

News Release

COMMUNITY SHORELINE TREE PLANT ON GREENS CREEK — CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS —

RIDEAU VALLEY, May 7, 2008 — The City Stream Watch program is holding a shoreline planting project on Saturday May 10 at Greens Creek at Innes Road in the City of Ottawa from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Our goal is to plant 200 trees along Greens Creek, which has little vegetation. This will improve fish habitat and help provide shade to the stream.

Any time that you can give is helpful and appreciated. All necessary equipment is provided and there is no cost to volunteers. This is a great chance for members of the community to get involved in making their parks more beautiful and healthy. Crews will be meeting at 1pm on Saturday May 10th, 2008 at the parking lot behind Mark's Work Wearhouse, which is located at the southwest corner at the intersection of Innes and Blair Road.

To find information about the City Stream Watch Program or to learn more about Phase I of this project please visit:
www.rideauvalley.on.ca/programs/streamwatch/index.htm.

Interested volunteers are asked to sign up by contacting Julia Sutton, City Stream Watch Coordinator at citystreamwatch@rvca.ca

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City Stream Watch is a community environmental partnership program sponsored by City of Ottawa, Heron Park Community Association, National Defence Headquarters Fish and Game Club, Ottawa Flyfishers Society, Rideau Roundtable and Rideau Valley Conservation Authority.