



Mulberry Fields Park

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Year: 2008
Project: Mulberry Fields Native Landscaping
Project Type: Installation

With increasing awareness of the valuable role prairies and savannahs play in the natural world, prairie and savannah communities throughout the Midwest are being identified, protected, and restored. People restore and maintain prairies and savannahs for many reasons including weed management, reduced runoff, soil erosion control, wildlife habitats, and aesthetic appeal.

Prairies in North America were once vast grasslands that covered 200 million acres. Today, less than one percent of the native habitat is left. Williams Creek Management works to deliver contracting expertise for the restoration and preservation of our prairies and savannahs.

Re-establishing a site by planting a new prairie or savannah involves strategic planning, including assessing important site characteristics and assembling required materials for the project.

Williams Creek Management provided specialty installation services at Mulberry Fields Park in Zionsville, Indiana. Installation services included:

- Native landscape layout
- Installation of 5.25 acres of basic prairie seed mix
- Installation of 2 acres of wet mesic prairie mix
- Installation of 1 acre of savannah mix
- Installation of plugs: 1,614 little bluestem, 996 prairie dropseed, 1,435 frank's sedge, 415 bottlebrush sedge, 3,418 broad-leaved wooly sedge, 107 pointed oval sedge, 4,046 fox sedge, 814 northern sea oats, 955 purple coneflower, 5,253 Canada wild rye, 3,766 fowl manna grass, 630 dense blazing star, 5,723 cardinal flower, 3,216 yellow coneflower



Construction



Year One



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