



# GENUS LOCI ECOLOGICAL LANDSCAPES INC.

## *Embrace the Spirit of Your Place*

**Genus Loci:** Latin - "the genus or spirit of the place". The places we inhabit and cherish - our communities, parks, homes - are imbued with unique qualities, each with its own cultural and natural history, geography and ecology. We design and build high quality landscapes, gardens and outdoor living areas that reveal and express the spirit of YOUR place.



## Visionary Landscapes: An Ecological Alternative

Ecological landscaping aims to reduce our ecological "footprint" on the land. We strive to design and build environmentally responsible landscapes that incorporate "green" technologies, such as water efficient landscaping, low impact development, rain gardens, natural swimming pools, and native plantings. We aspire to an ecological aesthetic where beauty is expressed through creative integration of built form and natural process.

Genus Loci Ecological Landscapes Inc. is a professional, full service landscape design-build firm based in Schomberg, Ontario, Canada. We serve the private, residential and commercial sectors across York Region, Caledon and the Greater Toronto Area.

Our commitment to design excellence, environmental innovation and quality workmanship distinguishes us from our competition. Specializing in ecological landscaping, we create distinctive, exquisitely detailed, ecologically sustainable landscapes that complement your lifestyle and enhance your property.



## Our Mission



Our mission is to be an environmentally responsible company devoted to the design and construction of beautiful, cost-effective, high-quality landscapes that fulfill our clients' needs and objectives, that contribute in some measure to the restoration and protection of ecosystem health, that foster an awareness and appreciation of the natural world and that, in the process, awaken the spirit of the place. We envision a hopeful, "green" future driven by environmental innovation. As landscape architects, our role within this larger picture is to engage in the design and construction of unique and distinctive public and private landscapes that ultimately help reduce the ecological footprint of our communities, neighbourhoods and homes.

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## *Services at a Glance*



### **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE**

Genus Loci offers a full range of professional landscape architectural services, from preliminary site studies and concept development through to site planning, design development and construction management. We offer our design services either on a standalone basis or as part of our design-



### **LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION**

Genus Loci's full service construction division can handle all aspects of the most challenging landscape project, from site grading, stonework, and woodwork to pond and waterfall construction, planting, lighting and irrigation. We are highly adept at working in tight or difficult access sites, and are conscientious in environmentally sensitive areas.



### **LANDSCAPE ECOLOGY**

Genus Loci performs site studies, inventories and assessments, conduct natural heritage evaluations, and help clients obtain municipal and conservation authority permits. And, we can plan and/or install mitigation and ecological restoration devoted to the protection and rehabilitation of natural habitats and ecosystems, bioengineering and slope stabilization projects.



### **LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT**

Genus Loci's offers short and long-term follow-up maintenance and management services on all of its construction projects.

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