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Leeds-Grenville Stewardship Council  
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Dear Chair Brown and Council;

On behalf of Council and the residents of the Township of Rideau Lakes, we wish to express our appreciation to the Leeds-Grenville Stewardship Council for your generous donation of 500 tree seedlings in honour of our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Trees play a huge role in protecting and improving our environment by providing oxygen, improving air quality, helping to mitigate the effects of climate change, conserving water, preserving soil, and supporting wildlife. Involving our residents in planting trees gives them the opportunity to participate in this process.

Thank you for your continuing volunteer work in environmental enhancement projects and thank you for providing these seedlings for our Touch-a-Truck Anniversary Event.

Sincerely,

Ronald E. Holman, Mayor