



CONSERVATION EASEMENT FUNDING REQUEST

Jeffers Farm

- 57 acres, Leicester
- Recommended by the Agricultural Advisory Board
- Requesting \$18,000 in transaction costs
- Estimated easement value \$440,000
- Landowners willing to donate 25% of value
- 80% important agricultural soils
- Land to continue to be farmed
- Newfound Creek flows along the property and will be protected by a 70 foot riparian buffer
- Adjacent to Sycamore Valley Farm which is already protected with a conservation easement

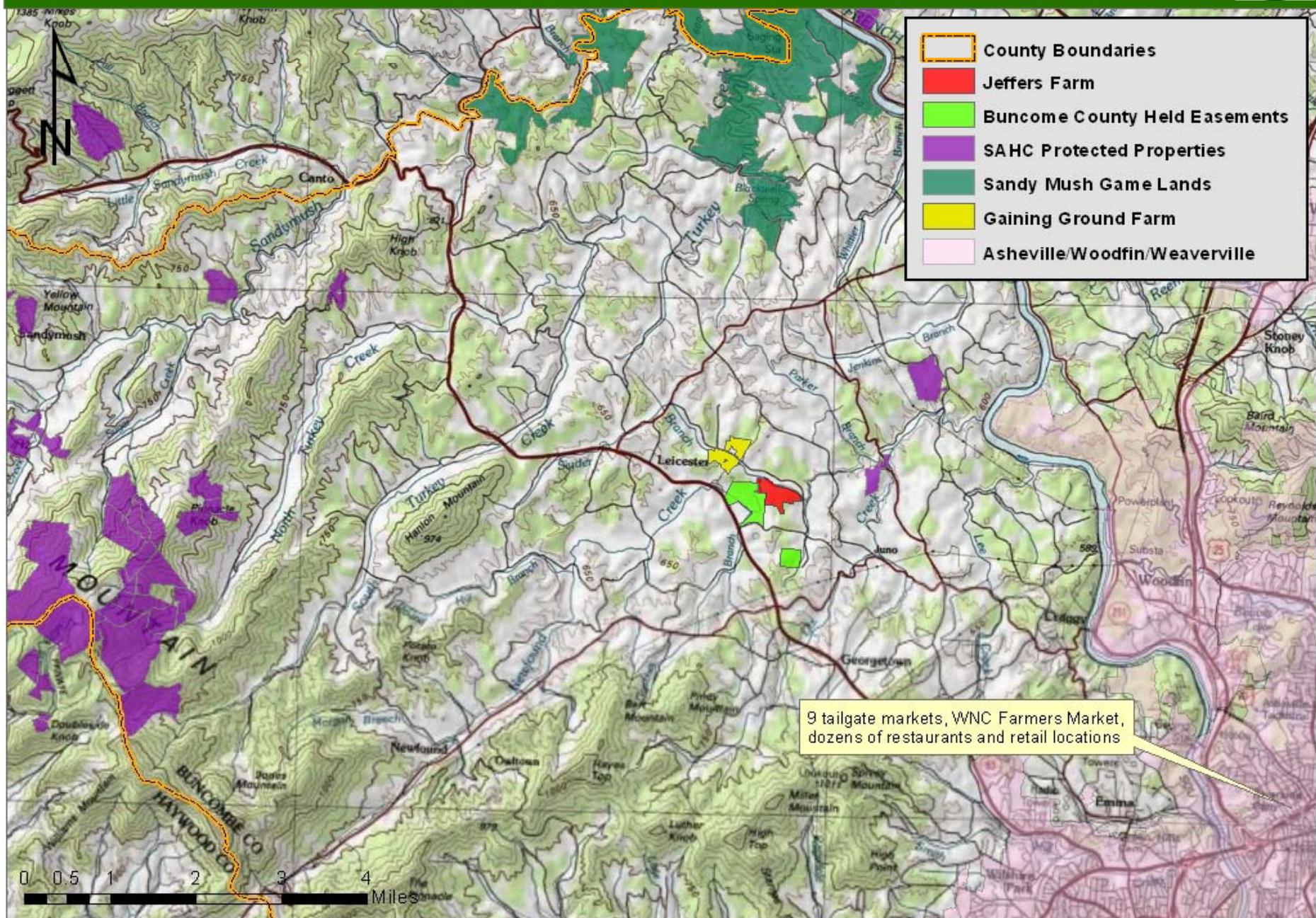
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- Leveraged funds:
 - Landowner donation \$110,660 (25% of value) and \$20,000 stewardship fund
 - NC Department of Agriculture \$55,330
 - US Department of Agriculture \$221,320
 - CTNC \$9,500
 - Private donation \$55,330



Map by Emily Bidgood
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Jeffers Farm Contextual Map



Map by William Hamilton
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Agricultural District Neighborhood

