

**TREE PLANTING SPECIFICATION SHEET**

Participant Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Program or Contract Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Farm No: \_\_\_\_\_ Tract No: \_\_\_\_\_

FIELD NO(S).	ACRES	SITE PREPARATION/ DATE PLANNED 1/	SPECIES 2/	TREES/ ACRE 3/	SPACING	PLANTING METHOD HP or MP 4/	PLANTING DATE 5/

1/ Bush hogging (BH), Prescribed Burning (PB), Disking (DS), Subsoil (SS), Light Site Prep (LSP), Medium Site Prep (MSP), Heavy Site Prep (HSP). Use the following format for this column – MSP / July 2012 or DS / Sept 2013

2/ The trees to plant should be based on management objectives and soils. Plant pine on pine sites and hardwood on hardwood sites. Codes may be used : Loblolly Pine (LP), Cherrybark Oak (CBO), Water Oak (WO), Willow Oak (WIO), Yellow Poplar (YP), Nuttall Oak (NO), Sweetgum (SG), Longleaf Pine (LGP), Green Ash (GA), etc.

3/ Trees should be planted by hand planting (HP) or machine planting (MP). Pines and hardwoods should be planted one to two inches deeper (root collar depth) than they grew in the nursery. Longleaf pine should be planted with the root collar at or slightly below ground level after the soil settles.

4/ Planting Dates – Bareroot seedlings in Mississippi should be planted from December 1 to March 31.