

GARDEN at DEERFIELD INN

Rehabilitation Garden Design
Historic Deerfield, Inc., Deerfield,
Massachusetts

Project Data

Date: 1997

Size: 0.25 acres

Context: Historic Deerfield, MA

Construction Date: 1997

Project Description:

This project converts the area between the Deerfield Inn and Museum Store into a functional space designed in the spirit of American Colonial period style. A painted wooden fence will separate the space from the street, creating a semi-public garden with benches. All the mixed borders have plant species dating from the Colonial period. A brick walkway crosses and frames the space, providing universal access between the two buildings and a lower parking area. A low stone retaining wall separates the upper garden from a tent lawn, adjacent to the Inn’s outdoor dining terrace. Unobtrusive lighting and electrical service facilitates weddings and other evening functions. EDC Principal Thomas Elmore served as Project Manager of the design and then Principal-In-Charge of construction implementation while with another firm.

