



## Mitchell Park Boardwalk, Bridge and Trail

City of Brookfield, WI

Crowning our long term planning and design work for Brookfield, the Mitchell Park Boardwalk, Bridge and Trail offers year-round enjoyment, recreation, and communion with nature. The project reinforces the community by connecting the Park's natural beauty with the neighborhood.

Throughout its planning and design, this project emphasizes low impacts to wetlands and lends a helping hand to the environment, allowing it to heal from past impacts. Bonestroo's trail design seeks to increase exposure to natural scenery while minimizing impacts to wetlands and upland endangered habitat.

We endeavor through careful engineering and design to protect and enhance the very resources we wish to make accessible to people.

# SUSTAINABLE CONNECTIONS



### THE BOARDWALK AND TRAIL PROVIDE:

- Improved accessibility and connections to major activity areas within the park
- A connection to Brookfield Academy and residential neighborhoods

### THE BRIDGE PROVIDES:

- Panoramic views of the wetlands and Fox River
- A connection from Mitchell Park to Fox Brook County Park



These connections allow residents and students access to a variety of destinations on foot, offering convenience and sustainability. Other sustainable components include the use of local vendors and locally produced materials, resulting in reduced fuel usage and reduced transport costs. Interpretive education signage along the trail reinforce the importance of sustainable principles and connection to the land.

