



May 2004 – Field C shortly after planting.



May 2004 – Predator protection consists of 3' tall hardware cloth and oak posts.



August 2004 – Indigo Bush in Field K is well over 5' tall after being planted in the spring of 2004



August 2004 – Field C planted in the spring of 2004.



August 2004 - Herds of deer graze on the young trees.



March 2005 -Floods in the winter of 2004/2005 severely damaged many trees and predator protection cages.



March 2005 – Debris from the floods was scattered across Field D.



September 2005 – Field C more than 1 year after planting.



August 2006 – The now 9' tall sycamores have not succumbed to deer damage.



Indigo Bush in Field K stands 7' tall after 2 years in the ground.



April 2007 – Flood damage has once again taken its toll.



April 2007 – The Heron rookery has doubled in size to approximately 30 nests in the past couple of years.



September 2007 – Sediment lines from an August flood are clearly visible in the trees of Field K.



September 2007 – Access to Field K was often impassible due to high waters at ditch crossing.



October 2007 – A new culvert and armored crossing have been installed to access Field K.



August 2008 – A new mowing pattern has been introduced to the site to help prevent deer browse and increase species on the herbaceous layer.