Residential Transformer Clearance Specification

Tips:
- The eight foot working distance in front of the transformer door is the minimum distance required.
- The two foot minimum clearance for shrubbery around the sides and back of the transformer is for the mature width of the shrub.

SWCE has required setback for shrubbery that is planted around underground transformers and junction boxes. Please keep in mind the mature width of the shrub when planting. Please do not raise the grade around the transformer as it may restrict access to the equipment. Without these clearance distances, SWCE crews may not be able to address power issues or maintain the electrical equipment.

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