



Style 1



Style 2



Style 3



Style 4

## ***Tree Guards in Beacon Hill***

The installation of tree guards is beneficial because they help protect trees from vehicle impacts, dog urine and soil compaction.

### DESIGN

- Choose one of the suggested tree guard styles or similar.
- Use wrought iron painted black.
- Style 1 is preferred for strength and lower height for easy access.
- Always include a bolted removable panel on the street side
- Raised brick tree pit surrounds are discouraged as they interrupt the flow of rain water into the tree pit and require extra maintenance.

### PERMITS

- Submit drawings to Beacon Hill Architectural Commission for approval.
- Contact (617)635-3850 or [BeaconHillAC@boston.gov](mailto:BeaconHillAC@boston.gov).

### MAINTENANCE

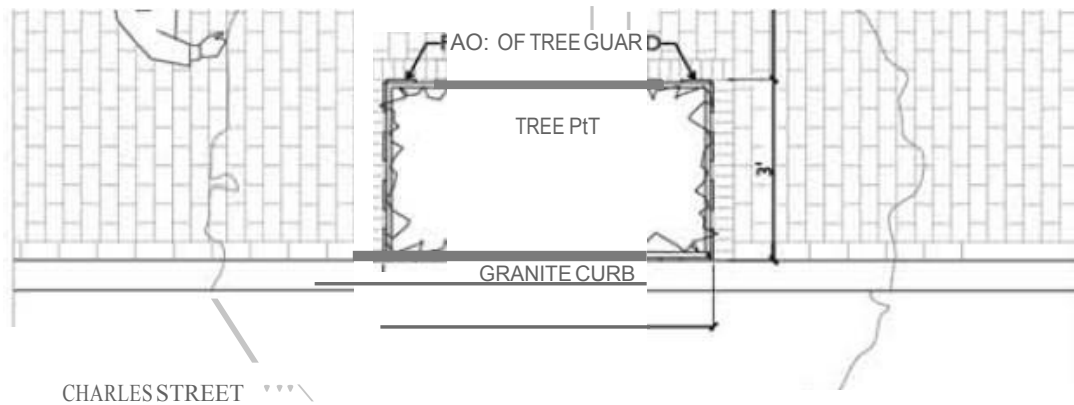
- Boston Parks and Recreation Department does not install or maintain tree guards.
- Beacon Hill neighbors are responsible for cost of installation and maintenance.

*If you need additional information, please contact the BHCA at [www.bhcivic.org](http://www.bhcivic.org) or (617)227-1922*

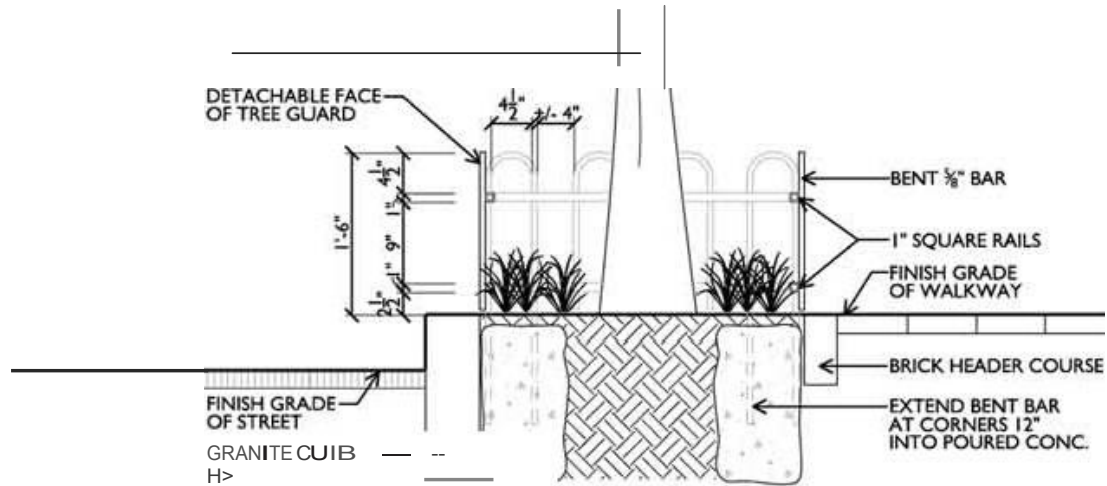
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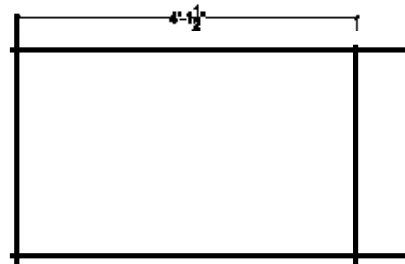
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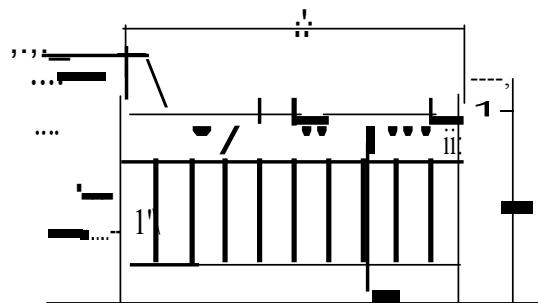
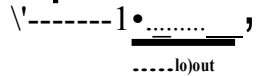
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Style 1



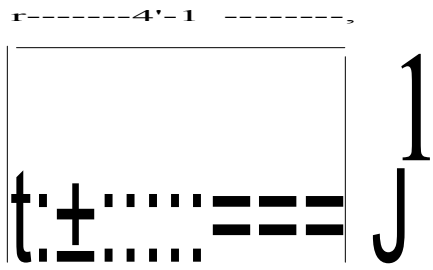
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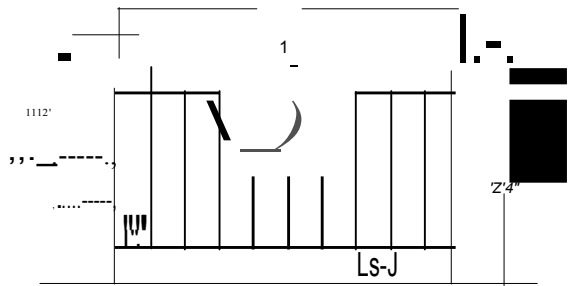
Style 2

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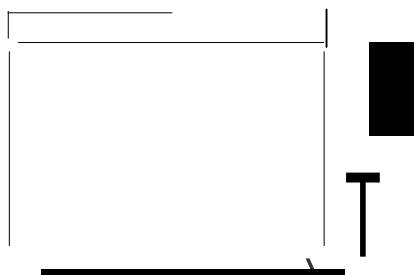
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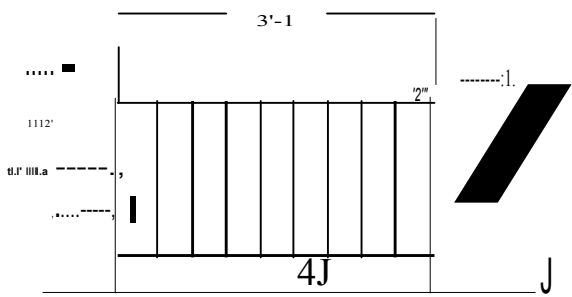
Elevation, Curve

**Style 3**



Plan View

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Elevation, Simple

**Style 4**

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