ACTION SHORELINE BUFFER ZONES: TOGETHER FOR OUR SHORES!

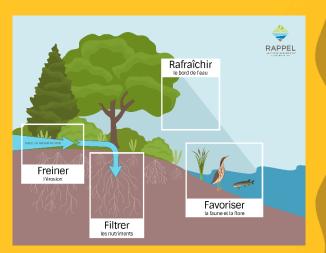


A call to shoreline residents: MCI can help you with the revegetation of your shoreline!

Why a healthy shoreline buffer zone?

Shoreline buffer zones provide several ecosystemic services such as:

- Limiting nutrient loading (nitrogen and phosphorus)
- Preventing silting of the lake by stabilizing the shore
- Slowing soil erosion
- Maintaining cooler water temperatures
- Creating a proper habitat for fauna
- Combating cyanobacteria blooms



The role of shoreline buffer zones. © RAPPEL

Project description:

Memphremagog Conservation (MCI) can help you to improve your shoreline buffer zone by enlarging and revegetating it. By doing so, you contribute to the improvement of the quality of the water in lake Memphremagog and promote biodiversity. As well, the selection of plants in your buffer zone will provide a diversity of shapes and colours to your view.

Our team will take care of the different steps as described on the other side.

<u>Autumn</u>

Designing the planting plan

Approval of the plan by the property owner

Winter

Approval of the plan by the municipality

Spring

Ordering of the required

Summer

Planting the buffer zone

Your contribution

The planting plan for your buffer zone is prepared for you at no cost. Subsequently, your contribution to the project will be confirmed in the fall and will depend on the subsidies available at that time, but always before your approval of the project.





For more information or to participate in the project, contact MCI by email at bandesriveraines@memphremagog.org or by telephone at 891-620-3939