

Stream and River *Restoration*

Kenneth Sterbentz Stabilization Project

Project Profile

Landowner: Private
Location: Butler County
Focus Area: Bemis Creek
Habitat Restoration: 250-feet of streambank
Project Year: 2002
Project Cost: \$6,670



This project is located on Bemis Creek in Butler County and was submitted by the Butler County Conservation District and supported by the Flint Hills Chapter. The project involved stabilizing 250-feet of stream bank that has been sloughing off in the creek. The bank was re-sloped and stabilized with three rock vanes in the creek. The soil was stabilized with native tree and grass



plantings. The project was completed in partnership with the NRCS, Butler County Conservation District and the SCC. The total cost of the project was estimated at \$6,670 with the PMT approving \$5,370 from the KWO/EPA grant. The project was completed in partnership between the Butler County Conservation District, SCC and the NRCS. An educational tour of the area was planned for the Flint Hills Chapter Kickoff meeting on October 2, 2002 but was cancelled due to rain.



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