

SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPES – MULTIPLE PROJECTS

EXAMPLE 2



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SIZE
532 ft²

COST
\$727.06

AGE IN YEARS
3

NOTES: In 2012, the above property qualified for grant funding to upgrade their landscape by installing a rain garden and buffalo grass. These two new features really complimented the existing native grass plantings of Sideoats Grama (seen between the street and sidewalk) and flagstone retaining wall that is terraced with sedum plantings.

REIMBURSABLE: ANYTHING THAT ENHANCES WATER QUALITY FEATURES

- Soil amendments (sand, compost, manure, etc.)
- Mulch (rain gardens and native landscaping only)
- Native perennials, grasses, and shrubs
- Equipment rentals (aerator, rototiller, etc.)
- Gutter, drain tile or stone used to redirect water to pervious areas
- Design and installation labor performed by a professional
- Attendance of stormwater workshop or educational classes
- Project size > 300 ft²

INELIGIBLE: ANYTHING THAT IS SUPERFLUOUS

- Tools purchased (tape measure, shovel, stakes, power tools, wheel barrow, etc.)
- Sod
- Retaining wall materials
- Bluegrass or other non-deep rooting grasses
- Unapproved plants (including annuals)
- Ornamental features (stepping stones, retaining wall, bird baths, landscape lighting, edging, etc.)
- Labor done by homeowner or non-professional
- Additional landscaping or dirtwork that does not pertain to water quality projects