

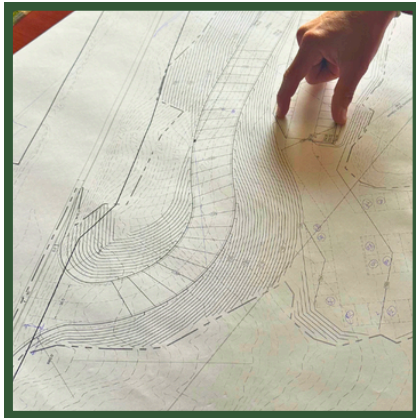
Community Trail Farm: Access Off Highway 33



The Final Step to Opening the Community Trail Farm?

An enhanced public entrance.

The Community Trail Farm is nearly ready to welcome the public—but before we open the gates, we want to improve the entrance for all in our community. We are currently using an existing entrance with our good neighbors in the adjoining trailer park. We are grateful for all our good neighbors that surround the ORA Community Trail Farm, and it has been a labor of love working with them. Our neighbors are playing a key role in our success, and we are grateful for their continued help and cooperation. We are in the process of creating a dedicated public access to successfully accommodate a higher volume of visitors.

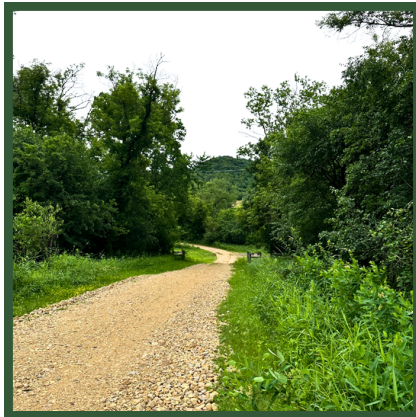


The Challenge.

The existing two-way “entrance” is narrow and part of a private driveway—not intended for public or high-traffic use.

The ORA challenge: Build a better, safer, wider Public Entrance west of the trailer court entrance. Our goal is to create:

- Entrance regrading and widening
- Safe vehicle pull-offs and turnarounds
- Site visibility and signage
- Safety and accessibility upgrades
- DOT permitting and construction coordination



Building this access point means we can:

- Open the farm for public exploration, education, and recreation
- Provide safe entry for all users—including families, schools, people with disabilities, and EMS vehicles
- Launch community programming, stewardship, and events
- Fulfill our mission of connecting people to nature—safely and equitably

Estimated Cost: \$500,000

We’ve completed engineering plans and will soon enter the bidding phase. Once complete, we could have the green light to move forward with building this out, if funding allows.

Want to help fund this essential piece of infrastructure? Make a donation at oratrails.org//trail-farm/ or mail a check to 125 7th St. N, La Crosse, WI, 54601