

TREES FOR RAT CONTROL —

WHY MULCH?

When planting trees for rat control, mulching the seedlings provides many benefits over the long and short term.

Mulch:

- helps the soil hold water around the base of the plant (around the roots);
- helps control competition from weeds near seedling; and
- provides the plant with a 'buffer zone' from herbicides used for weed control.

Therefore, mulch will improve tree survival rates, increase tree growth, and make site maintenance a breeze.