## Community Tree Planting Event at Sixth Ward Park Expands Urban Canopy



Lancaster City Alliance Community Engagement Manager, Alex Otthofer, left and Volunteer, Jim Lewis water a newly planted tree in Sixth Ward Park.

The Lancaster City Alliance, in partnership with the City of Lancaster, and the Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay hosted a community tree planting event on November 8 at Sixth Ward Park in Lancaster's Northeast Neighborhood. This initiative, made possible by a grant received from TreePennsylvania, brought together volunteers to plant 12 bare root trees throughout the park. The trees, a selection of native species, were specially chosen to thrive in an urban ecosystem and will contribute to the overall health and beauty of Sixth Ward Park.