



Green & Growing Regional Bioindustry Bus Tour

Agrecol Switchgrass Growing & Production Facility

Business/Organization: Agrecol Switchgrass Growing & Production Facility

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Name of Project: Switchgrass Growing & Production Facility

Project Description: Agrecol is the largest grower of native plants and seed in the Midwest with 1,000 acres in production and more than 200 species of native wildflowers and grasses, including switchgrass. Switchgrass is touted as one of the best emerging energy crops, used for cellulosic ethanol, co-fired with coal to produce electricity in power plants and pelletized as a clean energy alternative in rural homes and commercial applications. Rural communities could become entirely self sufficient when it comes to using locally grown crops and residues to fuel cars and tractors and to heat and power homes and buildings. Agrecol has just begun heating their farm with pellets produced from their seed operation.

