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## 3000 trees planted in KwaMakhutha

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THE Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF) in partnership with Total South Africa, the provincial Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, eThekwini Municipality and Food & Trees for Africa launched Arbor Week by planting trees and handing over garden tools in KwaMakhutha on 3, September 2015.

On the day, a total of 3000 trees were planted as part of the City's and National government greening strategy.

Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Senzeni Zokwana handed over garden tools to a local women's organisation, Sakhintsha. The organisation received spades, wheelbarrows, watering cans, garden rakes, fruit trees and seeds. The



HELPING HANDS: Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Senzeni Zokwana and his Deputy General Bheki Cele handing over gardening equipment to the Chairperson of Sakhintsha Organisation, Joyce Ntshingila.

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Chairperson of Sakhintsha Organisation, Joyce Ntshingila, said these were the much-needed tools for their organisation and it will assist in growing food for the community.

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