



 **TORONTO** Parks, Forestry & Recreation

## Community Stewardship Program 'Adopt A Naturalization Site'

The Community Stewardship Program involves volunteers in on-going maintenance and monitoring activities at various naturalization sites throughout the City. Participants work in a team that is guided by an experienced volunteer (team leader). Each team visits their site weekly from May until September and can also attend many special events and plantings.

Stewardship activities include weeding invasive non-native plant species, watering planted vegetation, mulching, collecting litter, maintaining bird boxes, building habitat brush bundles, and monitoring specific site conditions. Monitoring activities can include water chemistry and levels, birds, vegetation and aquatic invertebrates.

**Orientation and training are provided.**

### 2011 Stewardship Sites

**Don Valley Brick Works (Bayview & DVP)**  
**Beechwood Wetland (Broadview & O'Connor)**  
**Riverdale Farm (Parliament & Gerrard)**  
**Riverdale Park East (Broadview & Gerrard)**  
**Humber Bay Butterfly Habitat (Park Lawn & Lake Shore)**  
**Spadina Quay (Spadina & Queens Quay)**  
**Milne Hollow (Lawrence & DVP) - Weekday Morning Team!**

For more volunteer information please call:  
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