

# NATURAL GROUND ANCHORING

## Tools Required:

- ♦ Rubber Mallet or Hammer and a wooden block
- ♦ 3/ 4" Ratchet Wrench
- ♦ 3/ 4" Wrench

## Parts Included:

- ♦ Natural Ground Spike
- ♦ Spring
- ♦ Spring Hardware—( 2) bolts, ( 2) locknuts, and ( 4) washers
- ♦ Post

**CAUTION: Check Underground Utilities BEFORE Installing Natural Ground Anchor.**

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- ♦ Identify desired anchoring location.
- ♦ Using a rubber mallet, tap the spike into the ground until the ring is flat against the ground. If you use a hammer instead, place a wood block between the hammer and spike to prevent damage to stem.

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- ♦ Using the wrench and ratchet, attach the spring to the stem of the ground spike with the included spring kit.

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- ♦ Insert the post into the other end of the spring and attach them using the remaining hardware in the spring kit.

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- ♦ Please allow 24 hours for ground to settle for maximum stability.

**\*\*WARNING: MUST ANCHOR UNIT ON THE SAME LEVEL AS THE PARKING LOT FOR PROPER FUNCTIONALITY\*\***

**\*NOTE: For a more permanent application, use a post hole digger to dig out a hole 24" deep. Fill the hole with quick set cement. Place spike into the cement and allow appropriate dry time.**

