

News Release

COMMUNITY SHORELINE TREE PLANT ON GREEN'S CREEK — CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

RIDEAU VALLEY, April 28, 2009 — The City Stream Watch program is holding a shoreline planting project on Sunday, May 3 at Green's Creek at St. Joseph Blvd in the City of Ottawa from 9am to 12pm. Our goal is to plant 500 shrubs and trees along Green's Creek, where there has been recent construction. This will improve fish and wildlife 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 city more beautiful and healthy. Crews will be meeting at 9am on Sunday May 3, 2009 near the intersection of St. Joseph Blvd and the Rockcliffe Parkway.

To find information about the City Stream Watch Program or to learn more about this project please visit:
www.rvca.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.