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Outdoor Heritage Fund Status and Final Report Form/Guidelines

This report is used to show progress of grant projects funded through the Outdoor Heritage Fund. Status Reports and the Final Report must be submitted as required in Contract.

Contract Number 012-135 Report Date 10/4/19

Period Covered by Report (4/5/19 to 10/4/19 – Report No. 2)

Project Name

Edible Forest

Project Sponsor Name

Northern Plains Botanic Garden Society

Responsible Official (Last, First Middle)

Responsible Official's Title

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Financial Update

Please provide the following information regarding the funding for your project based on the contract award:

	Funds Spent THIS Reporting Period*	Total Funds Spent to Date	Balance of Remaining Funds
Match Funding	\$19,331.80	\$29,815.00	\$16,245.00
In-kind Funding	\$ 240.00	\$ 240.00	\$ 4,070.00
OHF Funding	\$22,825.20	\$29,814.00	\$ 3,787.00
Total	\$42,397.00	\$59,869.00	\$24,102.00

Do you anticipate needing to request a grant extension? /_/ Yes /x_/ No

If yes, please explain:

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Work Completed during Period Covered by Report:

(This information will be posted on the Outdoor Heritage Fund/Industrial Commission website)

At the end of our Status Report No. 1 dated 4/5/2019 we outlined the successful bidding for the landscaping and fencing work and the award of contracts to S&S Landscaping and Dakota Fence.

The late spring season delayed start of work, but the project is on schedule for total completion in summer 2020. The landscaping work has been successfully completed including grading, soil amendments, grass seeding, irrigation, and hard-surface walkway. An add change order was issued for \$1,764 for additional landscaping edges to increase the S&S landscaping contract to \$32,908.40. The fence work has been completed. As reported in the status report no.1, The Board did additional studies for three entrance gates and an add change order was issued for \$17,646 to increase the Dakota Fence contract to \$52,590.00.

Twelve trees and shrubs were planted in mid-September, and the majority of the planting will be accomplished in spring 2020. The pollinator garden planting has also been delayed until spring 2020. The signage is being studied and will be installed in the spring. Mulch will be placed over roots of the 12 planted plants for winter protection.

Maintenance and care of the completed landscape work has been ongoing. Mowing, weeding, and watering takes place on a regular basis.

Several Public activities have taken place on the site including a recent "Forest Faire" event. Public comments have been very positive and the Board is pleased with progress thus far.

Photos of work completed are welcome (If appropriate, please submit photos of key elements of the project completed or in progress during reporting period) Do not exceed five photos per project report.

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