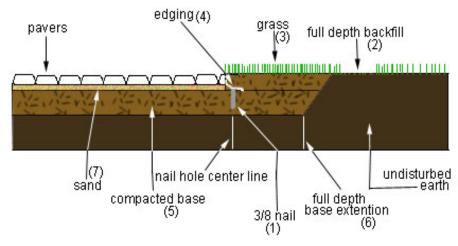
## SNAP EDGE PAVER RESTRAINT

## **Engineering Specifications for Nail Placement**

- Nails (1) shall be standard headed, steel, 3/8" diameter by 8, 10, or 12 inches long. These nails are commonly referred to as "Landscape Spikes".
- Nail spacing may be 12" to 24" apart with the following general guidelines:
  - A. Using 10" long nails spaced 12" apart is preferred to using longer nails with 18" or 24" spacing.
  - Projects immediately backfilled (full depth) (2) with a complete root B. producing foliage such as grass (3) will be acceptable with 18" or 24" spacing when the roots are entwined with the edging.

## Commercial applications:

- A. Paving stability is a function of nail spacing and base stability. The strongest edging is useless if it is free to move laterally. Therefore:
- B. Commercial projects shall have a full depth compacted base (5) that extends 12" beyond (6) the edging nail hole center line.
- Sod or grass backfilled (full depth) commercial projects may have a maximum nail spacing of 18". Other backfills require 12" nail spacing. Backfill must be full depth (2) (i.e.: from base to top of pavers).
- D. For commercial pedestrian walkways (sidewalks) only: nail spacing may be 24" with full depth grass or sod backfill.



## Notes:

- (A)Under no circumstances is it permissible to install edging (4) on paver bedding sand (7).
- (B) In all cases the edging (4) must be covered completely with backfill (2), and/or grass (3), etc.