The Crossing at Arlington Arlington, Tennessee



PROJECT EXPERIENCE

The Crossing at Arlington (expansion of the Forrest Street Park Campus) fills a need in the Town of Arlington that has existed for many years. As the town and its population have grown, the need for quality, community amenities and open public spaces has grown in tandem. Tactile, interactive experiences were incorporated into the design of the complex, including the landscaping that surrounds the farmers market which includes native plants with edible fruit, such as varieties of blueberry and serviceberry. Design elements were also taken into consideration during the planning phases to ensure that a variety of experiences would be available at each component of the campus. For example, the Amphitheater was originally programmed to include 575 fixed seats for the audience. This was revised to include mixed fixed seating for 335 and an open lawn behind that for those that would prefer to picnic or bring their own chair or blanket.

