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### Right place for the right plant

You've got the job, and you've finalized the planting scheme with your customer. Further reflection tells you your client has a broad and unique plant list that presents installation challenges.

Nothing is as easy as it seems when handling perishable material that needs to get established quickly. Questions to ask yourself: are my beds well-drained? Is the planting medium within these beds conducive for plant growing? Is there room for the plants to grow to maturity or to a manageable size?



Does the client have an irrigation system? Will the plants be mulched? Do you have equipment to handle large trees? Do you need to provide Treegators for those trees to get them through the summer?

Beyond sun and shade requirements, consider the exposure: north or east is best for broad-leaved evergreens in our area. Do nearby walls or fences create wind tunnels that could fry tender plants? Have you contacted Miss Dig? (800-482-7171 or 811)

These are all viable questions to ask yourself before breaking ground on a job. If you are seeking additional plant selections and their planting site preferences check out our website for articles and links. To get the right plant in the right place, Christensen's Plant Center can help.

Thanks, Steve



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