

NATIVE LANDSCAPE

Establishment and Maintenance



► 2022 – Sleep

- The site is primarily a temporary cover crop and weeds – This is normal
- Mow the site to 8” twice during the growing season
- Spot treat the weeds with herbicide
- The native plants are focusing their energy into their root network

► 2023 – Creep

- The weeds are lessened and the native plants are spending more energy on growth
- Mow the site to 12” once or twice during the growing season
- Spot treat the weeds with herbicide

► 2024 – Leap

- The native plants are now starting to out-compete the weeds
- A controlled burn can now be implemented on a three year cycle
- Mowing in the late fall can be used in areas that are near trees that might be sensitive to burning