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REMINDER Há'o Tewaiéntho! Let's Plant! tree planting event starts Monday

(Kahnawake – 1, Kenténha/October 2021)

The Kahnawà:ke Environment Protection Office (KEPO) would like to remind the community that the tree planting initiative, *Há'o Tewaiéntho! Let's Plant!* starts this **Monday, October 4** and continues **until Saturday, October 9**. The event is part of KEPO's Climate Change Project, with a goal of planting 475 indigenous trees and shrubs in several public locations across the community.

Trees and shrubs will not only beautify the community and offer shelter/sustenance to wildlife, but also assist in our fight against climate change by lowering the temperature in these areas and providing cleaner air.

COVID-19 safety precautions will be respected during the event (hand hygiene, physical distancing, and masking). <u>All volunteers must preregister online</u> (https://forms.gle/T9fryxVXBt4YV8qQ8).

For any questions about the Climate Change Project, please contact Marina Gosselin, Environmental Projects Coordinator for Climate Change, at marina.gosselin@mck.ca, or call **450-635-0600**.