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**INAUGURATION OF CHEMIN SOLENO UNDER THE MONTMORENCY
FOREST MODERNIZATION PROJECT**

Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, November 3, 2017 - On October 24, at the Gene-H.-Kruger Pavilion of Laval University, a donor recognition ceremony was held on the occasion of the inauguration of the first designated areas of the Montmorency Forest. The first access road to the new southern portion of the forest, *Chemin Soleno*, was unveiled during this event.

In October 2016, Soleno committed to make a substantial donation over 10 years to support the University Laval, manager of the Montmorency Forest, in achieving its mission; hosting an environment for excellence in the areas of teaching, research and public outreach in relation to forest management. For over 20 years, Soleno has been a proud partner of the Montmorency Forest. Its managers recognize the product quality, but also the expertise and support that Soleno provides, including for the Montmorency Forest modernization project.

Soleno is proud to have contributed to the construction of the only road leading to the southern portion of the forest affected by the expansion, named *Chemin Soleno*, in recognition of the contribution made to its development.





From left to right: Yves Bourget, president and CEO of the Foundation at Laval University, Development and relations with graduates, Hugues Sansregret, manager of operations at Forêt Montmorency, Robert Beauregard, Executive Vice Rector and Vice Rector, Academic and Student Affairs at Laval University, Richard Bossinotte, Sales Manager, Residential, Natural Resources and Agricultural Development at Soleno, Alain Poirier, president of Soleno, Guy Mercier, Dean of the Faculty of Forestry, Geography and Geomatics at Laval University, and Carole Girard, Philanthropic Development Director of the Faculty of Forestry, Geography and Geomatics at Laval University.

About Soleno

Leader in providing solutions for the control and management of storm water, Soleno manufactures and distributes a wide range of products for the collecting, conveying, treating and storage of storm water for the industrial, commercial, residential, infrastructure, natural resources and agricultural development sectors. Most Soleno products are made of high density polyethylene (HDPE), a lightweight and strong material with a service life that can exceed 100 years. Manufacturing of these products is done in our Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu plant, in Quebec. Soleno employs about 300 workers.

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