

# Award of Excellence

## Renovations to the Clarksville, IN – Little League Park

Civic/ Public Works/ Environment



**Contractor:** MAC Construction & Excavating

**Owner:** The Redevelopment Authority of the Town of Clarksville, IN

**Designer:** Browning Day Mullins Dierdorf Architects

**Sponsor:** Wells Fargo Insurance Services

By less than 1% difference in a competitive bid, MAC Construction & Excavating was the successful bidder to renovate and construct a new complex consisting of seven ball-fields, playgrounds, pavilion/concession building, bleachers, parking areas and other various components that make up a sports complex.

Beginning in November during wet conditions, 31 subcontractors, 26 suppliers and MAC worked to make the project a huge success. The project could be broken down into three divisions of work. Road construction, parking lots and

storm drainage was the first to be tackled. Next was the grading, stone placement, and asphalt surfacing, and finally construction of the structures, fencing, irrigation, and landscaping.

One unique aspect of the project is the Challenger Field, a T-ball sized field designed for handicap/wheelchair accessibility. This field utilizes synthetic surface over asphalt with strict adherence to grading tolerances to accommodate ADA guidelines.

When viewed from overhead the complex reveals a striking star shaped design that will provide years of enjoyment for the Clarksville community. Don Tetley, President of the Clarksville Redevelopment Commission said, "From groundbreaking to the dedication, MAC Construction was committed to the project beyond monetary incentive."