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PERRY COUNTY HOME FARM

The Perry County Home Farm project will create a learning center for students and residents. Utilizing the resource of land, the center will be a working laboratory for agroecology to provide workforce training in agriculture and related fields. In addition to strengthening workforce education, the center will accomplish community development goals such as soil remediation research for coal-impacted communities.

Project Type:

Strategic Planning

Estimated Cost:

TBD

Lead Agency:

Perry County Community Improvement Corporation (CIC)

Project Contact:

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Partner Agencies:

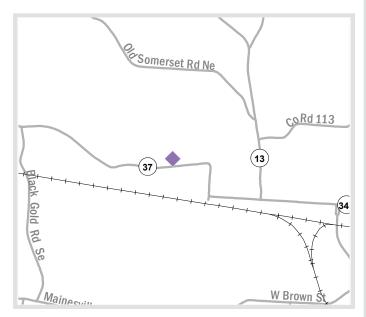
New Lexington City School District, Hocking College, Perry County Commissioners

Jobs Supported:

Development of skilled workforce

Project Benefits

- Advances economic development goals by addressing workforce needs for the county
- Fosters entrepreneurism with maker spaces and a business incubator
- Creates opportunities to train workers for culinary, food production, venticulture, and related employment
- Facilitates social investment in the community
- · Leverages an underutilized county-owned asset



Prioritized by:

PERRY COUNTY

Project Location

Former Perry County Home Farm located just west of the Village of New Lexington on SR 37



Aerial view of project location







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