

**APPENDIX 11 - Proper Planting Practice - Provide Sufficient Growing Space
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Photo 1 Trees planted too close to buildings/structures will result in imbalance form and poor health.



Photo 2 Deformed tree form is a result of planting tree too near to adjacent structure.

Trees become larger in size every year. Trees planted too close to buildings/structures will result in imbalance form and poor health in the long run.

Sufficient growing space and adequate distance between trees and adjacent structures should be allowed. Avoid planting too close to buildings and structures. The mature height and spread of trees should be considered during design and implementation stages to ensure that in the long run the trees will not be in conflict with adjacent buildings/ structures.

allow sufficient space to accommodate for the mature tree size

proper crown lifting may be necessary to allow enough headroom for vehicular traffic

ultimate size of the tree

initial planting size

