleabane	♦	No	11	18 - 24"	Fast Perennial; Herb	White or Pale Lavender and Yellow	3/4" on branched clusters	Spring; Summer	High	Low	BU = F; Filler; Wildflower Mix; Adaptable; Encroaches; FAC+
<i>Eriocaulon compressum</i>	a Pipewort		No	6	12 - 18"	Perennial; Rush-like	White	3/8" on solitary stalks	Summer	High	Low	Moist Sites; Bog & Water Gardens
<i>Eupatorium coelestinum</i> ( <i>Conoclinium</i> )	Blue Mistflower	•	n/a	11	2 - 3'	Fast Perennial; Herb	Blue or Violet	Showy 2" clusters	Summer; Fall	High	Low, Medium	BU = F; Moist or Dry Sites; Encroaches; FAC
<i>Eustoma exaltatum</i>	Seaside Gentian	•	Yes	2	1 - 2'	Annual; Herb	Purple, White	Solitary to 1 1/2"	Year round	High	Low	BI = F; Self-seeds; Seaside; Edges; FACW+
<i>Evolvulus sericeus</i>	Hairy Evolvulus; Creeping Morning Glory	•	n/a	6; 8	8 - 12"	Herbaceous vine-like perennial	White-bluish	2/3, solitary on tall stem	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Flower garden; FACW
<i>Flaveria linearis</i>	Yellow Top	•	Yes	3; 11	24 - 30"	Annual; Shrubby; Herb	Yellow	Small in 1" numerous clusters	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; Coastal Marshes; Very Adaptable; Encroaches; FACW
<i>Gaillardia pulchella</i>	Gaillardia; Blanket Flower	♦	Moderate Yes	U	6 - 12"	Annual; Prostrate; Herb	Red; Orange; Yellow; Pink	Solitary 1 1/2" on branched stems	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; Groundcover; Rock Gardens Masses; Seaside Color; Open Sites;
<i>Helenium pinnatifidum</i>	Everglades Daisy		No	11	24 - 30"	Annual; Herb	Yellow	Solitary 1 1/2" on unbranched stems	Spring; Summer	High	Low	BU = F; Moist Site; Low Filler; FACW

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<i>Helianthus debilis subsp. debilis</i>	East Coast Beach Sunflower	◆	Yes	3	2 - 3'	Fast Annual; Herb	Yellow	Solitary 1 1/2" on unbranched stems	Year round	High	Low	BI = F; Coastal Sites; Ground Cover; Self-Seeds; FAC
<i>Heliotropium polyphyllum</i> Pineland Heliotrope	a Heliotrope	◆	Yes	8	1 - 2'	Herbaceous perennial	Yellow	Tiny flowers on curved terminal spikes	Year round	High	Low	Rock garden; In masses; Filler; FAC
<i>Heterotheca subaxillaris</i>	Camphor Weed	◆	Yes	3; 5	12 - 18"	Fast Perennial; Herb	Yellow	Numerous 1" on branched stems	Year round	High	Low	AN = F; Self-Seeds; Seaside; Dry Open Sites; Encroaches; FACU-
<i>Hydrolea corymbosa</i>	Sky Flower		No	10	12 - 18'	Perennial; Slender Herb	Blue	1" on small clusters on stalks	Summer; Fall	Medium; High	Low	Moist Sites; Bog Gardens
<i>Hymenocallis palmeri</i>	An Alligator Lily		No	6; 11	16 - 20"	Slow Perennial; Erect; Bulb	White	2" on stalk; Fragrant	Summer	High	Low	BU = F; Bog & Water Gardens; Low Moist Sites
<i>Hyptis alata</i>	Musky Mint Buttermint	●	No Slight	6; 8	4 - 6'	Herbaceous perennial	White	3/4" on tall stalk	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Moist areas; Filler; Attracts insects; FACW
<i>Iresine diffusa</i>	Bloodleaf	●	Yes	3; 6	2 - 3'	Perennial; Erect or vine-like herb	White	In 3" branched clusters	Year round	Medium; High	Low	Very adaptable; Seaside; Encroaches; FAC-
<i>Jacquemontia curtisii</i>	Pineland Jacquemontia; Clustervine (endangered)	◆	No	8	2 - 3'	Slow Perennial; Semi-woody Vine	White	1" lobed corolla	spring; fall	Medium; High	Low	BI & BU = F; Ground cover; Filler; Dry Sites
<i>Justicia angusta</i>	Water Willow		No	6; 11	4 - 6"	Herbaceous perennial	Pale Purple	Axillary, 3/4" on 12" stem	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low Medium	Moist sites
<i>Liatris chapmanii</i>	Chapman's Blazing Star	◆	No	5	2 - 3'	Perennial; Slender Herb	Purple	15-20" spikes of small flowers	Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Vertical color; Rock garden
<i>Liatris gracilis</i>	a Blazing Star	◆	No	8	2 - 3'	Perennial; Slender Herb	Purple	15-20" spikes of small flowers	Summer; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Vertical color; Rock garden; FACU
<i>Liatris tenuifolia var. quadriflora</i>	a Blazing Star	◆	No	5; 6; 8	2 - 3'	Perennial; Slender Herb	Purple	15-20" spikes of small flowers	Summer; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Adaptable to moist or dry sites; Vertical color
<i>Limonium carolinianum</i>	Salt Marsh Sea Lavender	●	Yes	1	24 - 30"	Perennial; Sparse Herb	Pale blue	Sparse 1/2" on spikes	Year round	High	Low	Coastal Wet Sites
<i>Linaria canadensis</i>	Blue Toadfax	◆	Moderate	U	15 - 20"	Herbaceous annual	Blue, White	Tiny terminal flowers on meandering branches	Winter; Spring	High	Low	BI = F; Rock gardens; Attracts beneficial insects
<i>Lobelia paludosa</i>	White Lobelia		No	6	24 - 30"	perennial; slender herb	pale blue or white	Sparse 1/2" on spikes	Year round	High	Low	BI = F; Wet sites; Bog gardens; FACW
<i>Ludwigia maritima</i>	Pineland Ludwigia; Rattlebox		No	6	2 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial or sub-shrub	Yellow	Solitary to 1" on hunched spike	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Medium	Moist areas; Filler; FACW
<i>Melanthera nivea</i>	Narrow-leaved Cat-tongue	●	Moderate Yes	8	2 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial	White	In heads to 1/2" on bending stems	Year round	High	Low	BU = F; Flower gardens; Moist areas; FACW
<i>Neptunia pubescens</i>	Small-headed Yellow-puff	◆	n/a	6; 8	6"	Herbaceous vine-like perennial	Yellow	1/2" puff balls	Warm season	High	Low	Rock gardens; FAC
<i>Opuntia stricta</i>	Prickly Pear (threatened)	◆	Yes	3; 4	16 - 24"	Thorny herbaceous succulent	Yellow	2 - 3"	Spring; Summer	High	Low	BI & AN = F; Rock gardens; Specimen; Barrier edible fruit; FACU-

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<i>Physalis angulata</i>	a Ground Cherry	◆	Yes	6; 8	6 - 16"	Herbaceous perennial	Cream, pale yellow	1" solitary bell-shaped	Year round	High	Low	BI & AN = F; Rock gardens; Filler; Fruit edible only when ripe; FAC
<i>Physostegia purpurea</i> ( <i>P. denticulate</i> )	False Dragonhead		No	6	2 - 3'	perennial; herb	Lavender	Sparse groups to 1" on spikes	spring; summer	High	Low	BI = F; Moist or wet sites; Bog gardens; FACW
<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>caroliniana</i>	Hairy Piriqueta	●	No	5; 8	12 - 18"	Perennial; Herb	Yellow	1-1 1/2" across	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	Small & delicate; Masses or in small places; FAC
<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>glabra</i>	a Piriqueta	●	No	6	12 - 18"	Perennial; Slender Herb	Yellow	1-1 1/2" across	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	Small and delicate; Masses or in small places; FAC
<i>Pityopsis graminifolia</i>	Golden Aster; Silkgrass	◆	Moderate	6; 8	1 - 3'	Herbaceous perennial	Yellow	Terminal heads to 1"	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	BU = F; Rock gardens; Cut flowers; In masses; Flower gardens; FAC
<i>Pluchea odorata</i>	Salt Meadow Fleabane		Yes	3; 11	2 - 3'	Fast Perennial; Shrubby; Herb	pink	Dense 1 1/2" clusters	spring; summer	High	Low	BU = F; Brackish and inland moist sites; Adaptable; Encroaches; FACW
<i>Pluchea rosea</i>	Rosy Fleabane		Yes	2; 11	2 - 3'	Fast Annual; Robust	pink; rose	Compact 1 1/2" clusters	spring; summer	High	Low	BU = F; Coastal and inland moist sites adaptable; FACW
<i>Polygala grandiflora</i>	Candyweed	●	No Slight	3; 6; 8	6 - 20"	Herbaceous perennial	Pink, purple	Tiny flowers along slender stalk	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	Moist areas or dry areas; FACW
<i>Polygonella ciliata</i> var. <i>ciliata</i>	Wireweed		n/a	5	2 - 4"	Annual; Prostrate; Herb	white	1 1/2" groups of minute flowers	summer; fall	High	Low	Wildflower mix
<i>Pontedaria cordata</i> var. <i>lanceolata</i>	a Pickerelweed		No Slight	10; 11	2 - 3'	Perennial; Aquatic; Herb	lavender	Spikes to 5" of numerous small flowers	spring; summer	High	Low	BU = F; Bog & water gardens
<i>Portulaca pilosa</i>	Pink Purslane	◆	Yes	8	1 - 2"	Annual; Prostrate; Herb	pink	1/4" solitary	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	BI & AN = F; Ground cover; Filler, Rock garden; Encroaches; FACU
<i>Portulaca rubicaulis</i>	Yellow Moss Rose	◆	Yes	Yes, not to Dade	2 - 3"	Herbaceous perennial	Yellow	Solitary less than 1/2" on numerous branches	Year round	High	Low	BI & AN = F; Rock gardens; Small beds
<i>Rhexia cubensis</i>	a Meadow-beauty		n/a	6	18 - 24"	perennial; slender; Herb	pink	1-2" solitary on spike	Year round	High	Low	Wet Sites; Bog gardens; FACW
<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Brown-eyed Susan	◆	Slight Moderate	Yes, Not to Dade	2 - 3'	perennial; herb	yellow & brown	1-2" solitary on branched stems	Summer; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Open Sites; Filler; Rock Gardens
<i>Ruellia caroliniensis</i> ( <i>R. succulenta</i> )	Hairy or Fringed Wild Petunia	◆	n/a	8	5 - 10"	slow perennial; slender; herb	lavender	1-1 1/2" solitary	Spring; Summer	High	Low	BI & BU = F; Edges; Rock garden
<i>Sagittaria lancifolia</i>	Arrowhead; Duck Potato		Slight Moderate	3; 10; 11	4 - 5'	perennial; aquatic; Herb	white & yellow	1-1 1/2" on tall stems	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	BI = F; Bog & water gardens; Encroaches
<i>Salvia coccinea</i>	Scarlet sage	◆	Slight Moderate	U	1 - 2'	Herbaceous perennial	Red	To 3/4" in terminal; elongated inflorescence	Year round	Medium; High	Low	BI & BU = F; Rock gardens; Flower gardens
<i>Sida Elliottii</i>	Elliott's Sida	◆	No	6; 8	12 - 18"	perennial; branched herb	red; yellow	1/2" solitary	summer	High	Low	Open sites; Filler; Rock gardens
<i>Sisyrinchium atlanticum</i> ( <i>S. angustifolium</i> )	a Blue-eyed Grass		No	6	3 - 4"	perennial; grass-like Herb	Blue	1/2" solitary on stems	spring	High	Low	Moist sites; Ground cover; FACW

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LIST

WILDFLOWERS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Height	Plant Type	Flower Color	Flower Characteristics	Flowering Season	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses and Comments
<i>Solidago gigantea</i> (S. <i>leavenworthii</i> )	Leavenworth's Goldenrod	●	Yes	2; 11	4 - 6'	Herbaceous perennial	Yellow	Dense panicles on spreading branches	Summer; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Flower gardens; Moist areas; FACW
<i>Solidago odora</i> var. <i>chapmanii</i>	Chapman's Goldenrod	◆	No	5; 6; 8	3 - 4'	perennial; branched herb	Yellow	Branched 3-4" clusters of tiny flowers on spikes	spring; summer; fall	High	Low	BU = F; Open sites; Rock Gardens; Wildflower mix; Encroaches
<i>Solidago sempervirens</i>	Seaside Goldenrod	●	Yes	2; 3	4 - 6'	perennial; branched herb	Yellow	Narrow branched clusters on 4-6' spikes	summer; fall	High	Low	BU = F; Moist coastal sites; Wildflower mix Encroaches; FACW
<i>Solidago stricta</i>	Willow-leaf Goldenrod		Moderate Yes	6; 11	4 - 6'	perennial; slender; herb	Yellow	Open branched cluster on 4-6' spike	summer; fall	High	Low	BU = F; Moist coastal sites; Wildflower mix Encroaches; FACW
<i>Stachytarpheta jamaicensis</i>	Dwarf Blue Porterweed	◆	Moderate Yes	3; 8	1 - 2'	perennial; branched herb	lavender	3/8" sparse on spikes	Year round	High	Low	BI & BU = F; Ground cover; Open sites; FACU
<i>Stenandrium dulce</i> var. <i>floridana</i>	Pinklet		No	11	2 - 3"	perennial; herb	dark pink	1/2" solitary	Year round	High	Low	Delicate groundcover; Massed; Edges; Moist sites
<i>Stillingia sylvatica</i> subsp. <i>tenuis</i>	Queen's Delight	◆	No	8	2 - 3'	perennial; herb	yellow	Minute flowers on unbranched 2" spike	Year round	High	Alkaline Soils	Wildflower Mix; FAC
<i>Tephrosia florida</i>	Florida Hoary Pea	◆	No	8	4 - 8"	perennial; prostrate herb; sprawls	white; pink after pollinated	3/4" solitary	Spring; Fall	High	Low	Wildflower Mix
<i>Teucrium canadense</i>	Wood Sage	●	Moderate	11	2 - 5'	Herbaceous perennial	Pink	Terminal cluster of small flowers on spike	Spring; Summer; Fall	High	Low	In masses; Moist areas; FACW-
<i>Vernonia blodgettii</i>	Blodgett's Ironweed	●	No	8	15 - 20"	perennial; herb	pink-lavender	Open branched clusters of 1/2" flowers	Summer; Fall	High	Low	BU = F; Wildflower mix; Moist sites; FACW-
<i>Xyris caroliniana</i>	a Yellow-eyed Grass		No	6	18 - 24"	perennial; Herb	white and yellow	Sparse on slender spikes to 2-2 1/2"	Summer; Fall	High	Acid Soils Medium	Moist sites; Wildflower Mix; Bog and Water Garden; FACW+

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LIST

FRESH WATER AQUATICS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Foliage Color	Flower Color	Flowering Characteristics	Light Requirements	Nutritional Requirements	Uses	Wildlife Values	Native Community
<i>Nelumbo</i> spp.	Lotus	Water surface to 3'	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	White; Pink; Yellow; Many cultivars	Summer, Fall; various sizes and colors	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds; many sizes including dwarf	undetermined	No
<i>Nelumbo lutea</i>	American Lotus	Water surface to 3'	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	4-5" on stalk above leaves in summer; showy seed pod	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds at 2-4' deep	AN = F	Yes, Not to Dade
<i>Nuphar lutea subsp. adzema</i>	Spatterdock	Water surface	Rooted rhizomatous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	1-1½" at water surface in warm months	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds at 3-9' deep	BI & AN = F & S	11
<i>Nymphaea</i> spp.	Hardy Water Lily	Water surface	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green; variegated	Red; Pink; Yellow; Orange; White	Summer, Fall; 4-6" at water surface	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds; many sizes, cultivars	undetermined	No
<i>Nymphaea</i> spp.	Tropical Water Lily	Water surface to 6"	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green; variegated	White; Pink; Blue; Yellow; Lavender	Summer, Fall; various sizes and colors	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds; day or night blooms; many sizes including dwarf	undetermined	No
<i>Nymphaea mexicana</i>	Yellow Water Lily	Water surface to 6"	Rooted rhizomatous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	4-6" diameter on stalk above water	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds at 1-6' deep	AN = F	No
<i>Nymphaea odorata</i>	Fragrant Water Lily	Water surface to 6"	Rooted rhizomatous perennial aquatic	Green	White	4-6" diameter on stalk above water	High	Medium	Emerges in water gardens & ponds at 1-6' deep	BI & AN = F & S	11
<i>Nymphoides aquatica</i>	Floating Heart; Banana Lily	Water surface	Floating rhizomatous perennial aquatic	Green	White	½-1" diameter in warm months	High	Slightly acidic water; Medium	Floating or rooted at 0-18"	AN = F & S	11
<i>Nymphoides crenata</i>	Yellow Snowflake	Water surface to 2"	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	Summer, Fall	High	Medium	Emerges in shallow area of water gardens	undetermined	No
<i>Nymphoides cristata</i>	White Snowflake	Water surface to 2"	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	White	Summer, Fall	High	Medium	Emerges in shallow area of water gardens	undetermined	No
<i>Nymphoides geminata</i>	Yellow Fringe	Water surface to 2"	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	Summer, Fall	High	Medium	Emerges in shallow area of water gardens	undetermined	No
<i>Nymphoides peltata</i>	Floating Heart	Water surface to 2"	Rooted tuberous perennial aquatic	Green	Yellow	Summer, Fall	High	Medium	Emerges in shallow area of water gardens	undetermined	No

NOTE: If a wetland, pond, or water garden is to be established, there are natural methods of establishing control of mosquito larvae. A tiny native "Mosquito Fish", *Gambusia affinis*, is one fish that is very effective. Metro-Dade Mosquito Control may be contacted, or local water garden specialists may be consulted. The following plants have been introduced into our native wetlands and are considered to be invasive. They should not be planted.□

<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>	Water Hyacinth	<i>Ipomoea aquatica</i>	Water Spinach
<i>Hydrilla verticillata</i>	Hydrilla	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	Eurasian Water-milfoil
<i>Hygrophila polysperma</i>	Green Hygro	<i>Pistia stratiotes</i>	Water Lettuce
<i>Hymenachne amplexicaulis</i>	West Indian Marsh Grass	<i>Trapa natans</i>	Water Chestnut

Lakes and wetlands are such an integral part of South Florida, that it is only a short extension of thought to consider ponds and water gardens as part of the urban landscape. However, it is outside of the purview of this manual to discuss the special projects of water gardens and ponds in detail. The following plant list offers a few suggestions of species that are often included in a sub-tropical pond or water garden. Some species grow in moist soil, others at the edge of a pond, and still others in shallow water areas. Local professionals are available to provide specific information.<sup>2</sup>

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FRESH WATER AQUATICS

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Some Plants for Ornamental Pond Edges, Bogs, & Shallow Water Gardens

Location in Manual	Scientific Name	Common Name		Location in Manual	Scientific Name	Common Name
Palms & Cycads	<i>Acoelorrhaphe wrightii</i>	Paurotis Palm		Low Herb	<i>Saururus cernuus</i>	Lizard's Tail
Palms & Cycads	<i>Roystonea elata</i>	Florida Royal Palm		Wildflowers	<i>Canna flaccida</i>	Yellow Canna
Trees	<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple		Wildflowers	<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i>	Tickseed
Trees	<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay Magnolia		Wildflowers	<i>Crinum americanum</i>	String Lily
Trees	<i>Persea borbonia</i> var. <i>borbonia</i>	Red Bay		Wildflowers	<i>Dichromena colorata</i>	a White-top Sedge
Trees	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Bald Cypress		Wildflowers	<i>Eriocaulon compressum</i>	a Pipewort
Tree/Shrubs	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Button Bush		Wildflowers	<i>Hydrolea corymbosa</i>	Sky Flower
Tree/Shrubs	<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle		Wildflowers	<i>Hymenocallis palmeri</i>	an Alligator Lily
Shrubs	<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>	Leather Fern		Not in Manual	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Cardinal Flower
Shrubs	<i>Cornus foemina</i>	Stiff Cornel Dogwood		Wildflowers	<i>Lobelia paludosa</i>	White Lobelia
Shrubs	<i>Hibiscus grandiflorus</i>	Swamp Hibiscus		Wildflowers	<i>Physostegia purpurea</i>	False Dragonhead
Shrubs	<i>Thalia geniculata</i>	Fire Flag		Wildflowers	<i>Pontedaria cordata</i> var. <i>lanceolata</i>	Pickerelweed
Sub-Shrubs	<i>Hypericum hypericoides</i>	St. Andrew's Cross		Wildflowers	<i>Rhexia cubensis</i>	a Meadow-beauty
Low Herb	<i>Alocasia cucullata</i>	Chinese Taro		Wildflowers	<i>Sagittaria lancifolia</i>	Arrowhead
Low Herb	<i>Bacopa monnieri</i>	Water Hyssop		Wildflowers	<i>Xyris caroliniana</i>	a Yellow-eyed Grass
Low Herb	<i>Hedychium coronarium</i>	Butterfly Ginger		Grasses/Sedges	<i>Cyperus alternifolius</i>	Umbrella Papyrus
Low Herb	<i>Iris hexagona</i>	Prairie Iris		Grasses/Sedges	<i>Cyperus haspans</i>	Dwarf Papyrus
Low Herb	<i>Ludwigia repens</i>	Water Primrose		Not in Manual	<i>Cyperus papyrus</i>	Giant Papyrus
Not in Manual	<i>Marsalia mutica</i>	Four Leaf Clover		Not in Manual	<i>Dulichium arundinaceum</i>	Dwarf Water Bamboo
Not in Manual	<i>Nasturtium officinale</i>	Water Cress		Not in Manual	<i>Equisetum hymale</i>	Horsetail Rush
Low Herb	<i>Orontium aquaticum</i>	Golden Club		Not in Manual	<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Softrush
Low Herb	<i>Osmunda regalis</i>	Royal Fern		Grasses,Sedges	<i>Rhynchospora divergens</i>	Low Beakrush
Low Herb	<i>Peltandra virginica</i>	Water Arum		Grasses,Sedges	<i>Rhychospora microcarpa</i>	Small-fruited Beakrush
Low Herb	<i>Polygonum hydropiperoides</i>	Smartweed		Grasses,Sedges	<i>Scirpus validus</i>	Soft-Stem Bulrush

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TURF GRASSES

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Mowing Height	Light Requirements	Establishment	Wear Tolerance	Turf Density	Turf Texture	Maintenance	Pest Problems	Not Lawn Suitable
<i>Axonopus affinis</i>	Carpet Grass		No	U	14"	1 - 2"	Medium	Seed, Sprigs	Poor	Medium	Coarse	Low	Low	n/a
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Bermuda Grass	◆	Yes	No	16"	0.5 - 1"	High	Seed, Sod Sprigs	Excellent	High	Fine	High	High	n/a
<i>Eremochloa ophiuroides</i>	Centipede Grass	●	No	No	4"	1.5 - 2" 0.125 - 4"	Medium	Seed, Sod, Sprigs	Poor	Medium	Medium	Low	Moderate	n/a
<i>Lolium multiflorum</i>	Italian Ryegrass	●	n/a	No	36"	1.5 - 2"	Medium	Seed	n/a	Medium	Medium	Moderate	High	Temporary
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Perennial Ryegrass	●	Moderate	No	24"	1.5 - 4"	Medium	Seed	n/a	Medium	Fine	Moderate	High	Temporary
<i>Paspalum notatum</i>	Bahia Grass	◆	No	No	20"	3 - 4"	High	Seed, Sod	Good	Low	Medium	Low	Low	n/a
<i>Stenotaphrum secundatum</i>	St. Augustinegrass	●	Yes	Yes, not to Dade	14"	2.5 - 3.5"	Medium-High	Sod, Sprigs, Plugs	Fair	Medium	Medium Coarse	Moderate	Moderate	n/a
<i>Zoysia japonica</i>	Zoysia Grass	◆	Moderate	No	9"	1-2"	Medium-High	Sod, Sprigs, Plugs	Excellent	High	Fine	Moderate	Moderate	n/a

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ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, RUSHES AND SEDGES  
FOR MODERATE TO DRY AREAS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Light Requirements	Establishment	Bloom Season	Texture	Uses
<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i> var. <i>pumilus</i>	a Bushy Beardgrass	◆	Yes	3; 8	2 - 4'; full, compact inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Seaside; Adaptable; Slopes; Open areas
<i>Andropogon longiberbis</i>	Sand Broom Sedge	◆	Moderate Yes	8	2 - 3'; widely branched inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	Slopes; Open areas
<i>Andropogon ternarius</i> var. <i>cabanisii</i>	Splitbeard Bluestem	◆	No	6; 8	3 - 4'; slim, 2 branched inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Slopes; Tolerates moisture; Swales; FACU
<i>Andropogon virginicus</i> var. <i>virginicus</i>	Virginia Broom Sedge	◆	No	8	2 - 3'; open, feathery inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Late Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Accent clumps; Slopes; Encroaches; FAC-
<i>Aristida stricta</i> ( <i>A. beyrichiana</i> )	Wiregrass; Pineland Three-Awn Grass	◆	No	6	2 - 3'; tall less feathery inflorescence than arrowfeather	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Fine	BI = F; Tolerates moisture; Dry open areas; FAC-
<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>ciliatifolia</i>	a Hair Sedge	◆	No Slight	6	8 - 12"; umbrel inflorescence	Annual	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	BI = F; Tolerates moisture; Filler; Open areas; FAC
<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>coactata</i>	a Hair Sedge	●	No Slight	5	8 - 10"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	Filler; Dry open areas; FAC
<i>Cortaderia selloana</i>	Pampas Grass	◆	Yes	No	6 - 8'; showy 12" feathery inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Coarse	Accent clump; Rock garden
<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i>	Lemon Grass	◆	No	No	2 - 4'; large compound flower panicle seldom occurs	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Seldom in Cultivation	Coarse	Beds; Accent clump; Culinary flavoring
<i>Cymbopogon nardus</i>	Citronella Grass	●	No	No	3 - 4'; large compound flower panicle	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Coarse	Beds; Accent clump; Essential oil
<i>Cyperus planifolius</i>	Galingale	●	Yes	4	2 - 3'; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	Medium, High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Coarse	BI = F; Slopes; Ground cover; FAC
<i>Cyperus tetragonus</i>	a Sedge	◆	Slight Moderate	4; 7; 9	2 - 3'; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	Medium, High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Slopes; Ground cover
<i>Dichanthelium commutatum</i> ( <i>Panicum</i> )	Variable Panicgrass	●	Moderate	4; 7; 9	6 - 10"; 1" sparse inflorescence	Perennial	Medium, High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	AN & BI = F; Ground cover in shade; Clumps; FAC
<i>Dichanthelium ensifolium</i> var. <i>uniciphyllum</i> ( <i>Panicum</i> )	a Panicgrass	◆	Slight Moderate	4; 8	6 - 10"; 1" sparse inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	AN & BI = F; Ground cover; Clumps; Dry open areas
<i>Dichanthelium ovale</i> ( <i>Panicum</i> )	a Panicgrass	◆	Moderate	4; 8	6 - 10"; 1" sparse inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	AN & BI = F; Ground cover; Clumps; Dry open areas; FACU
<i>Dichanthelium portoricense</i> ( <i>Panicum</i> )	a Panicgrass	◆	Moderate	4; 6	6 - 10"; 1" sparse inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	n/a	Fine	AN & BI = F; Ground cover; Clumps; Wet or dry sites; FACU
<i>Dichanthelium strigosum</i> var. <i>glabrescens</i> ( <i>Panicum</i> )	a Panicgrass	◆	Slight Moderate	8	6 - 10"; 1" sparse inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	AN & BI = F; Ground cover; Clumps; Dry open areas; FAC
<i>Eragrostis elliotii</i>	Elliott's Love Grass	◆	No Slight	6; 8	15 - 30"; diffuse fragile inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	Attractive bloom spike; Moist or dry accent clumps; FAC
<i>Eustachys petraea</i>	West Indian Finger Grass	◆	Moderate Yes	3; 8	2 - 4'; prominent 4" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	Seaside; Adaptable; Dry open area; FACU-
<i>Festuca ovina</i> var. <i>glauca</i>	Blue Fescue	●	Yes	No	10 - 12"; spike-like 2 - 4" inflorescence on tall stem	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer	Fine	Groundcover

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ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, RUSHES AND SEDGES  
FOR MODERATE TO DRY AREAS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Light Requirements	Establishment	Bloom Season	Texture	Uses
<i>Lasiacis divaricata</i>	Bamboo Grass	●	No	7; 9	9 - 12'; loosely flowered 4 - 8" inflorescence	Perennial	Medium	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Specimen; Bamboo-like
<i>Oplismenus setarius</i> ( <i>O. hirtellus</i> )	Woodsgrass	●	No Slight	7; 9	4 - 6'; short numerous inflorescences	Perennial	Low; Medium	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	Roots at nodes, good in shade; Edges; Ground cover; FAC
<i>Panicum amarulum</i> ( <i>P. amarum</i> south PA)	Bitter Panicum; Beach Grass	◆	Yes	3	3 - 6'; densely flowered 8" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Coarse	AN & BI = F; Seaside; Sand retention; FAC
<i>Paspalum blodgettii</i>	Coral Paspalum	◆	Moderate	8	2 - 3'; ascending numerous 2 - 3" inflorescences	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Alkaline Soil; Filler; Wildflower garden; FAC+
<i>Paspalum caespitosum</i>	Blue Paspalum	◆	No Slight	8	1 - 2'; numerous ascending 2" inflorescences	Perennial	Low, Medium	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Alkaline soil; Blue/green color; Filler; Wildflower garden; FAC
<i>Paspalum setaceum</i> var. <i>ciliatifolium</i>	Fringeleaf Paspalum	◆	Moderate Yes	6; 8	2 - 3'; numerous ascending 1/2" inflorescences	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	BI = F; Filler; Wildflower garden; FAC
<i>Paspalum vaginatum</i>	Knotgrass; Seashore Paspalum; Salt Jointgrass	◆	Yes	2; 3	18 - 30'; ascending numerous 2 - 3" inflorescences	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Fall	Medium	BI & AN = F & S Seaside; Sand stabilizer; Can be mowed; Moist or dry sites
<i>Pennisetum setaceum</i>	Fountain grass	◆	Moderate Yes	No	18 - 24'; 6" long rosy inflorescence on 3' stem	Perennial	High	Clumps; pots	Summer	Fine	Beds; Accent clump
<i>Schizachyrium gracile</i> ( <i>Andropogon gracile</i> )	Slender Beardgrass	◆	No	8	6 - 12'; inflorescence 4 - 6" long and feathery	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	n/a	Fine	Alkaline soil; Silver-White foliage; Dry open areas; With wildflowers; FAC
<i>Schizachyrium rhizomatum</i> ( <i>S. scoparium</i> ) ( <i>Andropogon</i> )	Florida Autumn Grass	●	Slight Moderate	8; 11	20 - 30"; inflorescence 1 - 2" raceme	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	n/a	Medium	Inland dry or moist sites; Open areas; Clumps; FAC
<i>Schizachyrium sanguineum</i> var. <i>sanguineum</i> ( <i>S. semiberbi</i> ) ( <i>Andropogon</i> )	West Indian Bluestem	◆	Slight Moderate	8	2 - 4'; inflorescence 4 - 6" long and feathery	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	n/a	Medium	Dry open areas; Rock gardens; With wildflowers; FAC
<i>Setaria geniculata</i> ( <i>S. parviflora</i> )	Knotroot Foxtail	◆	No Slight	8	1 - 2'; bottle brush-like 3" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	BI & AN = F; Accent clumps; Rock gardens; Borders; FAC
<i>Setaria macrosperma</i>	Coral Foxtail	◆	Yes	4	2 - 3'; bottle brush-like 4 - 5" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	Alkaline soils; Accent clumps; Rock gardens; borders; FAC
<i>Sorghastrum secundum</i>	Lop-sided Indiangrass	◆	No	6; 8	3 - 6'; slender 8 - 14" bearded inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	Dry open areas; With wildflowers; FACU-
<i>Spartina spartinae</i>	Gulf Cordgrass	●	Yes	2	3 - 6'; cylindrical 4 - 12" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Medium	AN = F; Soil stabilization; Seaside; Can be mowed as hay
<i>Sporobolus domingensis</i>	Coral Dropseed	◆	Yes	2	4 - 24"; slender compact 4 - 5" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	Coastal dunes; Accent rock gardens; Ground cover; FACU
<i>Sporobolus virginicus</i>	Seashore Dropseed	◆	Yes	2; 3	4 - 12"; slender compact 3 - 4" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Fine	BI & AN = F & S; Soil stabilization; Seaside; Forage; Moist or dry sites
<i>Tripsacum dactyloides</i>	Fakahatchee grass; Eastern Gamagrass	●	No	6; 7; 9; 10	6 - 8'; branched 4 - 8" inflorescence	Perennial	Medium; High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Fall	Coarse	BI = F; Accent clumps; Tolerates moist areas; Ground cover; FAC+

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LIST

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, RUSHES AND SEDGES  
FOR MODERATE TO DRY AREAS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Light Requirements	Establishment	Bloom Season	Texture	Uses
<i>Tripsacum floridanum</i>	Florida Gamagrass (Endangered)	◆	No Slight	8	8 - 12"; slender 3 - 5" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Accent clumps; Ground cover; FACU
<i>Uniola paniculata</i>	Sea Oats (protected)	◆	Yes	3	3 - 6"; showy 6" bearded inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Fine	BI = F; Specimen; Seaside; Sand retention; FACU

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COMPREHENSIVE PLANT LIST

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, RUSHES AND SEDGES  
FOR MODERATE/MOIST TO WET AREAS

Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Light Requirements	Establishment	Bloom Season	Texture	Uses
<i>Aristida purpurascens</i> var. <i>purpurascens</i>	Arrowfeather	●	No	6; 8	15 - 30"; tall, open inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	Slopes; Moist open areas; Tolerates dryness; FACW
<i>Cladium jamaicensis</i>	Sawgrass	●	Moderate	11	7 - 9"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Coarse	BI = F + S; Pots; Plugs persist through drought; Wet sites; Spiny leaves
<i>Cyperus alternifolius</i>	Umbrella Papyrus		No	No	4 - 5"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots	Summer	Coarse	Moist sites; Bog and water gardens
<i>Cyperus haspans</i>	Dwarf Papyrus		No	No	18 - 24"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots	Summer	Fine	Moist sites; Bog and water gardens
<i>Cyperus ligularis</i>	Silver Sedge	●	Yes	3	2 - 3"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Coarse	BI = F; Seaside; Slopes; Ground cover; FACW
<i>Distichlis spicata</i>	Saltgrass	●	Yes	2; 3	10 - 12"; inflorescence 2 - 4" on stalk	Perennial Dioecious	High	Pots, Plugs	Late summer, Fall	Fine	BI = F; Swales; Moist to moderate areas; Seaside; Sand stabilizer forms dense mats
<i>Eleocharis cellulosa</i>	a Spike Rush		Moderate	11	1 - 2"; numerous small spike-like terminal inflorescences	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Fine	Coastal and inland wet sites
<i>Eleocharis geniculata</i>	a Spike Rush		Moderate	Yes 11	8 - 12"; numerous small spike-like terminal inflorescences	Annual	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Fine	Coastal and inland wet sites
<i>Eleocharis interstincta</i>	Knotted Spike Rush		Moderate	11	36 - 40"; numerous small spike-like terminal inflorescences	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer	Medium	Inland and coastal wet sites
<i>Eustachys glauca</i>	a Finger grass		Yes	2	3 - 5"; prominent; 4" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	BI = F; Coastal wet sites; Ground cover; FACW
<i>Fimbristylis castanea</i> (F. <i>spadicea</i> )	Chestnut Sedge		Yes	2	15 - 30"; umbrel inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	Coastal marshes; Ground cover
<i>Juncus megacephalus</i>	Large-headed Rush		Moderate	11	2 - 3"; large tufted floral bracts	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer	Fine	Inland wet sites; Swales
<i>Juncus roemerianus</i>	Black Rush; Needle Rush		Yes	2	3 - 4"; lateral inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	BI = F; Coastal marshes; Blackish color to blades
<i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i> var. <i>filipes</i>	Muhly Grass; Hairgrass	●	Moderate	Yes 3; 6; 11	2 - 3"; long open branched inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	Wet or dry sites; Very adaptable; Tolerates poor soil
<i>Panicum hemitomon</i>	Maidencane		No	11	1 - 3"; inflorescence 4 - 5" erect raceme	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	BI & AN = F; Aquatic grass; Cover for spawning fish; Encroaches
<i>Panicum rigidulum</i>	Red-top Panicum		No	11	1 - 3"; reddish feathery tall inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	BI & AN = F; Inland wet sites; Accent clumps; Swales; FACW
<i>Panicum tenerum</i>	Bluejoint Panicum		No	11	2 - 3"; slender; 4 - 6" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	AN & BI = F; Pond margins
<i>Paepalum monostachyum</i>	Gulfdune Paspalum		No	11	20 - 24"; narrow 4 - 10" inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	n/a	Fine	BI = F; Inland wet sites
<i>Rhynchospora divergens</i>	Low Beakrush		No Slight	6; 11	8 - 12"; flat-topped; 1" spikelets	Short-lived Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Fine	Inland wet sites; Pond margins; Swales

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ORNAMENTAL GRASSES, RUSHES AND SEDGES  
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Scientific Name	Common Name	Drought Tolerance	Salt Tolerance	Native Community	Natural Height Range	Plant Type	Light Requirements	Establishment	Bloom Season	Texture	Uses
<i>Rhynchospora microcarpa</i>	Small-fruited Beakrush		No	11	2 - 3'; flat-topped; 1" spikelets	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Summer; Fall	Fine	Inland wet sites; Pond margins; FACW+
<i>Scirpus validus</i> ( <i>S. tabernaemontani</i> )	Soft-Stem Bulrush		Slight Moderate	11	2 - 4'; large round inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Year round	Medium	BI = F; Aquatic rush in clumps
<i>Scleria triglomerata</i>	Tall Nutgrass		No Slight	7	18 - 36"; insignificant inflorescence	Perennial	Medium	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Medium	Moist; Semi-shade; Edges; Accent; FACW
<i>Spartina bakeri</i>	Sand Cordgrass	●	Moderate Yes	3; 11	3 - 6'; slender 4 - 5" spiked inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Fall; Winter; Spring	Fine	BI = F; Aquatic grass; Tolerates dry period; FACW
<i>Spartina patens</i>	Marsh Hay; Saltmeadow Cordgrass	●	Yes	2; 3	24 - 30"; slender; 3 - 4" spiked purple inflorescence	Perennial	High	Pots, Plugs	Spring; Summer; Fall	Fine	AN = F; Soil stabilization; Seaside; Can be mowed as hay; Tolerates dry period; FACW

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SUGGESTED CANOPY STREET TREES

<sup>177</sup>Scientific Name Common Name Comments Scientific Name Common Name Comments *Araucaria heterophylla* Norfolk Island Pine Large Medians *Coccoloba uvifera* Seagrape Male individuals only; Native *Bucida buceras* Black Olive Not in parking areas or over sidewalks -

<i>Bucida buceras</i>	Black Olive	Not in parking areas or over sidewalks - medians only	<i>Colvillea racemosa</i>	Colville's Glory	showy flowers; deciduous
<i>Bulnesia arborea</i>	Bulnesia	Showy flowers	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>	Green Buttonwood	Shade; sturdy native
<i>Bursera simaruba</i>	Gumbo Limbo	Semi-deciduous; Native; Best in clusters; Best started from seed	<i>Delonix regia</i>	Royal Poinciana	Semi-deciduous; brittle; showy flowers
<i>Butea monosperma</i>	Flame of the Forest	Showy flowers; Deciduous	<i>Dipholis salicifolium</i>	Willow Busic	Shade; sturdy native
<i>Caesalpinia granadillo</i>	Bridalveil	Evergreen; Showy yellow flowers	<i>Guapira discolor</i>	Blolly	Showy red fruit; sturdy native
<i>Cananga odorata</i>	Ylang Ylang	Very fragrant flowers	<i>Harpullia arborea</i>	Tulipwood	Showy fruit; slow growing
<i>Cassia fistula</i>	Golden Shower	Deciduous; showy flowers; No more than 20' apart	<i>Ilex cassine</i>	Dahoon Holly	20' spacing; not for rocky conditions; Native
<i>Cassia grandis</i>	Coral Cassia	Showy flowers; Deciduous	<i>Jacaranda mimosifolia</i>	Jacaranda	Showy flowers; brittle; deciduous
<i>Cassia javanica</i>	Apple Blossom Shower	Showy flowers; Deciduous	<i>Lagerostroemia speciosa</i>	Queen's Crape Myrtle	Showy flowers; deciduous
<i>Cassia roxburghii</i>	Ceylon senna	Pink showy flowers	<i>Lonchocarpus violaceus</i>	Lancepod	Showy flowers
<i>Chrysophyllum oliviforme</i>	Satin Leaf	Slow growing; 20' spacing; native	<i>Lysiloma latisiliqua</i>	Wild Tamarind	Semi-deciduous; sturdy native
<i>Clusia rosea</i>	Pitch Apple	Slow growing plant, No more than 25' apart	<i>Nectandra coriacea</i>	Lancewood	Shade; Sturdy native
<i>Coccoloba diversifolia</i>	Pigeon Plum	No more than 20' apart; small native	<i>Peltophorum pterocarpum</i>	Copperpod	Showy flowers

<i>Piscidia piscipula</i>	Jamaica Dogwood	Showy flowers; Deciduous; sturdy native	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	Live Oak	Shade; Sturdy native
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<i>Podocarpus gracilior</i>	Weeping Podocarpus	No more than 20' apart	<i>Simarouba glauca</i>	Paradise Tree	Showy new growth; Sturdy native
<i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i>	Yew Podocarpus	No more than 20' apart	<i>Swietenia mahagoni</i>	Mahogany	Shade; Sturdy native
<i>Podocarpus nagi</i>	Nagi Podocarpus	No more than 20' apart	<i>Tabebuia heterophylla</i>	Pink Trumpet tree	Showy flowers; No more than 20' apart
<i>Prunus myrtifolia</i>	West Indian Cherry	Shade, Sturdy native	<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Pond Cypress	Tolerates urban conditions; Deciduous
<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>	Laurel Oak	Only deep sandy soils	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Bald Cypress	Tolerates urban conditions; Deciduous

**The following trees could be used as street trees only on moist or wet sites**

<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple	Color in spring and fall; Deciduous	<i>Persea borbonia</i>	Red Bay	Evergreen; Reddish-brown furrowed bark
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweet Bay Magnolia	large aromatic flowers	<i>Persea palustris</i>	Swamp Bay	Evergreen; Pubescent leaves

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Note: Street trees shall be a minimum of 12' height, 2" dbh and 4' of clear trunk at time of planting.

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SOME PLANTS THAT TOLERATE BEING SHEARED AS A FORMAL HEDGE

	Scientific Name	Common Name
1.	<i>Acalypha hispida</i>	Chenille Plant
2.	<i>Acalypha wilkesiana</i>	Copper Leaf
3.	<i>Ardisia escallonioides</i>	Marlberry
4.	<i>Breynia disticha</i>	Snowbush
5.	<i>Calliandra haematocephala</i>	Red Powderpuff
6.	<i>Calypthranthes pallens</i>	Spicewood
7.	<i>Carissa macrocarpa</i>	Natal Plum
8.	<i>Casasia clusiifolia</i>	Seven Year Apple
9.	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Buttonbush
10.	<i>Cestrum nocturnum</i>	Night-Blooming Jasmine
11.	<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> var. <i>pellocarpas</i>	Cocoplum
12.	<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>	Seagrape
13.	<i>Cocculus laurifolius</i>	Snail Seed
14.	<i>Codiaeum variegatum</i>	Croton
15.	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>	Green Buttonwood
16.	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i> var. <i>sericeus</i>	Silver Buttonwood
17.	<i>Duranta repens</i>	Golden Dewdrop
18.	<i>Elaeagnus pungens</i>	Silverthorn
19.	<i>Erithalis fruticosa</i>	Black Torch
20.	<i>Eugenia axillaris</i>	White Stopper
21.	<i>Eugenia confusa</i>	Redberry Stopper
22.	<i>Eugenia foetida</i>	Spanish Stropper
23.	<i>Eugenia rhombea</i>	Red Stopper
24.	<i>Galphimia gracilis</i>	Thryallis

	Scientific Name	Common Name
25.	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Hibiscus
26.	<i>Ilex krugiana</i>	Tawnyberry Holly; Krug's Holly
27.	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>	Yaupon Holly
28.	<i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i>	Texas Sage
29.	<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>	Staggerbush
30.	<i>Myrcianthes fragrans</i> var. <i>fragrans</i>	Twinberry
31.	<i>Myrcianthes fragrans</i> var. <i>simpsonii</i>	Simpson Stopper
32.	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>	Myrsine
33.	<i>Nerium oleander</i>	Oleander
34.	<i>Pittosporum tobira</i>	Pittosporum
35.	<i>Plumbago auriculata</i>	Plumbago
36.	<i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i>	Yew Podocarpus
37.	<i>Polyscias</i> spp.	Aralia
38.	<i>Randia aculeata</i>	White Indigo Berry
39.	<i>Schefflera arboricola</i>	Dwarf Schefflera
40.	<i>Severinia buxifolia</i>	Boxthorn
41.	<i>Suriana maritima</i>	Bay Cedar
42.	<i>Tabernaemontana divaricata</i>	Crape Jasmine
43.	<i>Tecoma stans</i>	Yellow Elder
44.	<i>Tecomaria capensis</i>	Cape Honeysuckle
45.	<i>Viburnum suspensum</i>	Sandankwa Viburnum
46.	<i>Westringia rosmariniformis</i>	Victorian Rosemary
47.	<i>Ximenia americana</i>	Tallowood; Hog Plum

## Palms Subject to Lethal Yellowing Disease

(PLEASE REFER TO SECTION "GUIDELINES TO PLANT LISTINGS", ITEM#9)

These palm species are identified as hosts of lethal yellowing disease in South Florida as of 1998. For many reasons a statement of relative susceptibility to lethal yellowing disease is a difficult evaluation to make.<sup>1</sup> To date, no case of lethal yellowing has been reported in palm species native to Florida, Cuba, Jamaica, Hispaniola, or Yucatan, Mexico.

	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Relative Susceptibility</u>
1.	<i>Alphanes lindeniana</i>	-----	Caribbean	***
2.	<i>Allagoptera arenaria</i>	Seashore Palm	Brazil	***
3.	<i>Arenga engleri</i>	Englers Palm	Formosa	***
4.	<i>Borassus flabellifer</i>	Palmyra Palm	India, Malaya	Moderate
5.	<i>Caryota mitis</i>	Clustering Fishtail Palm	India, Malaya	Moderate/High
6.	<i>Caryota rumphiana</i>	Giant Fishtail Palm	India, Malaya, Philippine Islands	***
7.	<i>Chelyocarpus chuco</i>	-----	Brazil	***
8.	<i>Chrysalidocarpus cabadae</i>	Cabada Palm	Madagascar	***
9.	<i>Cocos nucifera</i> L. ('Jamaica Tall')*	Coconut Palm	W. Pacific, Melanesia	See Footnote
10.	<i>Corypha elata</i>	Gebang Palm	India, Burma	***
11.	<i>Cryosophila albita</i>	Rootspine Palm	W. Pacific	***
12.	<i>Cyphophoenix nucele</i>	-----	Central America	***
13.	<i>Dictyosperma album</i>	Hurricane Palm; Princess Palm	Mascarene Islands, Madagascar	Moderate
14.	<i>Gaussia attenuata</i>	Puerto Rican Guassia Palm	Puerto Rico	***
15.	<i>Howea belmoreana</i>	Belmore Sentry Palm	Lord Howe Island	***
16.	<i>Hyophorbe verschaffeltii</i>	Spindle Palm	Mascarene Islands, Madagascar	Slight/Moderate
17.	<i>Latania spp.</i>	Latan Palm	Mascarene Islands, Madagascar	Moderate
18.	<i>Livistona chinensis</i>	Chinese Fan Palm	Central China	Moderate
19.	<i>Livistona rotundifolia</i>	Footstool Palm	Philippine Islands	***
20.	<i>Nannorrhops ritchiana</i>	Mazari Palm	Afghanistan, Middle East, India	***
21.	<i>Neodypsis decaryi</i>	Triangle Palm	Magadascar	Slight
22.	<i>Phoenix canariensis</i>	Canary Island Date Palm	Canary Islands	Moderate
23.	<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i> *	True Date Palm	Middle East, N. Africa	Moderate/High
24.	<i>Phoenix reclinata</i>	Senegal Date Palm	Tropical Africa	Low
25.	<i>Phoenix rupicola</i>	Cliff Date Palm	India	***

<sup>1</sup>List supplied by: Nigel A. Harrison, Ph. D., Assoc. Professor, Diseases of Tropical Ornamentals, Ft. Lauderdale Research & Education Center, U. of FL.

\* When certified and numbered, plants of the hybrid cultivars 'Maypan', 'Yellow Malayan Dwarf', 'Red or Golden Malayan Dwarf', 'Fiji Dwarf', 'Red Spicata Dwarf', and 'Ceylon King', have good resistance to lethal yellowing disease. The certification guarantees that the pollination of the flowers is controlled to maintain disease resistance.

\*\*\* Lethal yellowing disease has been documented in this species, but too few palms were sampled to assign a relative susceptibility.

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	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Relative Susceptibility</u>
26.	<i>Phoenix sylvestris</i>	Toddy (Wild Date) Palm	India	***
27.	<i>Pritchardia affinis</i>	Kona (Loulu) Palm	Fiji Islands, Pacific, Hawaii	High
28.	<i>Pritchardia pacifica</i>	Fiji Fan Palm	Hawaii, Fiji Islands, Tonga	High
29.	<i>Pritchardia remota</i>	-----	S. Pacific, Hawaii	High
30.	<i>Pritchardia thurstonii</i>	Thurston Fan Palm	Fiji Islands, W. Pacific	High
31.	<i>Ravenea hildebrandtii</i>	Hildebrand's Palm	Comores Islands, Madagascar	***
32.	<i>Syragrus schizophylla</i>	Arikury Palm	Brazil	Moderate
33.	<i>Trachycarpus fortunei</i>	Chinese Windmill Palm	Cent., E. China	Moderate
34.	<i>Veitchia arecina</i>	Arecina Palm	New Caledonia	***
35.	<i>Veitchia macdanielsii</i>	Sunshine Palm	New Caledonia	***
36.	<i>Veitchia merrillii</i>	Christmas (Manilla or Adonidia) Palm	Philippine Islands	High
37.	<i>Veitchia montgomeryana</i>	Montgomery's Palm	W. Pacific, Vanatu	Low
38.	<i>Pandanus utilis (not a palm)</i>	Screwpine	South Pacific	***

\*Cultivars 'Deglet Noor', 'Zahidi', 'Thoory', 'Medjool', 'Halaway' have individually been rated for lethal yellowing disease. All are susceptible.

SOME SUGGESTED SMALL TREES & PALMS FOR PLANTING ADJACENT TO POWER LINES

PALMS 5-10'		SHRUBS - SMALL TREES 10-15'		PALMS 10-15'		SHRUBS - TREES 15-20'		Palms 15-20'	
<i>Chamaedorea cataractarum</i>	Cat Palm	<i>Acacia farnesiana</i>	Sweet Acacia	<i>Chamaedorea seifrizii</i>	Bamboo Palm	<i>Bumelia celastrina</i>	Saffron Plum	<i>Chrysalidocarpus lutescens</i>	Areca Palm
<i>Chamaerops humilis</i>	European Fan Palm	<i>Amyris elemifera</i>	Torchwood	<i>Coccothrinax argentata</i>	Silver Palm	<i>Byrsonima lucida</i>	Locustberry	<i>Coccothrinax crinita</i>	Old Man Palm
<i>Licuala grandis</i>	Licuala Palm	<i>Bixa orellana</i>	Annatto	<i>Hyophorbe lagenicaulis</i>	Bottle Palm	<i>Callistemon viminalis</i>	Weeping Bottlebrush	<i>Coccothrinax miraguama</i>	Miraguama Palm
<i>Rhapidophyllum hystrix</i>	Needle Palm	<i>Caesalpinia pulcherrima</i>	Pride of Barbados	<i>Licuala spinosa</i>	Spiny Licuala Palm	<i>Capparis flexuosa</i>	Limber Caper	<i>Copernicia macroglossa</i>	Cuban Petticoat Palm
<i>Rhapis excelsa</i>	Lady Palm	<i>Calyptanthus pallens</i>	Spicewood	<i>Phoenix roebelinii</i>	Pygmy Date Palm	<i>Cassia surattensis</i>	Glaucus Cassia	<i>Hyophorbe verschaffeltii</i>	Spindle Palm
<i>Sabal minor</i>	Dwarf Palmetto	<i>Capparis cynophallophora</i>	Jamaica Caper	<i>Pseudophoenix sargentii</i>	Buccaneer Palm	<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i>	Cocoplum	<i>Syagrus schizophylla</i>	Arikury Palm
<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto	<i>Cordia boissieri</i>	White Geiger			<i>Citrus spp.</i>	Various citrus, except grapefruit	<i>Thrinax morrisii</i>	Key Thatch Palm
		<i>Forestiera segregata</i>	Florida Privet			<i>Conocarpus erectus</i> var. <i>sericeus</i>	Silver Buttonwood	<i>Thrinax radiata</i>	Florida Thatch Palm
		<i>Hamelia patens</i>	Firebush			<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i>	Loquat		
SHRUB/TREE 5-10'		<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Hibiscus 'standards'			<i>Erithalis fruticosa</i>	Black Torch		
<i>Codiaeum variegatum</i>	Croton	<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>	Henna			<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Coral Bean		
<i>Forestiera segregata</i> var. <i>pinetorum</i>	Pineland Privet	<i>Pithecellobium guadalupense</i>	Blackbead			<i>Eugenia axillaris</i>	White Stopper		
<i>Jatropha integerrima</i>	Peregrina	<i>Psidium longipes</i> var. <i>longipes</i>	Long-Stalked Stopper			<i>Eugenia confusa</i>	Redberry Stopper		
<i>Savia bahamensis</i>	Maidenbush	<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i>	Southern Elderberry			<i>Eugenia foetida</i>	Spanish Stopper		
		<i>Senna polyphylla</i>	Desert Senna			<i>Eugenia rhombea</i>	Red Stopper		
		<i>Tetrazygia bicolor</i>	Tetrazygia			<i>Guaiacum sanctum</i>	Lignum Vitae		
						<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>	Crape Myrtle		
						<i>Manilkara bahamensis</i>	Wild Dilly		
						<i>Myrciaria caulifolia</i>	Jaboticaba		
						<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle		
						<i>Myrsianthes fragrans</i>	Twinberry		
						<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>	Myrsine		
						<i>Picramnia pentandra</i>	Bitterbush		
						<i>Plumeria rubra</i>	Frangipani		
						<i>Quercus myrtifolia</i>	Myrtle Oak		
						<i>Rhus copalina</i>	Winged Sumac		
						<i>Tecoma stans</i>	Yellow Elder		

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### FAC UPLAND (FACU)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto	Palm
2.	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	Live Oak	Tree
3.	<i>Forestiera segregata</i>	Florida Privet	Tree/Shrub
4.	<i>Suriana maritima</i>	Bay Cedar	Shrub
5.	<i>Asimina reticulata</i>	Pawpaw	Sub-Shrub
6.	<i>Vaccinium myrsinites</i>	Shiny Blueberry	Sub-Shrub
7.	<i>Adiantum capillus-veneris</i>	Venus Hair Fern	Low Herb
8.	<i>Caesalpinia bonduc</i>	Gray Nicker Bean	Vine
9.	<i>Chamaecrista deeringiana</i>	Deering's Partridge Pea	Wildflower
10.	<i>Crotalaria rotundifolia</i> var. <i>rotundifolia</i>	Rabbit Bells	Wildflower
11.	<i>Liatris gracilis</i>	a Blazing Star	Wildflower
12.	<i>Portulaca pilosa</i>	Pink Purslane	Wildflower
13.	<i>Stachytarpheta jamaicensis</i>	Dwarf Blue Porterweed	Wildflower
14.	<i>Andropogon ternarius</i> var. <i>cabanisii</i>	Splitbeard Bluestem	Grass/Sedge
15.	<i>Dichanthelium (Panicum) ovale</i>	a Panicgrass	Grass/Sedge
16.	<i>Dichanthelium (Panicum) portoricense</i>	a Panicgrass	Grass/Sedge
17.	<i>Sporobolus domingensis</i>	Coral Dropseed	Grass/Sedge
18.	<i>Uniola paniculata</i>	Sea Oats	Grass/Sedge

### FAC UPLAND MINUS (FACU-)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Sapindus saponaria</i>	Soapberry	Tree
2.	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	American Beauty Berry	Shrub
3.	<i>Polypremum procumbens</i>	Rustweed	Low Herb
4.	<i>Heterotheca subaxillaris</i>	Camphor Weed	Wildflower

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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
5.	<i>Opuntia stricta</i>	Prickly Pear	Wildflower
6.	<i>Eustachys petraea</i>	Finger Grass	Grass/Sedge
7.	<i>Sorghastrum secundum</i>	Lop-sided Indiangrass	Grass/Sedge

### FAC PLUS (FAC+)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle	Tree/Shrub
2.	<i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i>	a Sword Fern	Low Herb
3.	<i>Ampelopsis arborea</i>	Pepper Vine	Vine
4.	<i>Aletris bracteata</i>	White Colic Root	Wildflower
5.	<i>Cirsium horridulum</i>	Purple Thistle	Wildflower
6.	<i>Erigeron quercifolium</i>	Fleabane	Wildflower
7.	<i>Paspalum blodgettii</i>	Coral Paspalum	Grass/Sedge
8.	<i>Tripsacum dactyloides</i>	Fakahatchee Grass; Eastern Gamagrass	Grass/Sedge

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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Cabbage Palm	Palm
2.	<i>Thrinax radiata</i>	Florida Thatch Palm	Palm
3.	<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>	Seagrape	Tree
4.	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon	Tree
5.	<i>Ficus aurea</i>	Strangler Fig	Tree
6.	<i>Ficus citrifolia</i>	Shortleaf Fig	Tree
7.	<i>Guapira longifolia</i>	Longleaf Blolly	Tree

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	Scientific Name		Common Name
			Plant Type
8.	<i>Morus rubra</i>		Red Mulberry Tree
9.	<i>Pinus elliotii var. densa</i>		South Florida Slash Pine Tree
10.	<i>Ardisia escallanioides</i>		Marlberry Tree/Shrub
11.	<i>Bumelia celastrinum</i>		Saffron Plum Tree/Shrub
12.	<i>Byrsonima lucida</i>		Locustberry Tree/Shrub
13.	<i>Maytenus phyllanthoides</i>		Florida Mayten Tree/Shrub
14.	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>		Myrsine; Rapanea Tree/Shrub
15.	<i>Pithecellobium guadelupense</i>		Blackbead Tree/Shrub
16.	<i>Pithecellobium unguis-cati</i>		Cat's Claw Tree/Shrub
17.	<i>Randia aculeata</i>		White Indigo Berry Tree/Shrub
18.	<i>Tetrazygia bicolor</i>		Tetrazygia Tree/Shrub
19.	<i>Trema lamarchianum</i>		West Indies Trema Tree/Shrub
20.	<i>Trema micranthum</i>		Florida Trema Tree/Shrub
21.	<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>		a Salt Bush Shrub
22.	<i>Chiococca alba</i>		Snowberry Shrub
23.	<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>		Staggerbush Shrub
24.	<i>Nephrolepis biserrata</i>		a Sword Fern Shrub-like
25.	<i>Psychotria ligustrifolia</i>		Bahama Wild Coffee Shrub
26.	<i>Psychotria nervosa</i>		Shiny-leaf Wild Coffee Shrub
27.	<i>Psychotria sulzneri</i>		Soft-leaf Wild Coffee Shrub
28.	<i>Hypericum hypericoides</i>		St. Andrew's Cross Sub-Shrub
29.	<i>Adiantum tenerum</i>		a Maidenhair Fern Low Herb
30.	<i>Ipomoea pes-caprae</i> <i>subsp. brasiliensis</i>		Railroad Vine Low Herb
31.	<i>Lachnanthes caroliniana</i>		Redroot Low Herb

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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
32.	<i>Lippia (Phyla) nodiflora</i>	Creeping Charlie; Matchweed; Frog Fruit	Low Herb
33.	<i>Morinda royoc</i>	Cheese Plant; Indian Mulberry	Vine
34.	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	Virginia Creeper	Vine
35.	<i>Vitis rotundifolia</i>	Muscadine Grape	Vine
36.	<i>Aster dumosus</i>	Bush Aster	Wildflower
38.	<i>Buchnera americana</i>	Bluehearts	Wildflower
39.	<i>Dyschoriste angusta</i>	Dwarf Blue Twinflower	Wildflower
40.	<i>Eupatorium coelestinum</i>	Blue Mistflower	Wildflower
41.	<i>Helianthus debilis</i> subsp. <i>debilis</i>	East Coast Beach Sunflower	Wildflower
42.	<i>Heliotropium polyphyllum</i>	a Heliotrope	Wildflower
43.	<i>Neptunia pubescens</i>	Small-headed Yellow-Puff	Wildflower
44.	<i>Physalis angulata</i>	a Ground Cherry	Wildflower
45.	<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>caroliniana</i>	Hairy Piriqueta	Wildflower
46.	<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>glabra</i>	a Piriqueta	Wildflower
47.	<i>Pityopsis graminifolia</i>	Golden Aster; Silkgrass	Wildflower
48.	<i>Stillingia sylvatica</i> subsp. <i>tenuis</i>	Queen's Delight	Wildflower
49.	<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>ciliatifolia</i>	a Hair Sedge	Grass/Sedge
50.	<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>coactata</i>	a Hair Sedge	Grass/Sedge
51.	<i>Cyperus planifolius</i>	Galinpale	Grass/Sedge
52.	<i>Dichanthelium (Panicum) commutatum</i>	Variable Panicgrass	Grass/Sedge
53.	<i>Dichanthelium (Panicum) strigosum</i> var. <i>glabrescens</i>	a Panicgrass	Grass/Sedge
54.	<i>Eragrostis elliotii</i>	Elliott's Love Grass	Grass/Sedge
55.	<i>Oplismenus setarius</i>	Woodsgrass	Grass/Sedge

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56.	<i>Panicum amarulum</i> ( <i>P. amarum</i> south PA)	Bitter Panicum; Beach Grass	Grass/Sedge
57.	<i>Paspalum caespitosum</i>	Blue Paspalum	Grass/Sedge
58.	<i>Paspalum setaceum</i> var. <i>ciliatifolium</i>	Fringeleaf Paspalum	Grass/Sedge
59.	<i>Schizachyrium</i> ( <i>Andropogon</i> ) <i>gracile</i>	Slender Beardgrass	Grass/Sedge
60.	<i>Schizachyrium</i> ( <i>Andropogon</i> ) <i>rhizomatum</i>	Florida Autumn Grass	Grass/Sedge
61.	<i>Schizachyrium</i> ( <i>Andropogon</i> ) <i>sanguineum</i> var. <i>sanguineum</i> ( <i>S. semiberbi</i> )	West Indian Bluestem	Grass/Sedge
62.	<i>Setaria geniculata</i>	Knotroot Foxtail	Grass/Sedge
63.	<i>Setaria macrosperma</i>	Coral Foxtail	Grass/Sedge

### FAC MINUS (FAC-)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Befaria racemosa</i>	Tarflower	Shrub
2.	<i>Canavalia maritima</i>	Beach Bean	Vine
3.	<i>Iresine diffusa</i>	Bloodleaf	Wildflower
4.	<i>Andropogon virginicus</i> var. <i>virginicus</i>	Virginia Broom Sedge	Grass/Sedge
5.	<i>Aristida stricta</i>	Wiregrass; Pineland Three- Awn Grass	Grass/Sedge

### FACW PLUS (FACW+)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>	Green Buttonwood	Tree

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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
2.	<i>Blechnum serrulatum</i>	Swamp Fern	Low Herb
3.	<i>Blutaparon vermiculare</i>	Samphire; Beach Carpet	Low Herb
4.	<i>Mikania scandens</i>	Climbing Hempvine	Vine
5.	<i>Rhabdadenia biflora</i>	Rubber Vine	Vine
6.	<i>Dichromena (Rhynchospora) floridensis</i>	Florida White-top Sedge	Wildflower
7.	<i>Eustoma exaltatum</i>	Seaside Gentian	Wildflower
8.	<i>Xyris caroliniana</i>	a Yellow-eyed Grass	Wildflower

### FACW

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Roystonea elata</i>	Florida Royal Palm	Palm
2.	<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple	Tree
3.	<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	Hackberry	Tree
4.	<i>Persea borbonia</i> var. <i>borbonia</i>	Red Bay	Tree
5.	<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> var. <i>pellocarpus</i>	Red-tip or Green-tip Cocoplum	Tree/Shrub
6.	<i>Conocarpus erectus</i> var. <i>sericea</i>	Silver Buttonwood	Tree/Shrub
7.	<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Gallberry	Shrub
8.	<i>Lyonia lucida</i>	Shiny Lyonia	Shrub
9.	<i>Capraria biflora</i>	Goatweed	Sub-Shrub
10.	<i>Hypericum cistifolium</i>	a St. John's Wort	Sub-Shrub
11.	<i>Iva imbricata</i>	Beach Elder	Sub-Shrub
12.	<i>Centella asiatica</i>	Coinwort	Low Herb
13.	<i>Hydrocotyle bonariensis</i>	Marsh Pennywort	Low Herb
14.	<i>Hydrocotyle umbellata</i>	Water Pennywort	Low Herb
15.	<i>Mecardonia acuminata</i>	Purple Mecardonia	Low Herb

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	Scientific Name	FACW Common Name	Plant Type
16.	<i>Pilea microphylla</i>	Artillery Plant	Low Herb
17.	<i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i>	Sea Purslane	Low Herb
18.	<i>Thelypteris kunthii</i>	Southern Shield Fern	Low Herb
19.	<i>Thelypteris ovata</i>	a Wood Fern	Low Herb
20.	<i>Thelypteris palustris</i> var. <i>pubescens</i>	Marsh Fern	Low Herb
21.	<i>Ipomoea sagittata</i>	Glades Morning Glory	Vine
22.	<i>Urechites lutea</i> var. <i>lutea</i>	Wild Allamanda	Vine
23.	<i>Arnoglossum ovatum</i>	Indian Plantain	Wildflower
24.	<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i>	Coreopsis; Tickseed	Wildflower
25.	<i>Dichromena (Rhynchospora) colorata</i>	A White-top Sedge	Wildflower
26.	<i>Evolvulus sericeus</i>	Hairy Evolvulus	Wildflower
27.	<i>Flaveria linearis</i>	Yellow Top	Wildflower
28.	<i>Helenium pinnatifidum</i>	Everglades Daisy	Wildflower
29.	<i>Hyptis alata</i>	Buttermint; Musky Mist	Wildflower
30.	<i>Lobelia paludosa</i>	White Lobelia	Wildflower
31.	<i>Ludwigia maritima</i>	Pineland Ludwigia	Wildflower
32.	<i>Melanthera nivea</i>	Narrow-leaf Cat-Tongue	Wildflower
33.	<i>Physostegia purpurea</i>	False Dragonhead	Wildflower
34.	<i>Pluchea odorata</i>	Salt Meadow Fleabane	Wildflower
35.	<i>Pluchea rosea</i>	Rosy Fleabane	Wildflower
36.	<i>Polygala grandiflora</i>	Candyweed	Wildflower
38.	<i>Rhexia cubensis</i>	a Meadow-beauty	Wildflower
39.	<i>Sisyrinchium atlanticum</i>	a Blue-Eyed Grass	Wildflower
40.	<i>Solidago gigantea (S. leavenworthii)</i>	Leavenworth's Goldenrod	Wildflower
41.	<i>Solidago sempervirens</i>	Seaside Goldenrod	Wildflower
42.	<i>Solidago stricta</i>	Willow-leaf Goldenrod	Wildflower

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43.	<i>Aristida purpurascens</i> var. <i>purpurascens</i>	Arrowfeather	Grass/Sedge
44.	<i>Cyperus ligularis</i>	Silver Sedge	Grass/Sedge
45.	<i>Eustachys glauca</i>	a Finger Grass	Grass/Sedge
46.	<i>Panicum rigidulum</i>	Red-top Panicum	Grass/Sedge
47.	<i>Scleria triglomerata</i>	Tall Nutgrass	Grass/Sedge
48.	<i>Spartina bakeri</i>	Sand Cordgrass	Grass/Sedge
49.	<i>Spartina patens</i>	Marsh Hay; Saltmeadow Cordgrass	Grass/Sedge

### FACW MINUS (FACW-)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Plant Type
1.	<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i> ( <i>S. canadensis</i> )	Southern Elderberry	Shrub
2.	<i>Clematis baldwinii</i>	Pine-hyacinth	Wildflower
3.	<i>Teucrium canadense</i>	American Germander; Wood Sage	Wildflower
4.	<i>Vernonia blodgettii</i>	Blodgett's Ironweed	Wildflower





## DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

### 2. SALTWATER MARSHES

These saline wetlands are dominated by grasses and sedges. They are often found on the edges of mangrove swamps, and/or grading into wet prairies, and are frequently or occasionally inundated. Under natural conditions this community is maintained by periodic fire. Soils usually consist primarily of marls. The organic content is generally low, fertility is low to moderate, and salinity is high. The available water capacity is moderate to very high. Locations throughout Dade County are along Biscayne Bay.

TREES	TREES/SHRUB	PALMS - CYCADS	VINES
		Not Applicable	
		<u>SHRUBS</u>	
<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>	Leather Fern	<i>Lycium carolinianum</i>	Christmas berry
<i>Baccharis angustifolia</i>	Narrow-leaf Salt Bush		
		<u>GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS</u>	
<i>Batis maritima</i>	Saltwort	<i>Salicornia virginica</i>	Perennial Glasswort
<i>Blutaparon vermiculare</i>	Samphire; Beach Carpet	<i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i>	Sea Purslane
<i>Borrichia frutescens</i>	a Sea-oxeye Daisy	<i>Heliotropium curassavicum</i>	Seaside Heliotrope
		<u>GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES</u>	
<i>Distichlis spicata</i>	Saltgrass	<i>Spartina spartinae</i>	Gulf Cordgrass
<i>Eustachys glauca</i>	a Finger Grass	<i>Sporobolus domingensis</i>	Coral Dropseed
<i>Fimbristylis castanea</i>	Chestnut Sedge	<i>Sporobolus virginicus</i>	Seashore Dropseed
<i>Juncus roemerianus</i>	Black Rush; Needlerush	<i>Spartina patens</i>	Marsh Hay; Saltmeadow Cordgrass
<i>Paspalum vaginatum</i>	Knotgrass; Seashore Paspalum		
		<u>WILDFLOWERS</u>	
<i>Limonium carolinianum</i>	Salt Marsh Sea Lavender	<i>Solidago sempervirens</i>	Seaside Goldenrod
<i>Pluchea rosea</i>	Rosy Fleabane		

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## COASTAL UPLANDS = AREAS 3 & 4

### 3. BEACH DUNE - COASTAL STRAND

These are areas of zoned vegetation on sand dunes. Pioneer plants are near shore, grading into a shrub dominated community, and eventually into maritime hammocks farther inland. Soils are composed of coarse sand and shell fragments. The pH is neutral to alkaline, organic content is absent or low, fertility is low, and salinity is moderate to high. The available water capacity is low to moderate. Locations in Dade County are along Key Biscayne, Virginia Key, and Miami Beach north to the Broward County line.

	TREES		TREES/SHRUB
		Not Applicable	
		<u>PALMS - CYCADS</u>	
<i>Coccothrinax argentata</i>	Silver Palm	<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto
		<u>SHRUBS</u>	
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	a Salt Bush	<i>Lantana involucrata</i>	Wild Sage
<i>Capparis flexuosa</i>	Limber Caper	<i>Mallotonia gnaphaloides</i>	Dune Sea Lavender
<i>Casasia clusiifolia</i>	Seven Year Apple	<i>Pithecellobium keyense</i>	Blackbead
<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> cv. 'Horizontalis'	Coastal Cocoplum	<i>Randia aculeata</i>	White Indigo Berry
<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>	Seagrape	<i>Scaevola plumieri</i>	Inkberry
<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> var. <i>viscosa</i>	Virginia Key Varnish Leaf	<i>Sophora tomentosa</i> var. <i>truncata</i>	Necklace Pod
<i>Erithalis fruticosa</i>	Black Torch	<i>Suriana maritima</i>	Bay Cedar
<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Coral Bean		
		<u>GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS</u>	
<i>Alternanthera flavescens</i>	Pointed-leaf Chaff Flower	<i>Iva imbricata</i>	Beach Elder
<i>Alternanthera maritima</i>	a Chaff Flower	<i>Ipomoea stolonifera</i>	Beach Morning Glory
<i>Ambrosia hispida</i>	Coastal Ragweed	<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Gopher Apple
<i>Borrichia frutescens</i>	a Sea-oxeye Daisy	<i>Oenothera humifusa</i>	Seaside Evening Primrose
<i>Croton punctatus</i>	Beach Croton	<i>Okenia hypogaea</i>	Beach Peanut
<i>Ernodia littoralis</i> var. <i>littoralis</i>	Beach Golden Creeper	<i>Portulaca pilosa</i>	Pink Purslane

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### 3. BEACH DUNE - COASTAL STRAND (Con't)

*Helianthus debilis* subsp. *debilis*  
*Hymenocallis latifolia*  
*Ipomoea pes-caprae* subsp. *braziliensis*

East Coast Beach Sunflower  
Spider Lily  
Railroad Vine

*Sesuvium portulacastrum*  
*Verbena maritima*

Sea Purslane  
Beach verbena

*Andropogon glomeratus* var. *pumilus*  
*Cyperus ligularis*  
*Distichlis spicata*  
*Eustachys petraea*  
*Panicum amarulum*

a Bushy Beardgrass  
Silver Sedge  
Saltgrass  
a Fingergrass  
Bitter Panicum; Beach Grass

#### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

*Paspalum vaginatum*  
*Spartina patens*  
*Sporobolus virginicus*  
*Uniola paniculata*

Knotgrass; Seashore Paspalum  
Marsh Hay; Saltmeadow Cordgrass  
Seashore Dropseed  
Sea Oats

*Caesalpinia bonduc*  
*Canavalia maritima*  
*Dalbergia ecastophyllum*  
*Echites umbellata*

Gray Nickerbean  
Beach Bean  
Coin Vine  
Devil's Potato

#### VINES

*Jacquemontia reclinata*  
*Passiflora suberosa*  
*Urechites lutea* var. *lutea*

Beach Jacquemontia  
Corky-stemmed Passion Flower  
Wild Allamanda

*Commelina erecta* var. *angustifolia*  
*Flaveria linearis*  
*Heterotheca subaxillaris*

Thin-leaf Dayflower  
Yellow Top  
Camphor Weed

#### WILDFLOWERS

*Iresine diffusa*  
*Solidago sempervirens*

Bloodleaf  
Seaside Goldenrod

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 4. MARITIME HAMMOCK

These are broadleaf, mostly evergreen, closed forests dominated by tropical species. This community begins on the lee side of oceanfront dunes where it is protected from wind. Under natural conditions, this community is rarely subject to fire. Soils are composed of coarse sand and shell fragments. The pH is neutral to alkaline. The organic content is low to high, primarily on the surface. Fertility is moderate to high, and salinity is moderate. The available water capacity is moderate to high. Locations in Dade County are Key Biscayne, Virginia Key, and Miami Beach north to the Broward County line.

### GROUND-COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS

### VINES

### WILDFLOWERS

Not Applicable

### TREES

*Bursera simaruba*  
*Ficus aurea*  
*Piscidia piscipula*

Gumbo Limbo  
Strangler Fig  
Jamaica Dogwood

*Quercus virginiana*  
*Simarouba glauca*

Live Oak  
Paradise Tree

### TREE/SHRUB

*Amyris elemifera*  
*Ardisia escallonioides*  
*Bumelia celastrinum*  
*Capparis cynophallophora*  
*Capparis flexuosa*  
*Chrysobalanus icaco* var. *icaco*  
*Citharexylum fruticosum*  
*Coccoloba diversifolia*  
*Coccoloba uvifera*  
*Conocarpus erectus* var. *erectus*  
*Dipholis salicifolium*  
*Drypetes lateriflora*  
*Erythrina herbacea*  
*Eugenia axillaris*  
*Eugenia foetida*

Torchwood  
Marlberry  
Saffron Palm  
Jamaica Caper  
Limber Caper  
Cocoplum  
Fiddlewood  
Pigeon Plum  
Seagrape  
Green Buttonwood  
Willow Bustic  
Guiana Plum  
Coral Bean  
White Stopper  
Spanish Stopper

*Exothea paniculata*  
*Forestiera segregata* var. *segregata*  
*Guapira longifolia*  
*Gymnanthes lucida*  
*Krugiodendron ferreum*  
*Myrsine guianensis*  
*Nectandra coriacea*  
*Persea borbonia* var. *borbonia*  
*Pithecellobium keyense*  
*Psychotria nervosa*  
*Randia aculeata*  
*Sapindus saponaria*  
*Zanthoxylum coriaceum*  
*Zanthoxylum fagara*

Inkwood  
Florida Privet  
Longleaf Blolly  
Crabwood  
Black Ironwood  
Myrsine  
Lancewood  
Redbay  
Blackbead  
Shiny-leaf Wild Coffee  
White Indigo Berry  
Wingleaf Soapberry  
Biscayne Prickly Ash  
Wild Lime

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 4. MARITIME HAMMOCK (Cont.)

<i>Sabal palmetto</i> (State Tree)	Cabbage Palm	<u>PALMS - CYCADS</u> <i>Zamia integrifolia</i> (pumila)	Coontie (cycad)
<i>Callicarpa americana</i> <i>Chiococca alba</i>	American Beautyberry Snowberry	<u>SHRUBS</u> <i>Rivina humilis</i>	Rouge Plant
<i>Cyperus planifolius</i> <i>Cyperus tetragonus</i>	Galingale a Sedge	<u>GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES</u> <i>Setaria macrosperma</i>	Coral Foxtail

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## FLATWOODS = AREAS 5 & 6 & 7

### 5. SCRUBBY FLATWOODS

These are shrubby woodlands of South Florida slash pine with dense understory of oaks and other shrubs. There are grasses and wildflowers growing in patches of open sand. Under natural conditions this community is maintained by periodic fire. Soils are composed of siliceous sands. The pH is acid, organic content is absent or low, fertility is low, and salinity is generally low. Available water capacity is low to moderate. Locations in Dade County are from the entrance of the Miami River north to the Broward County line.

#### TREE/SHRUB

Not Applicable

#### TREES

*Pinus ellioti* var. *densa*                      South Florida Slash Pine

#### PALMS - CYCADS

*Serenoa repens*                                  Saw Palmetto

#### SHRUBS

<i>Befaria racemosa</i>	Tarflower	<i>Palafoxia feayi</i>	a Palafoxia
<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	American Beautyberry	<i>Quercus chapmanii</i>	Chapman's Oak
<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>	Staggerbush	<i>Quercus geminata</i>	Sand Live Oak
<i>Lyonia lucida</i>	Shiny Lyonia	<i>Quercus myrtifolia</i>	Myrtle Oak
<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle	<i>Ximenia americana</i>	Tallowwood; Hog Plum

#### GROUNDCOVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS

<i>Asimina reticulata</i>	a Pawpaw	<i>Piloblephis rigida</i>	Pennyroyal
<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Gopher Apple	<i>Vaccinium myrsinites</i>	Shiny Blueberry

#### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

*Bulbostylis ciliatifolia* var. *coactata*                      a Hair Sedge

## DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

### 5. SCRUBBY FLATWOODS

(Cont.)

*Centrosema virginianum*

Butterfly Pea

#### VINES

*Asclepias tuberosa* subsp. *rolfsii*

Rolf's Butterfly Weed

*Euphorbia polyphylla*

n/a

*Heterotheca subaxillaris*

Camphorweed

*Liatris chapmanii*

Chapman's Blazing Star

*Liatris tenuifolia* var. *quadriflora*

a Blazing Star

#### WILDFLOWERS

*Palafoxia feayi*

a Palafoxia

*Piriqueta caroliniana* var. *caroliniana*

Hairy Piriqueta

*Polygonella ciliata* var. *ciliata*

Wireweed

*Sida elliotii*

Elliott's Sida

*Solidago odora* var. *chapmanii*

Chapman's Goldenrod



# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 6. PINE FLATWOODS

These are open woodlands of South Florida slash pine with an understory of saw palmetto, shrubs, grasses, and wildflowers. Under natural conditions this community is maintained by periodic fire. Soils are composed of siliceous sands. Soils may be underlain by an impervious hardpan or clay layer, and there may be outcrops of limestone at or near the surface. The pH is acid, organic content is generally low, fertility is low to moderate, and salinity is generally low. Available water capacity is low to high. Primary locations in Dade County are from the entrance of the Miami River north to the Broward County line.

	VINES		TREE/SHRUB
		<u>Not Applicable</u>	
		<u>TREES</u>	
<i>Pinus ellioti</i> var. <i>densa</i>	South Florida Slash Pine		
		<u>PALMS - CYCADS</u>	
<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Cabbage Palm	<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto
		<u>SHRUBS</u>	
<i>Befaria racemosa</i>	Tarflower	<i>Lyonia fruticosa</i>	Staggerbush
<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	American Beautyberry	<i>Lyonia lucida</i>	Shiny Lyonia
<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i>	Cocoplum	<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle
<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Gallberry	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>	Myrsine
		<u>GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS</u>	
<i>Asimina reticulata</i>	a Pawpaw	<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Gopher Apple
<i>Blechnum serrulatum</i>	Swamp Fern	<i>Piloblephis rigida</i>	Pennyroyal
<i>Lachnanthes caroliniana</i>	Redroot	<i>Vaccinium myrsinites</i>	Shiny Blueberry

## DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

### 6. PINE FLATWOODS (Cont.)

<i>Andropogon ternarius</i> var. <i>cabanisii</i>	a Bluestem
<i>Aristida purpurascens</i>	Arrowfeather
<i>Aristida stricta</i>	Wiregrass
<i>Bulbostylis ciliatifolia</i> var. <i>ciliatifolia</i>	a Hair Sedge
<i>Dichanthelium portoricense</i>	a Panicgrass
<i>Eragrostis elliotii</i>	Elliott's Love Grass

<i>Aster adnatus</i>	an Aster
<i>Carphephorus corymbosus</i>	Deer Tongue
<i>Coreopsis leavenworthii</i> (Florida State Wildflower)	Tickseed

<i>Dichromena colorata</i>	a White-top Sedge
<i>Dyschoriste angusta</i>	Dwarf Blue Twinflower
<i>Elephantopus elatus</i>	Florida Elephant's Foot
<i>Eriocaulon compressum</i>	a Pipewort
<i>Heterotheca subaxillaris</i>	Camphorweed
<i>Hymenocallis palmeri</i>	an Alligator Lily
<i>Hypericum cistifolium</i>	a St. John's Wort

#### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

<i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i> var. <i>filipes</i>
<i>Paspalum setaceum</i> var. <i>ciliatifolium</i>
<i>Rhynchospora divergens</i>
<i>Sorghastrum secundum</i>
<i>Tripsacum dactyloides</i>

Muhly Grass
Fringe Paspalum
Low Beak Rush
Lop-sided Indiangrass
Fakahatchee Grass; Eastern Gamagrass

#### WILDFLOWERS

<i>Hypericum hypericoides</i>
<i>Iresine diffusa</i>
<i>Liatris tenuifolia</i> var. <i>quadriflora</i>

St. Andrew's Cross
Bloodleaf
a Blazing Star

<i>Lobelia paludosa</i>
<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>glabra</i>
<i>Physostegia purpurea</i>
<i>Rhexia cubensis</i>
<i>Solidago odora</i> var. <i>chapmanii</i>
<i>Solidago stricta</i>
<i>Xyris caroliniana</i>

White Lobelia
a Piriqueta
False Dragonhead
a Meadow Beauty
Chapman's Goldenrod
Willow-leaf Goldenrod
a Yellow-eyed Grass

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 7. MESIC HAMMOCK

These broadleaf forests are dominated by live oak and/or tree species of tropical origin. Under natural conditions this community is rarely subject to fire. Soils are composed of siliceous sands with occasional outcrops of limestone. The pH is neutral to acid. Organic content is moderate to high, primarily on the surface. fertility is moderate to high, and salinity is generally low. Available water capacity is moderate to high. Primary locations in Dade County are from the entrance of the Miami River north to the Broward County line.

GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS		VINES	WILDFLOWERS
		Not Applicable	
		<u>TREES</u>	
<i>Bursera simaruba</i>	Gumbo Limbo	<i>Mastichodendron foetidissimum</i>	Mastic Tree
<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	Sugarberry; Hackberry	<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>	Laurel Oak
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	Live Oak
<i>Ficus aurea</i>	Strangler Fig		
		<u>TREE/SHRUB</u>	
<i>Ardisia escallonioides</i>	Marlberry	<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>	Black Ironwood
<i>Chrysophyllum oliviforme</i>	Satinleaf	<i>Morus rubra</i>	Red Mulberry
<i>Citharexylum fruticosum</i>	Fiddlewood	<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle
<i>Coccoloba diversifolia</i>	Pigeon Plum	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>	Myrsine
<i>Dipholis salicifolium</i>	Willow Bustic	<i>Nectandra coriacea</i>	Lancewood
<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>	Coral Bean	<i>Psychotria nervosa</i>	Shiny-leaf Wild Coffee
<i>Eugenia axillaris</i>	White Stopper	<i>Trema micranthum</i>	Florida Trema
<i>Exothea paniculata</i>	Inkwood	<i>Zanthoxylum clava-hercules</i>	Hercules Club
<i>Hamelia patens</i>	Firebush	<i>Zanthoxylum fagara</i>	Wild Lime
		<u>PALMS - CYCADS</u>	
<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Sabal Palm	<i>Zamia integrifolia (pumila)</i>	Coontie (cycad)

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 7. MESIC HAMMOCK (Cont.)

*Callicarpa americana*  
*Cassia ligustrina*

American Beautyberry  
Privet Cassia

### SHRUBS

*Psychotria sulzneri*  
*Rivina humilis*

Soft-leaf Wild Coffee  
Rouge Plant

*Dichanthelium commutatum*  
*Lasiacis divaricata*  
*Oplismenus setarius*

a Panicgrass  
Bamboo Grass  
Woodsgrass

### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

*Scleria triglomerata*  
*Tripsacum dactyloides*

a Sedge  
Fakahatchee Grass; Eastern Gamagrass

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## ROCKLANDS = AREAS 8 & 9

### 8. PINE ROCKLANDS

These are open woodlands of South Florida slash pine with an understory of palms, tropical shrubs, grasses, and wildflowers growing on outcrops of limestone. Under natural conditions this community is maintained by periodic fire. Soils over the limestone bedrock are generally thin, and composed of marl and/or siliceous sand. The pH is neutral to slightly alkaline, organic content is low, fertility is low to moderate, and salinity is generally low. Available water capacity is low to moderate. Primary locations in Dade County are from the south entrance of Everglades National Park north to the entrance of the Miami River.

#### TREE/SHRUB

Not Applicable

#### TREES

*Pinus elliotii* var. *densa*                      South Florida Slash Pine

#### PALMS - CYCADS

<i>Coccothrinax argentata</i>	Silver Palm	<i>Serenoa repens</i>	Saw Palmetto
<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Sabal Palm	<i>Zamia integrifolia</i> (pumila)	Coontie (cycad)

#### SHRUBS

<i>Byrsonima lucida</i>	Locustberry	<i>Psidium longipes</i>	Long-stalked Stopper
<i>Cassia chapmanii</i>	Bahama Cassia	<i>Randia aculeata</i>	White Indigo Berry
<i>Croton linearis</i>	Pineland Croton	<i>Rhus copallina</i> var. <i>leucantha</i>	Winged Sumac
<i>Forestiera segregata</i> var. <i>pintetorum</i>	Pineland Privet	<i>Tetrazygia bicolor</i>	Tetrazygia
<i>Guettarda scabra</i>	Roughleaf Velvetseed	<i>Trichostema suffrutescens</i>	Blue Curls
<i>Lantana involucrata</i>	Wild Sage		

#### GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS

<i>Anemia adiantifolia</i>	Pine Fern	<i>Jacquemontia curtissii</i>	Pineland Jacquemontia; Clustervine
<i>Chiococca parviflora</i>	Pineland Snowberry	<i>Licania michauxii</i>	Gopher Apple
<i>Crossopetalum ilicifolium</i>	Quailberry	<i>Pteris bahamensis</i>	Bahama Brake-fern
<i>Ernodia littoralis</i> var. <i>angusta</i>	Pineland Golden Creeper	<i>Verbena maritima</i>	Beach Verbena

## DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

### 8. PINE ROCKLANDS (Cont.)

#### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i> var. <i>pumilus</i>	a Bushy Beardgrass	<i>Eustachys petraea</i>	West Indian Fingergrass
<i>Andropogon longiberbis</i>	Sand Broom Sedge	<i>Paspalum blodgettii</i>	Coral Paspalum
<i>Andropogon ternarius</i> var. <i>cabanisii</i>	Splitbeard Bluestem	<i>Paspalum caespitosum</i>	Blue Paspalum
<i>Andropogon virginicus</i> var. <i>virginicus</i>	Virginia Broom Sedge	<i>Paspalum setaceum</i> var. <i>cilatifolium</i>	Fringeleaf Paspalum
<i>Aristida purpurascens</i> var. <i>purpurascens</i>	Arrowfeather	<i>Schizachyrium gracile</i>	Slender Beardgrass
<i>Dichanthelium ensifolium</i> var. <i>uniciphyllum</i>	a Panicgrass	<i>Schizachyrium rhizomatum</i>	Florida Autumn Grass
<i>Dichanthelium ovale</i>	a Panicgrass	<i>Schizachyrium sanguineum</i> var. <i>sanguineum</i>	West Indian Bluestem
<i>Dichanthelium strigosum</i> var. <i>glabrescens</i>	a Panicgrass	<i>Setaria geniculata</i>	Knotroot Foxtail
<i>Dichromena floridensis</i>	Florida White-top Sedge	<i>Sorghastrum secundum</i>	Lop-sided Indiangrass
<i>Eragrostus elliottii</i>	Elliott's Love Grass	<i>Tripsacum floridanum</i>	Florida Gamagrass

#### VINES

<i>Centrosema virginianum</i>	Butterfly Pea	<i>Morinda royoc</i>	Cheeseplant; Indian Mulberry
<i>Ipomoea microdactyla</i>	Man-In-the-Ground	<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky-stemmed Passion Flower

#### WILDFLOWERS

<i>Angadenia berterii</i>	Pineland Allamanda	<i>Dyschoriste angusta</i>	Dwarf Blue Twinflower
<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> subsp. <i>rolfsii</i>	Rolf's Butterfly Weed	<i>Liatris gracilis</i>	a Blazing Star
<i>Aster adnatus</i>	an Aster	<i>Liatris tenuifolia</i> var. <i>quadriflora</i>	a Blazing Star
<i>Chamaecrista deeringiana</i>	Deering's Partridge Pea	<i>Piriqueta caroliniana</i> var. <i>caroliniana</i>	Hairy Piriqueta
<i>Commelina erecta</i> var. <i>angustifolia</i>	Thin-leaf Dayflower	<i>Solidago odora</i> var. <i>chapmanii</i>	Chapman's Goldenrod
<i>Crotalaria pumila</i>	Low Rattlebox	<i>Stillingia sylvatica</i> subsp. <i>tenuis</i>	Queen's Delight
<i>Crotalaria rotundifolia</i>	Rabbit Bells	<i>Tephrosia florida</i>	Florida Hoary Pea
var. <i>rotundifolia</i>			
<i>Dichromena floridensis</i>	Florida White-top Sedge	<i>Vernonia blodgettii</i>	Blodgett's Ironweed

## DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

### 9. ROCKLAND HAMMOCK

These broadleaf, mostly evergreen, closed forests are dominated by tropical tree species growing on outcrops of limestone. Under natural conditions this community is rarely subject to fire. Soils over the limestone bedrock are generally thin, composed of marl and/or siliceous sand and organic material. The pH is neutral to acid, organic content is high, primarily on the surface. Fertility is moderate to high, and salinity is generally low. The available water capacity is moderate to high. Primary locations in Dade County are at the south entrance of Everglades National Park north to the entrance of the Miami River.

#### PALMS - CYCADS

#### VINES

#### WILDFLOWERS

Not Applicable

#### TREES

*Bursera simauruba*  
*Celtis laevigata*  
*Ficus aurea*  
*Ficus citrifolia*  
*Lysiloma latisiliqua*

Gumbo Limbo  
 Sugarberry; Hackberry  
 Strangler Fig  
 Shortleaf Fig  
 Wild Tamarind

*Mastichodendron foetidissimum*  
*Prunus myrtifolia*  
*Quercus virginiana*  
*Simaruba glauca*

Mastic Tree  
 West Indian Cherry  
 Live Oak  
 Paradise Tree

#### TREE/SHRUB

*Ardisia escallonioides*  
*Calypttranthes pallens*  
*Chrysophyllum oliviforme*  
*Citharexylum fruitcosum*  
*Coccoloba diversifolia*  
*Dipholis salicifolium*  
*Drypetes lateriflora*  
*Erythrina herbacea*  
*Eugenia axillaris*  
*Exothea paniculata*  
*Guapira longifolia*  
*Guettarda elliptica*

Marlberry  
 Spicewood  
 Satinleaf  
 Fiddlewood  
 Pigeon Plum  
 Willow Bustic  
 Guiana Plum  
 Coral Bean  
 White Stopper  
 Inkwood  
 Long-leaf Blolly  
 Everglades Velvetseed

*Hamelia patens*  
*Ilex krugiana*  
*Krugiodendron ferrum*  
*Morus rubra*  
*Myrcianthes fragrans* var. *simpsonii*  
*Myrica cerifera*  
*Myrsine guianensis*  
*Nectandra coriacea*  
*Psychotria nervosa*  
*Randia aculeata*  
*Trema micranthum*  
*Zanthoxylum fagara*

Firebush  
 Krug's Holly  
 Black Ironwood  
 Red Mulberry  
 Simpson Stopper  
 Wax Myrtle  
 Myrsine  
 Lancewood  
 Shiny-leaf Wild Coffee  
 White Indigo-Berry  
 Florida Trema  
 Wild Lime

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 9. ROCKLAND HAMMOCK (Cont.)

*Callicarpa americana*  
*Cassia ligustrina*

American Beautyberry  
Privet Cassia

### SHRUBS

*Phytotria sulzneri*  
*Rivina humilis*

Soft-leaf Wild Coffee  
Rouge Plant

*Thelypteris kunthii*

a Wood Fern

### GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS

*Thelypteris ovata*

a Wood Fern

*Dichanthelium commutatum*  
*Lasiacis divaricata*

Variable Panicgrass  
Bamboo Grass

### GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

*Opismenus setarius*  
*Tripsacum dactyloides*

Woodsgrass  
Fakahatchee Grass; Eastern Gamagrass



# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## FRESHWATER WETLANDS = AREAS 10 & 11

### 10. FORESTED WETLANDS

These forests of cypress and/or broadleaf trees are found in wet, freshwater depressions which are frequently inundated. Under natural conditions this community is rarely subject to fire. Soils are composed of silts and other sediments, with variable amounts of peat and other organic materials. The pH is acid, organic content is moderate to high, fertility is moderate to very high, and salinity is low. Available water capacity is moderate to very high. Locations are throughout mainland Dade County.

#### TREES

<i>Ficus aurea</i>	Strangler Fig	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Bald Cypress
<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Pond Cypress		

#### TREE/SHRUB

<i>Annona glabra</i>	Pond Apple	<i>Myrica cerifera</i>	Wax Myrtle
<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Buttonbush	<i>Myrsine guianensis</i>	Myrsine
<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i> var. <i>pellocarpus</i>	Cocoplum	<i>Persea palustris</i>	Swampbay
<i>Ilex cassine</i>	Dahoon Holly	<i>Salix caroliniana</i>	Coastal Plain Willow
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay Magnolia	<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i>	Southern Elderberry

#### PALMS - CYCADS

<i>Sabal palmetto</i>	Sabal Palm
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#### SHRUBS

<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>	a Leather Fern
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#### GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS

<i>Bacopa caroliniana</i>	Lemon Hyssop; Lemon Bacopa	<i>Peltandra virginica</i>	Spoonflower, Arrow Arum
<i>Bacopa monnieri</i>	Water Hyssop	<i>Polygonum hydropiperoides</i>	Smartweed
<i>Blechnum serrulatum</i>	Swamp Fern	<i>Saururus cernuus</i>	Lizard's Tail
<i>Crinum americanum</i>	String Lily	<i>Thalia geniculata</i>	Alligator Flag
<i>Ludwigia repens</i>	Water Primrose	<i>Thelypteris palustris</i> var. <i>pubescens</i>	Marsh Fern
<i>Osmunda regalis</i> var. <i>spectabilis</i>	Royal Fern		

DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

10. FORESTED WETLANDS  
(Cont.)

GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES

*Tripsacum dactyloides* Fakahatchee Grass; Eastern  
Gamagrass

VINES

*Aster carolinianus* Climbing Aster; Carolina Aster

WILDFLOWERS

*Hydrolea corymbosa* Sky flower  
*Pontedaria cordata* var. *lanceolata* a Pickerelweed  
*Sagittaria lancifolia* an Arrowhead

# DADE COUNTY NATIVE PLANT COMMUNITIES

## 11. PONDS - MARSHES - WET PRAIRIES

These areas are dominated primarily by grasses and sedges. The community is inundated all or part of the year. Under natural conditions marshes and wet prairies are maintained by periodic fire. Soils are composed of sands and/or marls, sometimes with limestone at or near the surface. There are varying amounts of peat or other organic materials. The pH is neutral to acid, organic content is low to high, fertility is low to moderate, and salinity is low. Available water capacity is moderate to very high. Locations are found throughout Dade County.

	TREES		PALMS - CYCADS
		Not Applicable	
		<u>TREE/SHRUB</u>	
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	Narrow-leaf Saltbush	<i>Sambucus simpsonii</i>	Southern Elderberry
<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Buttonbush	<i>Salix caroliniana</i>	Coastal Plain Willow
		<u>SHRUBS</u>	
<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>	a Leather Fern	<i>Hypericum hypericoides</i>	St. Andrew's Cross
<i>Hibiscus grandiflorus</i>	Swamp Hibiscus		
		<u>GROUND COVERS - LOW GROWING PLANTS</u>	
<i>Bacopa caroliniana</i>	Lemon Hyssop; Lemon Bacopa	<i>Ludwigia repens</i>	Water Primrose
<i>Bacopa monnieri</i>	Water Hyssop	<i>Peltandra virginica</i>	Spoonflower; Arrow Arum
<i>Centella asiatica</i>	Coinwort	<i>Stenandrium dulce</i> var. <i>floridana</i>	Pinklet
<i>Crinum americanum</i>	String Lily	<i>Thalia geniculata</i>	Alligator Flag
<i>Hymenocallis palmeri</i>	Alligator Lily		
		<u>GRASSES - RUSHES - SEDGES</u>	
<i>Cladium jamaicense</i>	Sawgrass	<i>Panicum tenerum</i>	Bluejoint Panicum
<i>Eleocharis cellulosa</i>	a Spikerush	<i>Paspalum monostachyum</i>	Gulfdune Paspalum
<i>Eleocharis geniculata</i>	a Spikerush	<i>Rhynchospora divergens</i>	Low Beak Rush
<i>Eleocharis interstincta</i>	Knotted Spikerush	<i>Rhynchospora microcarpa</i>	Small-fruited Beak Rush
<i>Juncus magacephalus</i>	Large-headed Rush	<i>Schizachyrium rhizomatum</i>	Florida Autumn Grass
<i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i> var. <i>filipes</i>	Muhly Grass	<i>Scirpus validus</i>	Soft-stem Bulrush
<i>Panicum hemitomon</i>	Maidencane	<i>Spartina bakeri</i>	Sand Cordgrass
<i>Panicum rigidulum</i>	Red-top Panicgrass		

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(Cont.)

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### VINES

*Ipomoea sagittata* Swamp Morning Glory

### WILDFLOWERS

*Aster bracei* an Aster  
*Canna flaccida* Yellow Canna  
*Coreopsis leavenworthii* Tickseed  
*Erigeron quercifolius* Southern Fleabane  
*Eupatorium coelestinum* Blue Mistflower  
*Flaveria linearis* Yellowtop

*Helenium pinnatifidum*  
*Pluchea odorata*  
*Pluchea rosea*  
*Pontederia cordata* var. *lanceolata*  
*Sagittaria lancifolia*  
*Solidago stricta*

Everglades Daisy  
Salt Meadow Fleabane  
Rosy Fleabane  
a Pickerelweed  
an Arrowhead  
Willow-leaf Goldenrod

*Nuphar lutea* subsp. *adzena* Spatterdock  
*Nymphaea odorata* White Water Lily

### AQUATICS

*Nymphoides aquatica*

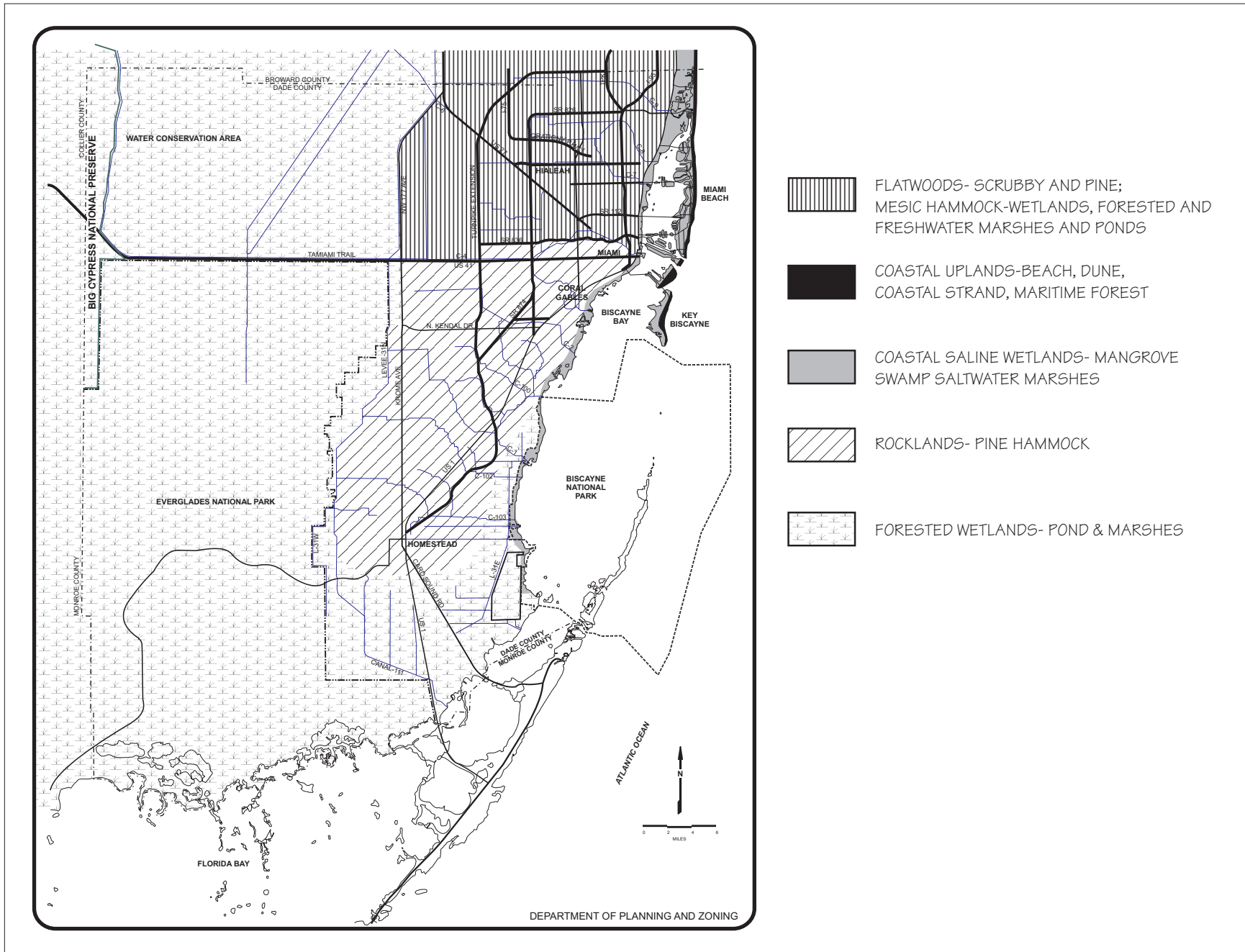
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