# SITL Abridged Whole Farm Planning Outline Updated 11.28.2023

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## I. INTRODUCTION

Outline the context of the site and the goals for farm planning. How will the plan be used? Who are the stakeholders? What is the current future intent for the site?

## II. GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Outline the principles guiding land use at the site. What are the principles guiding SITL and the stakeholders? What qualities are of most importance to the stakeholders? What qualities are most important to SITL? Environmental stewardship, risk management, and economic sustainability are good starting places.

## III. REGIONAL CONTEXT

- A. Ecological Region Summary
- B. Past and Current Cultural Setting
- C. Regional Planning
- D. Transportation and Infrastructure

## IV. THE FARM

V.

- A. Site Description
- B. Natural Resources
- C. Agriculture and Working Lands
- D. Built Environment and Infrastructure

# E. Social and Human resources

## **OPPORTUNITIES AND CONSTRAINTS**

- A. Ecological Stewardship
- B. Risk Management
- C. Cost reduction
- D. Neighborhood
- E. Market Opportunities
- F. Conservation and farm programs
- G. Other, including recreation, agrotourism, and opportunities unique to the site.

### VI. RECOMMENDATIONS

- A. Ecological Stewardship
- B. Markets, marketing, and cropping strategies
- C. Tenants and Management Structure
- D. Revenue Generation

## VII. IMPLEMENTATION

A. Outline the next steps and implementation strategies for recommendations

### VIII. APPENDICES

### May Include:

- A. Soils report
- B. Farm business plan examples
- C. Samples leases
- D. Nutrient and pest management planning tools
- E. Supporting documents on watershed and ecoregion
- F. Maps