

# Planting Instructions

## - Shrub -

### IN THE GROUND:

1. Start with your healthy Alder & Oak™ plant.
2. Prepare a planting hole twice the size of the plant root ball. This is a good time to incorporate any soil amendment or organic matter.
3. Gently remove your plant from it's container by squeezing firmly around the sides of the can.
4. Place your Alder & Oak™ plant into the hole, being careful to keep the top of the root ball even with the soil line. Add or remove soil from the bottom if needed. Backfill soil around the plant and press firmly to remove any air pockets.
5. Water the root ball and surrounding area with a gentle flow; careful not to flood out any topsoil. After giving your Alder & Oak™ plant a healthy drink of water, stand back and enjoy your 'Simply Good Plant'. Pat yourself on the back—you did it!

### IN A CONTAINER:

1. Select a container twice the size of the Alder & Oak™ root ball. Container should have drainage holes.
2. Proceed to Step 3 of in-ground instructions.



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