PUBLIC NOTICE



Public study Plan d'action canopée

The standing committee on water, the environment, sustainable development and large parks will hold a public study pertaining to the canopy action plan "*Plan d'action canopée* 2012-2021" aiming to extend the tree cover from 20% to 25% of the territory of the island of Montréal. The action plan, particularly targeting the private sector, aims for the planting of 120,000 trees on public property and 180,000 trees on private and institutional property.

Among other things, the public study will include the presentation of the canopy index of each borough and related municipality of the urban agglomeration, an overview of investments required for the tree planting, and an outline of environmental benefits resulting from such an undertaking. The action plan aims to consolidate the efforts of all partners, including citizens, toward this vast collective greening project.

The committee extends its invitation to citizens to take part in this public study, to be held as follows:

DATE Wednesday, October 3, 2012, at 7 p.m. - presentation of the file and receipt of

briefs and comments from the public

(The meeting will continue on Thursday, October 4, at 7 p.m., if necessary) Thursday, December 6, 2012, at 7 p.m. – adoption of recommendations

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Those who wish to participate in the question and comment period should register during the 30 minutes preceding the meeting. Persons or groups who wish to register in advance should contact the Direction du greffe, at 514 872-3770. Documents pertaining to this public study are available for consultation at Accès Montréal offices, borough offices, city halls, as well as at the Direction du greffe and online at: www.ville.montreal.qc.ca/commissions.

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