Back Cove Yardscaping Demonstration Project

Ecological Landscaping with Native, Low Maintenance Plants

The Yardscaping Project is the product of a joint effort of a diverse group of communities, environmental groups, and public agencies, funded by a grant from the Environmental Protection Agency. It is conceived as a series of educational demonstration gardens, showcasing the myriad possibilities for attractive, environmentally friendly, low-maintenance gardening.

The project is envisioned as a series of linked gardens, each with a theme representing varying degrees of structure along a continuum from urban to wild. The focus is on native plants and turfgrass especially suited to coastal Maine.

WETLAND BOUNDARY

SALT TOLERANT BOUNDARY

EDGE OF WETLAND

WINNING COLORS
8,852 sq. ft.

Urban/ Suburban Landscape

Suburban/ Rural Landscape

SALT TOLERANT BOUNDARY

N.C.O. LO-MO
7602 sq. ft.

Rural Landscape

EXISTING LARCH

NO-MOW MIX
2981 sq. ft.

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11340 sq. ft.

WILDFLOWER MIX
5690 sq. ft.

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3918 sq. ft.

ECO-BLEND
2744 sq. ft.

YARDSCAPING MIX
4323 sq. ft.

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3035 sq. ft.

RAIN GARDEN
574 sq. ft.

EXISTING OAK

EXISTING LAWN

EXISTING FENCE

Back Cove Trail

Interstate 295

Urban Landscape

Planting Concept

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SCALE
0 30 60 120
NORTH

LEGEND

- 12-18" DECIDUOUS SHRUBS
- 12-18" EVERGREEN SHRUBS
- 18-30" DECIDUOUS SHRUBS
- 18-30" EVERGREEN SHRUBS
- 3-6' DECIDUOUS SHRUBS
- 3-4' EVERGREEN SHRUBS
- PERENNIALS/GROUNDCOVERS
- WINNING COLORS GRASS MIX
- YARDSCAPING GRASS MIX
- WILDFLOWER MIX
- ECO-BLEND GRASS MIX
- NO-MOW GRASS MIX
- N.C.O. LO-MO