



# **Tree Planting Initiatives 2024**

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## **Emerald Ash Borer Capital Project**

- 956 trees planted around Georgina
- Locations were selected based on where the greatest number of ash trees impacted by Emerald Ash Borer were removed
- Areas of focus include Civic Centre, Keswick subdivisions, Julia Munro Park and Pefferlaw Park



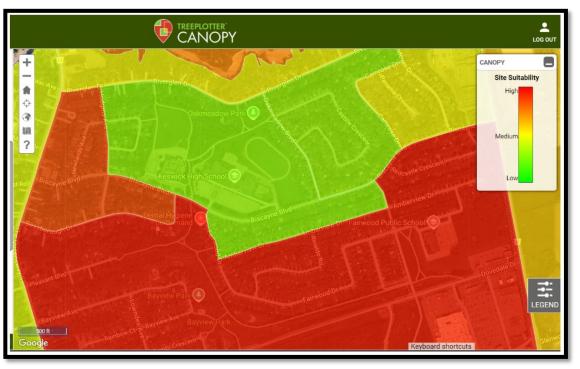




## **DMAF Grant**

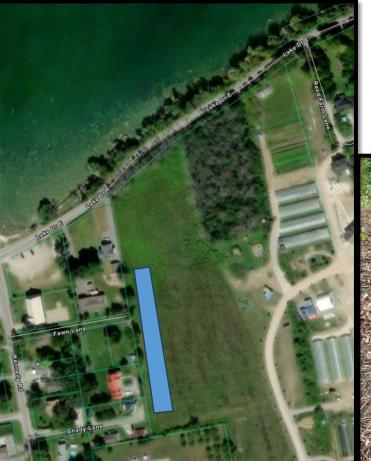


- Funding received by York Region through the Disaster Mitigation and Adaption Fund
- 186 trees planted
- Used heat mapping to select planting locations
- Areas focused on were Georgina Ice Palace, West Park, Sutton West Boulevards and Bayview Park



#### **LEAF Community Tree Planting Event GEORGINA**

#### Willow Wharf - Sept 21 & 22



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- 400 native trees
- 600 native shrubs
- 175 participants over the two days









### Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority Tree Planting Event

Willow Wharf - October 21<sup>st</sup>

- 35 participants (Development Services, Office of the Deputy CAO and Human Resources staff)
- 175 native trees
- 75 native shrubs





# **GEORGINA** Tree Giveaway for Earth Day

Earth Day April 22<sup>nd</sup>

2,500 trees were available to be given away

- 1,990 were given to local residents
- 510 were given to 17 schools (30 trees each) throughout Georgina









## **2024 Overview**

- 1,717 trees planted
- 675 shrubs planted
- 2,500 trees given away to local residents/schools
- 210 volunteers included in planting events
- Utilized different avenues of funding to target tree planting in various landscapes.







## 2025 Forecast

- DMAF Application
  - We have submitted a proposal to plant 264 trees
- Proposed \$40,0000 Business Case
  - 1000 trees and shrubs through the LEAF Tree planting event
  - 45 trees for Town properties
- Trees for Life Earth Day Tree Giveaway
- Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority Community Tree Planting Events

