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## City of Vaudreuil-Dorion employees join forces for shoreline clean-up

**Vaudreuil-Dorion, April 30, 2021** – About 30 employees, including several accompanied by family members, got together on Saturday morning to clean the shorelines along Avenue Saint-Charles, between Parc de la Maison-Valois and the park located at 405 Avenue Saint-Charles. Mayor Guy Pilon was also among the volunteers who took part in the project.

It took just a few hours for workers to fill several bags with all kinds of rubbish including broken glass, plastic, masks, pieces of plywood, etc. It is estimated that nearly 200 kg of waste was collected.

This year more than ever, we are noticing a lot of waste littering properties, streets and other public spaces, in spite of the presence of garbage bins throughout the territory. We are counting on citizens to act responsibly and do their civic duty out of respect for the environment, but also for their fellow citizens.

"Although there is a lot of talk about the importance of waste sorting, recycling and composting, it's terribly sad, in 2021, that people need to be reminded to throw their waste in the garbage. But it's clear that not everyone has made it a habit to do so. I would like to thank City employees for volunteering their time to participate in this project," commented Mayor Guy Pilon.