

# WATERSHED *moments*



**LOCATION:**  
Claireville Conservation Area, Humber River Watershed

**DATE:**  
Saturday May 11, 2019

**REGION/MUNICIPALITY:**  
Region of Peel, City of Brampton

**IN COLLABORATION WITH:**  
Toronto and Region Conservation Authority (TRCA), Peel Region, Partners in Project Green (PPG), Credit Valley Conservation, and Toronto Pearson



## Claireville Conservation Area Community-Based Restoration, Partners in Project Green and GTAA

Toronto and Region Conservation Authority's (TRCA) Partners in Project Green team, in collaboration with Credit Valley Conservation, hosted their annual spring community-based restoration planting at Claireville Conservation Area. This planting was organized and sponsored by Greater Toronto Airports Authority (GTAA), operator of Toronto Pearson, who have participated in this annual planting since 2009 and have assisted in planting approximately 10,000 native trees and shrubs at restoration sites across the Greater Toronto Area.

Almost 300 volunteers, comprised of employees, friends and family of various Partners in Project Green members including Toronto Pearson, DB Schenker, Air Canada and Bosch, participated in the event.

TRCA staff provided a safety talk and planting demonstration to ensure quality and the group quickly got busy to plant 450 native trees and shrubs and placed mulch around each piece. Participants also assisted staff to remove invasive European buckthorn plants from the area which outcompete native vegetation.

Activities of this nature educate and bring awareness to the importance of enhancing natural spaces within urbanized environments and provide the opportunity for participants to develop a greater appreciation and understanding of natural spaces within urbanized environments.

### Positive Environmental Impacts

Vegetation Planted	# of Pieces Planted	Total Area Enhanced (sq.m.)	# of Participants	Participant Hrs Contributed
Trees	50	125	~300	450
Shrubs	400	600		
<b>Total</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>~300</b>	<b>450</b>



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