

TOUCH THE EARTH NATURAL AREA

BARTHOLOMEW



Located conveniently near SR 46 just west of Columbus, this preserve is larger than any park in Bartholomew County and is an excellent spot for hiking and bird-watching. A mowed parking area provides access to 2 mi of trails through scenic woods and fields that are old farm fields now reverting to nature. Touch the Earth was purchased by Sycamore in 1995 and 1998 thanks to gifts from a Bartholomew County family foundation.



DIRECTIONS: From Columbus, go west on SR 46 to Country Club Rd and turn left. From Bloomington/Nashville, go east on SR 46. Look for the blue water tower, and 4 mi after crossing the Bartholomew County line, turn right onto Country Club Rd. Entrance on your left after 0.5 mi.

