IAHV Climate Action Now - Report August 2022



Impact in Numbers

Trees Planted

Thanks to IAHV's generous donors, friends, and CSR partners, in the last 3 months we have funded planting of 38,598 new trees at Eden reforestation sites. A major benefit is the 385 days of paid work these trees create for families in extreme poverty. Because extreme poverty means people were previously earning less than \$1.90 a day."

These trees in total should remove around 4,825 Tonnes of CO2

Along with our strategic partner Saving Our Planet, IAHV project in total, has planted 699,260 trees and created around 6,994 days of paid work.



Our next big goal is 1 million trees!

The IAHV Climate Action Now project offers to families and businesses an opportunity to *remove carbon and mitigate global warming via Eden Reforestation Project - amongst the world's most cost-efficient program.* A big THANK YOU to all the supporters - they are much needed and appreciated!

Update from our Tree Planter - Eden Reforestation Projects

Operating across 9 Countries and hundreds of sites, Eden expects during 2022 to complete planting our first 1 billion trees. Today we are planting around 1 million trees a day. Eden has pledged to plant 50 billion trees by 2030.



Eden is focused on alleviating poverty through forest restoration. By providing economic incentives and simple planting techniques to support local communities in restoring their local environment and economy, our success and the communities' success are inextricably entwined.



Drilling perfect holes for Narra trees in Philippines

Impact on Life - SPOTLIGHT STORY

Tree-Planter Zito - Life after Cyclone Idai

After a devastating cyclone hit Mozambique in March 2019, Zito was left without a house, a job, or a way to provide for his family. Cyclone Idai ripped through Beira, bringing Zito's work in construction to a halt. Zito needed a way to rebuild his home and his way of life, which led him to search for new job opportunities. In October 2020, we began working in Rio Maria, right outside of Beira, to help repair the damage the cyclone caused to the shoreline and Zito was one of the first people we hired as a planter.

To get to the planting site, Zito walks over two hours every day, through rain or shine, to help plant hundreds of mangroves. "The challenges of rebuilding our homes and the environment have been constant, however, the will to work is greater," Zito said when asked about his work. The need to restore his home and the environment weighed heavily on Zito. Through our Employ to Plant methodology, Zito has the opportunity to restore the environment and use the consistent income he earns to rebuild his home. Since joining our team, Zito and his colleagues have planted over 1.4 million trees at the Rio Maria site and he is building a new house for his family.



Reforestation team at work





Planting propagules that would grow to be mangrove forests

Last, Last Chance to Buy trees now before 50% cost increase

Now is the last, last chance to buy more trees before the 50% price increase which will now take effect from 30 September 2022. So, if you would like to make a donation for more trees, then now is a good time to buy before the price increase.

For individuals and families, our current prices for larger quantities of trees are: 1,000 trees for £107

5,000 trees for £538 or 10,000 trees for £1,068

For CSR partners, businesses and corporates, the prices are 10% more than the above.

For UK resident donors, your donations can qualify for UK Government Gift Aid, which means we can plant 25% more trees for you. We will provide personal Gift Certificates for all these donations.

Planting Trees has such important benefits, we believe planting trees is still excellent value. IAHV and our partner Saving Our Planet are particularly pleased that the people planting the trees are to be paid more.

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