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Project

Location:

Trafalgar Overlook Pond

Wascana Centre,

Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada

Contractor:

Terramax Contracting

Wallace Construction Specialties, Ltd.

Project Date:

2001

A gabion retaining wall was constructed at Trafalgar Overlook Pond in Wascana Park to facilitate expansion of an existing ice skating pond. The structure adds both bank stability and visual interest to this popular civic jewel in the Provincial Capital of Regina.

Gabions were the perfect choice for this project given their inherent ability to conform to ground conditions with the seasonal contraction and expansion. In addition to the ice of the pond, the gabion retaining wall is subject to annual snowfalls of 45 inches (1,145 mm) and temperature extremes ranging from an average of 80° F (28 C) in the summer to an average 12° F (-11° C) in the winters.

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