

Moosic Borough

Moosic Borough “Centennial Park”

Project Manager: Thomas G. Harrison

2001 Grant Award: \$3,900

With the support of a grant in June 2001, the Borough of Moosic continued efforts to improve their newly developed family recreation area – **Centennial Park**. Formerly a clean fill dump, the borough first improved the poor soil conditions with a mix of humus, topsoil, and mulch. They then planted evergreen trees along a 235-foot stretch of land to define a border between the main park and the playground. The new plantings provide an aesthetically pleasing recreational experience and more naturalistic wildlife habitat area.

Project Accomplishments

- Planted 18 canopy trees including 15 evergreen and 3 deciduous;
- Placed 15 cubic yards of donated mulch, 52 cubic yards of topsoil, and 42 cubic yards of humus;
- Wayne Lucas, certified arborist, conducted a tree inventory;
- The Mulberry Bush created a plan for the project site; and
- Cleared 1/2 acre of junk, dumped material, and debris.

Project Value and Match

Grant Award	\$ 3,900
In-kind Contributions	<u>\$ 5,233</u>
Total Project Value	\$ 9,133

Project Partnerships

CeeKay Auto, Inc. – topsoil

Edwards Concrete – 2 yards of concrete

Lackawanna County Recycling Center – 15 cubic yards of mulch

Moosic Department of Public Works – labor, materials, and services

