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Plant trees in honor of Earth Day, April 22, at Kenyon Farm Forest Preserve

GENEVA, IL — Calling all volunteers: Help celebrate Earth Day by planting trees with the Forest Preserve District of Kane County.

Volunteers are needed to help plant trees at Kenyon Farm Forest Preserve in South Elgin, Saturday, April 22, at 10 a.m. All are welcome. We'll plant hundreds of oak trees in a few hours, and can use as many helpers as possible. Holes will be pre-dug. Volunteers will simply plant the tree, tamp down dirt, add water and mulch. It's easy! We will also have other activities such as brush cutting and clearing.

Be sure to arrive promptly at 10 a.m. Planting will continue until all trees are in the ground or 1 p.m. — whichever comes first!

Each year, the Forest Preserve District of Kane County plants trees as part of an Earth Day celebration.

This volunteer opportunity is perfect for individuals or groups, families, scouts, youth groups or other organizations. You're welcome to plant a single tree or stay and plant as many as you like. Bring work gloves if you prefer. Groups of 10 or more, please contact our volunteer coordinator at 630-762-2741 or volunteer@kaneforest.com to register. Groups of less than 10 do not need to RSVP.

Kenyon Farm Forest Preserve is located at 8N700 Barry Rd., South Elgin. Public parking is available at South Elgin High School, in the southeast corner of the lot. Accessible-only parking is available at the preserve, off North Barry Road. For more information, visit www.kaneforest.com.