

About us

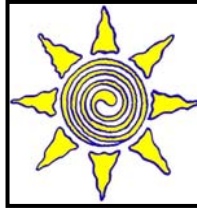
Owner:



Jeff Thibodeau, MLA

Jeff received his Masters Degree in Landscape Architecture from Cornell University in 1992. For the past 14 years, Jeff has managed or contributed to numerous landscape architecture and environmental protection projects throughout the

country and abroad. He has also served as former Director of Land Protection for The Compact of Cape Cod Conservation Trusts. His goal for **HELIOS** is to create beautiful, functional and sustainable landscapes that are in harmony with both people and nature.



The History of HELIOS

HELIOS, the sun god of the ancient Greeks, was usually represented riding a chariot which was drawn by four, often winged, horses. His chariot rose daily into the heavens from the east and after blazing across the sky plunged into the western sea, thus bringing on the night. The sun's brilliant light emanated from the fiery crown that adorned **HELIOS**'s head.

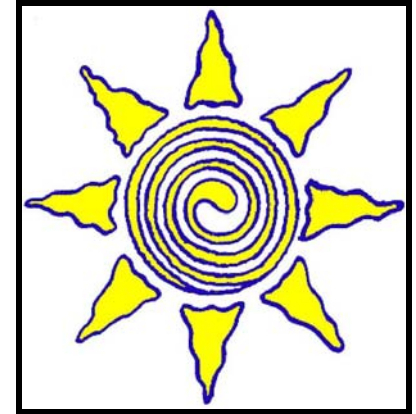
HELIOS made the fruits of the earth ripen and, similar to the Roman God Apollo, was associated with music, the arts, archery, healing, prophecy and light.

The statue of **HELIOS** known as the 'Colossus of Rhodes', completed in 292 B.C., was one of the wonders of the ancient world. **HELIOS** was represented with a crown of sun-rays, a spear in his left hand and a flaming torch held aloft in his right. Less than a century after its completion (in 224 BC), an earthquake destroyed the statue and it was never again erected. Descriptions of this ancient statue inspired the design of the Statue of Liberty.

The rays emanating from the head of **HELIOS** may have inspired the well-known Sunburst pattern. The sunburst spiral logo for **HELIOS** Land Design symbolizes the energy of the sun combined with the perfectly infinite reach of the spiral and signifies the bridging of heaven and earth that occurs in all physical creation.

HELIOS

LAND DESIGN



Offering the Following Services:

- Residential & Commercial Site Design & Planning
- Land Management, Planning & Permitting
- Land, Open Space & Wildlife Management Plans
- Geomancy, Sacred Space & Specialty Gardens

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Bridging Heaven and Earth

SERVICES OFFERED

• Residential & Commercial Site Design & Planning

Helios provides comprehensive landscape design and planning services including:

- Site Analysis and Assessment
- Design Consultation
- Landscape Design Plans
- Planting Plans & Plant Lists
- Construction Details and Documents
- Cost Estimates
- Construction Observation



Rose Quartz Ornamental Boulder

• Geomancy, Sacred Spaces & Specialty Gardens

Geomancy is an ancient art that focuses on fostering a deep and mutually healing relationship between humans and the earth through the creation of meaningful/sacred spaces. Indigenous cultures worldwide have created monuments based on these principals for centuries. Stonehenge, Bighorn Medicine Wheel, the Great Pyramids and Zen Gardens are a few well-known examples. These principles can be

integrated into any project or used to create specialty gardens such as:

- Sacred Spaces
- Solar Calendars
- Labyrinths
- Herbal/Medicinal Gardens
- Edible Landscapes
- Japanese/Zen gardens
- Native Plantscapes
- Wildlife-Friendly Gardens
- Sculpture Gardens

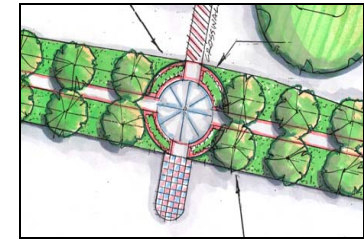


Solar Calendar Patio, Brewster

• Land, Open Space and Wildlife Management Plans

We provide comprehensive Land, Open Space and Wildlife Management Planning including:

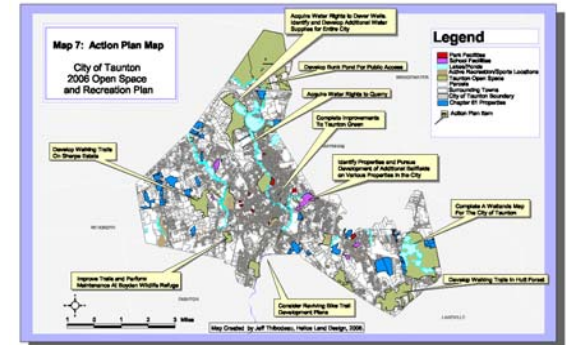
- Site Inventory and Assessment
- Habitat Identification, Protection, and Restoration Strategies
- Management Plans & Recommendations
- Municipal Open Space and Recreation Plans
- Public Reports and Presentations



• Mapping Services

We provide hand and computer generated illustration and mapping services including:

- Landscape architectural perspectives, elevations, and details
- AutoCAD Drawings
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Mapping



Example of GIS Map



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