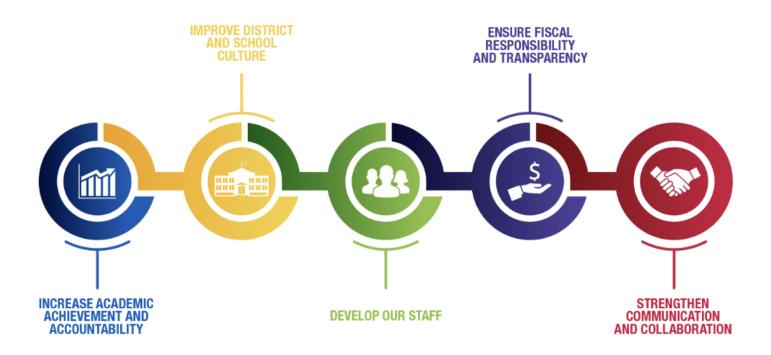


Five Priorities for Success





Citywide Region

Elementary

- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. -Community School (Candidate)
- Townsend Neighborhood School
- River Trail Agriculture Science

Middle Schools

- Andrew Douglas- Neighborhood School
- Green Tree Preparatory Charter
- Lincoln CA Arts Focus
- Roosevelt Arts Focus
- King MY IB
- Morse Gifted and Talented /Candidate for IB
- Wedgewood IB



Citywide Region

Our Scholars: 4,316

Our Schools: 10

• Our Staff: 587

• SwD: 21%

• ELL: 5.7%

Our Regional Team: 4





Citywide Data



Wedgewood MS



^Outlier change in score from last year (see below)

Dr. King Elementary



Lincoln Center of the Arts

Morse MS: 54.2 River Trail: 60.1

Roosevelt MS: 60.9 Rufus King MY: 54.8 Townsend ES: 55.1



New School status:

Green Tree Preparatory and Andrew Douglas

School Spotlight: River Trail Elementary School

Vision Statement

River Trail School will create a learner focused academic and mosaic of arts encompassing community services, agriculture, and technology. We will establish strong community partnerships that foster diversity and respect, encouraging students to become lifelong learners with strong character, steadfast in growing towards their full potential.





Historical Background

- First school in the state to receive AHA learning garden gift.
- Completed phase two of plan with composting of student food
- Created a three sisters pumpkin patch including: pumpkins, corn and beans
- Purchased three indoor greenhouses and two outdoor greenhouses
- Received through a grant hydroponics towers
- Started a 4-H Club
- Feeder school for Vincent's agriculture program





SWALES

WE PROPOSE:

- Cut swales to contour 30 feet apart, all the way down the slope to the street
- Plant trees behind the swales
- If possible, graze the swaths between the swales
- Sell all products to reinvest in the soil

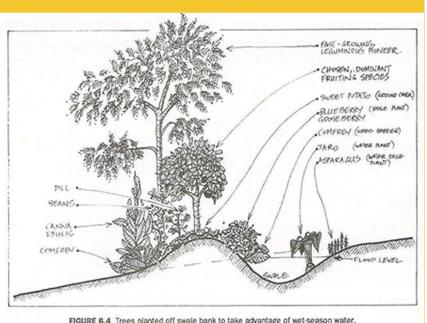


FIGURE 6.4 Trees planted off swale bank to take advantage of wet-season water.



Estimated Income

From plants alone, no annual crops:

Chestnuts: \$7,500

Pears: \$24,000

Hazelnuts \$13,000

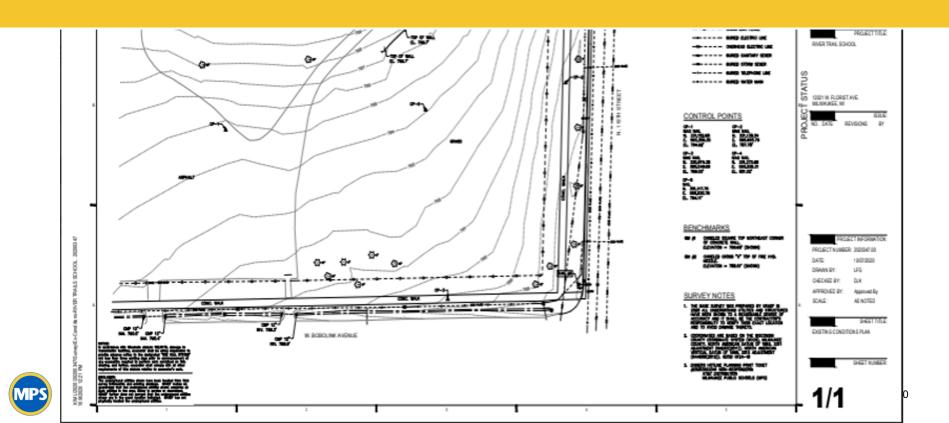
Projected profit/year \$44,500

Note: estimated income will support future expansion





Survey of Food Forest



River Trail's VISION





Partners in Agriculture

- Graef Engineering Consultant Firm
- Reflo Milwaukee
- 4H Agriculture Curriculum
- Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD)
- Milwaukee Brewers
- Natural Resources Conservation Services/USDA
- Fresh Thyme
- American Heart Association





Opportunities for Growth

- Early Literacy foundational skills
- Increase proficiency levels on the Forward/DLM
- Increase first time passing rate in algebra
- Improve culture and climate
- Reduce absenteeism rate
- High school readiness





Thank you.





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