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6th Annual Waldo Canyon Tree Planting Service Project

COLO Springs, Colo. - More than sixty volunteers turned out for the sixth annual El Paso County Bar Association Tree Planting project last Saturday, May 12. With spectacular views of Pikes Peak and stunning weather, the group planted 900 seedlings in an area of the Waldo Canyon burn off Rampart Range Road. Once the trees were planted, volunteers were treated to special barbecue lunch, prepared and served by Dave Prince, Jack and Doris Donley, and Karen Hartley.

The success of this year's project would not have been possible without a generous contribution from the Colorado Tree Coalition, as well as additional donations from members of the Legacy Society of the El Paso County Bar Association, along with other generous donors. Our partner in the project, the Coalition for the Upper South Platte (CUSP), again provided tools and guidance. We're very grateful to all the volunteers from the legal community and their families, as well as contingents from the Manitou Kiwanis Club, the Pikes Peak AdAmAn Club, and Boy Scout Troop 18. Special thanks, as well, to Charles Simon, from The Justice Center, for all his logistical support.

For more information on this event, pictures from this year's event, or information on next year's tree planting project, please contact Charles Simon at probono@elpasocountybar.org or (719) 471-6212.