

5K saplings to restore Shenoy Ngr park

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THIRU Vi Ka Park in Shenoy Nagar, which was closed to facilitate the construction of the Shenoy Nagar Metro Rail station is now being restored. For this purpose, the CMRL has planted 5,000 saplings of 30 different types of native trees in the park, using the Miyawaki technique, said a statement.

This method, by which 1,250 saplings were

planted in four corners of the park, involves planting different saplings together in a limited space. The different types of native trees planted include arasu, vilvam, pungan, ezhilai palai, poovarasu, arali, magizham and others.

A two-level underground commuter amenities centre is being constructed which will be right under the park. The park has been shut for the past eight years.