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INFORMATION BULLETIN

TD Green Street Funds 150 Trees for Abbotsford

Abbotsford, March 21, 2016 – The City of Abbotsford will see the installment of 150 street trees in celebration of Canada's 150th birthday thanks to a \$25,000 2016 TD Green Streets grant from Tree Canada and TD Friends of the Environment Foundation.

The 150 trees will be planted throughout neighbourhoods and along South Fraser Way to increase the city's urban tree canopy. Along with the environmental and infrastructure benefits, these street trees will also provide much needed shade for the thousands of spectators of the Canada Day Parade.

Residents and businesses receiving trees as part of this project will be sent an information package in the summer about the project which will include a letter, tree selection form along with some general facts about trees. Residents and businesses will be able to choose the type of tree they wish to have planted in front of their property, which will further ensure tree stewardship within the community.

Trees will be planted in October, as fall provides ideal weather for tree establishment resulting in higher success rates. Once the planting is finished, the trees will be tagged by volunteers. This tree tag will provide residents and visitors with a short story about the tree and the project, to further enhance this legacy project for the community.

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