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### EXTRA!! EXTRA!!

### Eden Mills Going Carbon Neutral to Receive Award of Excellence!

We have just received a very exciting message from Rob Johnston, Green Legacy Tree Nursery Manager for Wellington County. He writes:

*“CONGRATULATIONS Eden Mills Carbon Neutral Initiative. The Green Legacy Committee has chosen the Eden Mills Carbon Neutral Initiative as receiving the Green Legacy Organization Award of Excellence.*

*With your dedication to the environment and planting over 2,200 Green Legacy trees in your community and involving the whole community in the process.*

*Thursday November 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 Warden John Green will present the award during council. Thank you for all your hard work.*

*The Green Legacy Committee”*



*You must be the change you wish to see in the world.*  
Mahatma Gandhi

Rob draws particular attention to the role the Youth Group played in making Earth Day such a success. Educational and fun, it brought Eden Mills residents together to make a crucial and dramatic first step in the direction of carbon neutrality.

Those of you who have met Rob Johnston will know what an inspiration he is to everyone, what innovation he brings to the huge task of tree growing and planting in the County, and how he rolls up his sleeves, working tirelessly side-by-side with County residents. The collaboration between Green Legacy and Eden Mills couldn't have been better!

Congratulations to the Youth Group, to Kit Bresnahan and Bill Allen, Libby and Glenn Little and to all those who planted trees in private and public spaces last April.

*P.S. Don't forget, next spring brings another Earth Day! Let's build on last year's success and plant more trees supplied by Green Legacy. Order yours today – the form is on the website, or contact Bill Allen directly at [bill.allen@wragroup.ca](mailto:bill.allen@wragroup.ca).*