

## WV Project CommuniTree Planting at Hammonds Mill Subdivision

Community volunteers from Hammonds Mill HOA planted a mix of 24 shade, flowering, and evergreen trees in their neighborhood in Spring Mills on April 25, 2015.

Through rain, snow, sleet, and hail these volunteers prevailed! The day of the planting went impressively smooth despite the fluctuations in the weather. Kudos to the volunteers that came out to help plant the 24 trees within the development.

The planting took place along Vestal Gap Way near the stormwater retention pond. A total of 11 adults and 3 children from the HOA participated and the broader community provided support for the event: Panera Bread donated pastries for the event, S&S Landscaping



provided water, and CBP Enterprises delivered the trees from Inwood to the subdivision.

Volunteers from the community have been watering the trees weekly.

An HOA member that works

for Washington County (MD) Soil Conservation District received an additional 26 donated trees that were also planted in this location.

Hammond's Mill is currently planning additional tree plantings—keep up the great work!

## A word from the Project Leader, Craig Barry:

"The homeowners that attended said they really appreciated the demonstrations and look forward to applying their new skills to their own landscaping at their properties."











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