

Redbud Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail Andover, Kansas



Construction Cost: \$1.2M

Completed: 2015

Client:

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Designed by Poe & Associates and constructed by Bryant & Bryant, this \$1.2 million trail project consists of a 10 foot wide by six inch thick reinforced concrete path as well as a new marquis and iconic steel truss bridge over Republican Creek. A rails to trails, grassroots project, the City of Andover's Redbud Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail is a 1.75 miles trail beginning at the Sedgwick/Butler County line (N. 159th Street E.) and continuing east to Patricia Lane. The project also includes landscaping, rest benches, waste receptacles, and bike racks. Upon removal of the old bridge at Republican Creek, the City salvaged and recycled the stone abutments in the landscaping along the trail.

The Redbud Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail is just one piece of a future 11 mile trail corridor that will eventually connect the Cities of Wichita, Andover, and Augusta. Not only does this trail provide a "linear park" for citizens to enjoy while improving recreation and quality of life, it also provides an alternate path for other modes of transportation, enhancing connectivity within Andover. The Redbud Trail project sheds light on all of the quality of life values exhibited by the citizens of Andover. This beautiful and functional trail is a shining community asset that people will be proud of for many years.