

OCTOBER 2016



LOCATION:
Harrison Valley South, Humber River Watershed

DATE:
Saturday, October 1, 2017

REGION/MUNICIPALITY:
Region of Peel, City of Brampton

PARTNERS:
Toronto and Region Conservation (TRCA), Region of Peel, City of Brampton and Punjabi Community Health Services

Harrison Valley South Native Tree and Shrub Planting with Punjabi Community Health Services

Members of Punjabi Community Health Services participated in a native tree and shrub planting event to help enhance the local environment.

Despite the damp weather conditions, members gathered with a smile ready to start making a difference in their community. After a planting demonstration and safety talk, participants set out to plant 85 native shrubs.

The group remained positive throughout the day showing their commitment and fortitude despite drizzle which transitioned to rain. The group further assisted in enhancing this area by removing over 45 pounds of garbage from the surrounding waterways and natural areas.

These efforts will assist with providing habitat to local wildlife. Community stewardship activities of this nature improve the overall health and function of the watershed and provide participants with a greater appreciation and understanding of natural spaces within urbanized environments.



POSITIVE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

Vegetation Planted	# of Pieces Planted	Total Area Enhanced (sq. m.)	Garbage Bags and Weight	# of Participant	Participant Hrs Contributed
Trees	10	250	4 bags	17	51
Shrubs	75	113			
Total	85	363	~45 lbs.	17	51

