

## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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Yesterday, Mayor Lois E. Jackson together with Delta School District Superintendent Dianne Turner, Ministry of Children and Family Development Community Services Manager Holden Chu, and Hellings Elementary School Principal Matt Jamieson, celebrated the initiation of Hellings Elementary School's Community Garden.

To initiate the garden, the Corporation of Delta provided a truck load of soil, a composter and a rain barrel. Students were on hand for the soil delivery.

"I am pleased to see the efforts made by Hellings Elementary to initiate this garden; it is a great addition to the community and a wonderful opportunity for students to learn about sustainable gardening and growing and cultivating food," said Mayor Lois E. Jackson.

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