

Archbald Borough

Archbald Borough Community Facilities Plantings

Project Manager: Fred Donnini

2001 Grant Award: \$5,000

The **Archbald Borough Community Facilities Plantings** enhanced community entrance areas and playgrounds. Prior to the grant, two “Welcome to Archbald” signs were installed on vacant parcels near town. New plantings at these sites welcome residents and visitors entering Archbald. The residents of the borough have commented favorably on the new landscapes.

Tree and perennial plantings were also completed at the Riverside and Greenhill Playgrounds. The 1-acre Riverside facility contains a basketball court, swings, slides, and a play complex. New trees provide much needed shade for families during the hot summer afternoon hours. At the Greenhill Playground, the entrances are more inviting due to the new landscaping.

Project Accomplishments

- Planted 22 canopy trees including 6 evergreen and 16 deciduous;
- Planted 41 shrubs and 115 herbaceous plants; and
- Placed 50 cubic yards of mulch.



Project Value and Match

Grant Award	\$ 5,000
In-kind Contributions	\$ 6,045
Total Project Value	\$ 11,045

Project Partnerships

Amabile Florist – overall project support

Archbald Beautification Committee – volunteers

Barretts Pub – overall project support