



**BIO-ENGINEERED RIVERBANK RESTORATION TOUR**

Monday Oct. 23rd 2017  
5:30pm  
11 McGloin Street

Are you a landowner along a river or stream?  
Interested in learning about ways to reduce erosion?

Join us at our Marysville Flats restoration site for a guided tour of our recently completed riverbank restoration project. Various options for conserving property along waterways as well as restoration techniques, will be discussed.

## Nashwaak Watershed Wetland Habitat Conservation

Nashwaak Watershed Association Inc.  
**\$18,000 Grant**

The Nashwaak Watershed Association (NWA) is committed to the management of the Nashwaak River Watershed as a healthy ecosystem that balances a variety of economic, recreational, social, and landowner interests. This project aimed to increase private landowner awareness about wetland ecosystems and carry out a restoration project to re-establish critical migratory bird habitat.

### CONSERVATION PLANNING

- 10,022 landowners were engaged through mailings and phone contacts.
- Communicated with all regional EHJV partners.

### COMMUNICATION AND EDUCATION

- Outreach, negotiations and education of landowners of high priority EHJV habitat and neighbouring properties was conducted.
- Students in the watershed were engaged through the “Upstream Downstream” program.

### WETLAND AND UPLAND RESTORATION

- 714 Silver Maple and Bur Oak trees were planted and 30m of highly eroded riverbank was restored.
- 11 volunteers were trained in restoring wetland habitat using bioengineering techniques, and 16 volunteers helped with willow staking activities.



Top: Poster for Bio-engineered Riverbank Restoration Tour conducted by the project.  
Middle: Volunteers assisting with wetland restoration using bioengineering techniques  
Bottom: Grade 3 & 4 students from Nashwaak Valley School planting a silver maple tree on a seasonally flooded property in Durham.

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