

## Grand Opening of Green Hills Boardwalk

Saturday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> marked the official opening of the Green Hills of Platte Wildlife Preserve Wetland Boardwalk. A small crowd braved the cold weather and was treated to the boardwalk ribbon cutting followed by a nature walk led by Jim Reed of the Parkville Nature Sanctuaries.

The boardwalk was constructed using a grant from Kansas City Power & Light to the Friends of Green Hills Wildlife. It provides opportunities for people to view the wetland area and take time to reflect on the beauty that surrounds them. Platte County Parks and Recreation operates the Wildlife Preserve. The Preserve provides opportunities for people to experience varied ecosystems including prairie, wetland, and forest. Tours of the historic cabin on the property are also available by appointment (816-858-3419).

