



Summer activities for a healthy and climate-ready Richmond Hill!

The following places and activities moderate the negative impacts of climate change by enhancing biodiversity, local food security and flood management in our community.

Elgin Mills Greenway is a perfect summer getaway spot!

The Greenway is a restored urban forest that supports wildlife, habitats and stormwater management in Richmond Hill. Beautiful trails and a playground on site make it perfect for a family outing. Enjoy this gem of beauty this summer!



Collective gardens on public land can be your next summer project!

Collective gardens can be as small as a raised planter outside of a community centre or as large as a community vegetable garden in a park. To inquire or apply, click [here](#).

Rain gardens add beauty and life!

You can help reduce stormwater and pollutants entering our waterways by creating a rain garden on your own property. A rain garden absorbs and filters as much as 30% more stormwater than a patch of lawn, while supporting birds and pollinators!



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