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You are invited to attend Capital District Community Gardens’ next urban greening project:

**COHOES STREET TREE PLANTING**

The Organization Continues to Beautify Neighborhoods and to Educate Youth with Urban Greening Projects

CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Contact: Sharon DiLorenzo, 518-274-8685 or trees@cdcg.org

When: Friday, October 28, 9 a.m.

Where: West End Park, Columbia Street, Cohoes

For Release: Immediate Release

Capital District Community Gardens, the non-profit which nourishes healthy communities throughout the region, will plant 40 trees in city parks and in front of private residences in the city of Cohoes next Friday. This planting is the first of two CDCG urban greening projects funded by a grant from the Cohoes Savings Bank Foundation. The organization plans to plant 60 more trees in Cohoes next fall.

Cohoes High School students will participate in planting the trees under the supervision of CDCG staff and trained community volunteers. This event offers members of the press the opportunity to photograph a popular community project and to speak with those who have made the planting possible, including Cohoes city officials and CDCG’s Program Manager Sharon DiLorenzo.

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Capital District Community Gardens is a nonprofit organization that has served the Capital Region for more than 35 years. CDCG nourishes healthy communities with nearly 50 Community Gardens, The Veggie Mobile, The Healthy Convenience Store Initiative, The Produce Project, Squash Hunger, The Taste Good Series and Street Tree Planting.