

OCTOBER 2016



LOCATION:

Valleywood, Cliffview Court, Etobicoke Creek Watershed

DATE:

Saturday, October 22, 2016

REGION/MUNICIPALITY:

Region of Peel, Town of Caledon

PARTNERS:

Toronto and Region Conservation (TRCA), Region of Peel, Town of Caledon, Ontario Trillium Foundation, Local Residents



Valleywood Cliffview Court Native Shrub Planting with Local Residents

Local residents came out to Valleywood, Cliffview Ct to assist with a community planting event.

The group planted 80 native shrubs and placed mulch mats around each piece as part of an infill to an existing restoration site.

This area is part of a long-term restoration project through the valley lands along Etobicoke Creek from Brampton to Caledon. Along with planting native trees and shrubs, local residents and community groups have contributed to establishing meadow plots, planting native wildflowers and participating in multiple cleanup events.

In 2016 a trail extension has been established linking the Etobicoke Creek pedestrian/cycling trail from Mayfield Rd to the Hwy #410 overpass.

Being actively involved in these types of activities allow residents a better understanding of natural spaces, local wildlife and the importance of protecting these areas.



POSITIVE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

Vegetation Planted	# of Pieces Planted	Total Area Enhanced (sq. m.)	# of Participants	Participant Hrs. Contributed
Shrubs	80	120	34	95