

80 AC CATON FARM ROAD FARM

Caton Farm Road
Joliet IL 60447

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County:	Kendall
Township:	Na-Au-Say
Gross Land Area:	80.00
Property Type:	Vacant Farm Land
Possible Uses:	Agricultural Production, Possible Development
Total Investment:	\$4,400,000.00
Unit Price:	\$55,000 per acre
Productivity Index (PI):	137.2
Buildings:	No Buildings
Zoning:	R-1B for Single family residential with R-B Corner Commercial



This exceptional 80-acre development opportunity is strategically positioned in Joliet's fastest-growing residential corridor. Annexed into the City of Joliet with water and sewer available at the property corner, this premier site offers everything developers seek: dual road frontage (2,658 feet on Caton Farm Road, 1,321 feet on S Arbeiter Road), predominantly level topography, and premium soils with minimal flood risk. Recent infrastructure upgrades include Caton Farm Road's expansion to a 5-lane urban roadway, positioning this turnkey site for immediate development.

The property serves a proven high-value market with median household incomes exceeding \$115,000 and an exceptionally low 0.7% poverty rate. Strong demand is evidenced by Vista Ridge Subdivision's recent approval (397 units) just half a mile away—the first major development since 2007, signaling renewed market confidence. Na-Au-Say Township has experienced explosive 540% population growth since 2000, driven by families seeking the highly-rated Oswego School District 308 and convenient access to Chicago (30–40 miles). Historical successes including Wesmere (800+ homes) and Kendall Ridge (665 units) established this corridor as a premier residential location.

Currently annexed and zoned R-1 (single family) and R-B commercial Corner by the City of Joliet. The 80-acre configuration offers flexible options for single-family residential, mixed housing types, or planned unit developments. With immediate infrastructure, superior demographics, top-rated schools, and strategic positioning in a corridor poised for significant expansion, this site represents a rare opportunity in suburban Chicago's most dynamic growth market.

LISTING DETAILS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Listing Name: 80 AC Caton Farm Road Farm
Tax ID Number/APN: 06-27-400-001
Possible Uses: Currently in Agricultural Production, but zoned for residential development. This is a premier residential development opportunity. Property annexed into City of Joliet with immediate utility access. Ideal for single-family residential, mixed housing, or planned unit development. Currently generating agricultural income while development plans are finalized.
Zoning: R-1B for Single Family Residential Development and R-B Business District at the corner of Caton Farm and Arbeiter road.

AREA & LOCATION

School District: Oswego Community Unit School District 308 (Preschool - 12th Grade)
Location Description: This property is strategically located in southeastern Kendall County in Na-Au-Say Township, approximately 2 miles northeast of Minooka, Illinois and 8 miles southwest of Joliet.
Site Description: This 80-acre development site presents an ideal configuration with clean boundaries, efficient layout, and exceptional natural drainage characteristics that minimize infrastructure costs. The property's predominantly level topography is optimal for residential development, while a small natural drainage creek in the northwest corner provides an attractive natural amenity for future open space, trails, or buffer areas. The site's rectangular configuration offers flexible development options including phased construction, multiple product types, or a single cohesive master-planned community.
Side of Street: The property is situated along Caton Farm Road, a well-maintained county road providing excellent year-round access. The eastern boundary fronts S Arbeiter Road, offering additional access options and excellent visibility.
Highway Access: Interstate & Highway Access:
I-80: 6 miles south - major east-west interstate corridor
I-55: 10 miles east - connects Chicago to St. Louis
U.S. Route 52: 3.5 miles south - principal east-west arterial
Illinois Route 47: 8 miles west - north-south state highway
IL Rt. 126 is only 2.8 miles north.
Caton Farm Road: Direct paved access along southern boundary
Road Type: Caton Farm Road: Paved, county-maintained rural collector road along southern boundary
S Arbeiter Road: Paved road along eastern boundary
Legal Description: S1/2 SE1/4 of Section 27, Township 36 North, Range 8 East, Kendall County, Illinois
Property Visibility: With frontage on both Caton Farm Road and S Arbeiter Road, this property provides excellent access and visibility in a rapidly growing market area.
Largest Nearby Street: Caton Farm Road - principal east-west corridor through Na-Au-Say Township
Connects to major state highways and interstate access
Primary corridor for agricultural product transportation
Transportation: Closest Metra and Amtrack Stations:
Joliet Gateway Center (Rock Island District and Heritage Corridor lines) - approximately 13 miles
Pace Bus Depot Plainfield 8 miles. (Chicago to Plainfield)

Airport Distances:

Chicago Midway International Airport (MDW) - approximately 42-43 miles (45-minute drive)
Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD) - approximately 53 miles (1 hour drive)

LAND RELATED

Lot Frontage (Feet): Caton Farm Road: 2,658.92 feet
Arbeiter Road: 1,321.76 feet
Total Frontage: 3,980.68 feet
This corner property has substantial road frontage on both streets, which provides excellent visibility

and multiple access points.
There is approximately 75.38 tillable acres.
There are no buildings on this property.
Currently Zoned: A-1, Agriculture
WETLANDS:
Classification: R4SBC - Riverine
Total Wetland Area: 0.76 acres (less than 1%)
Location: Limited to natural drainage creek in northwest corner
Data Source: USDA National Wetlands Inventory

FEMA FLOOD INFORMATION:
Zone AE (100-year Floodplain + Floodway): 10.75 acres (13.7%) - Limited to creek corridor
Zone X (500-year Floodplain): 0.73 acres (0.9%)
Elevation Range: 585.8 to 604.9 feet above sea level
Average Elevation: 596.8 feet
Total Relief: 19.1 feet
Terrain: Predominantly flat to gently sloping (0-2% slopes)
Drainage: Natural drainage creek through northwest corner
Contour Pattern: Gentle slope from northwest to southeast

Soil Breakdown:
Drummer Silty Clay Loam (152A) - 34.93 acres (46.3%)
Martinton Silt Loam (189A) - 27.13 acres (36.0%)
Mundelein Silt Loam (442A) - 7.76 acres (10.3%)
Milford Silty Clay Loam (69A) - 5.56 acres (7.4%)
Premium soils provide stable building conditions

Both sewer and water are near the site at the southeast corner and available from the city of Joliet.

Tillable Acres:
Buildings:
Zoning Description:
Flood Plain or Wetlands:

Topography:

Soil Type:

Available Utilities:

FINANCIALS

Finance Data Year:

2024 Tax Year, Payable 2025

Real Estate Taxes:

Annual Property Taxes: \$4,408.66
Tax Per Acre: Approximately \$55.00 per acre

Investment Amount:

\$4,400,000.00
-or-
\$55,000 per acre

LOCATION

Address:

Caton Farm Road, Minooka, Illinois 60447

County:

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PROPERTY NOTES

MARKET DEMOGRAPHICS

ZIP 60447 (Property Location)

- **Median Income:** \$115,039 (31% above Joliet average)
- **Population:** 16,099 | **Poverty Rate:** 0.7%
- **Demographics:** 76.6% White, 16.6% Hispanic, median age 35.4

Na-Au-Say Township

- **Growth:** 1,672 (2000) ? 10,708+ (2024) = 540% increase
- **Character:** 90% homeownership, highly-rated schools, affluent families

Tapestry Segments

Target Profiles: Affluent Estates (Boomburbs, Savvy Suburbanites) | Family Landscapes (Soccer Moms, Home Improvement)

Characteristics: Upper-middle income families, suburban homeowners, Chicago commuters

DEVELOPMENT CONTEXT

Infrastructure & Utilities

- **Status:** Annexed into Joliet | Water & sewer at property corner
- **Road:** Caton Farm upgraded to 5-lane urban roadway
- **Frontage:** 2,658' Caton Farm + 1,321' Arbeiter Road

Recent Comparable Development

Vista Ridge Subdivision (0.5 miles east, approved Dec 2024):

- 321 single-family + 76 townhomes on 120 acres (~3.3 units/acre)
- Ryan Homes builder | First major development since 2007
- Demonstrates strong market demand returning to corridor

Planning Designations

- **Current:** A-1 Agriculture | **Future:** Residential (annexed into Joliet)
- **Schools:** Oswego District 308 (highly-rated, fastest-growing in IL)
- **Plans:** Joliet updating comprehensive plan (1st in 60 years) | Kendall County LRMP designates Low Density Residential

INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

- **Location:** Established growth corridor, 30-40 miles from Chicago
- **Demographics:** \$115k median income, 0.7% poverty, affluent target market
- **Infrastructure:** Complete utilities, upgraded 5-lane road, full municipal services
- **Market Validation:** 397-unit Vista Ridge approved nearby, Ryan Homes confidence

- **Schools:** Top-rated Oswego District 308, major growth driver
- **Timing:** Market revival after 16-year pause, strong pent-up demand

KEY SOURCES

Tapestry: esri.com/tapestry-segmentation

Demographics: illinois-demographics.com/60447 | datausa.io/joliet

Vista Ridge: patch.com/joliet/321-new-homes

Joliet Plan: joliet.gov/comprehensive-plan

Kendall LRMP: kendallcountyil.gov/lrmp



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PROPERTY MAP



CATON FARM & RIDGE ROAD BUSINESSES

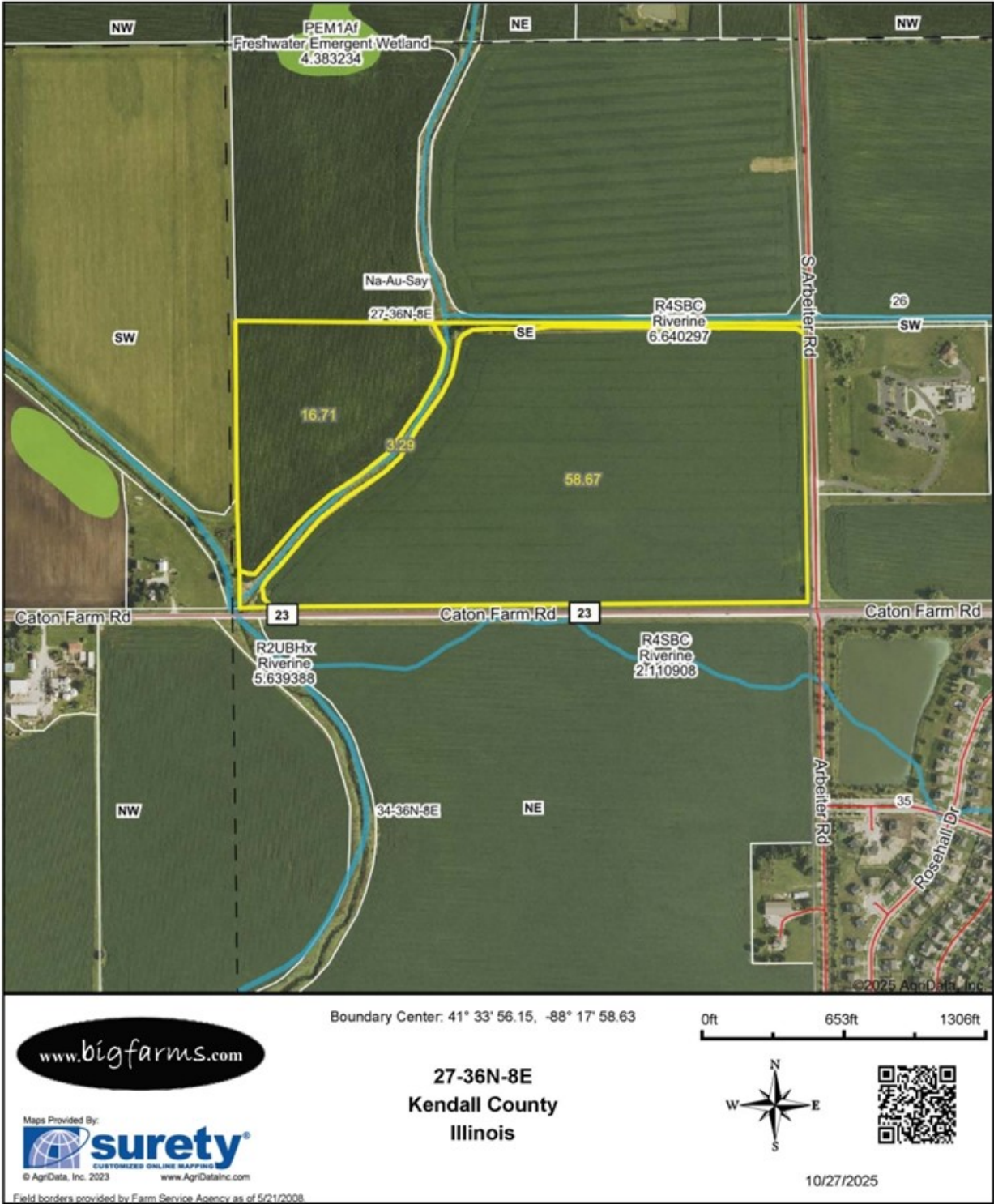


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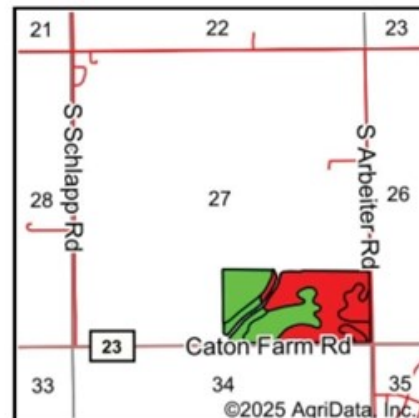
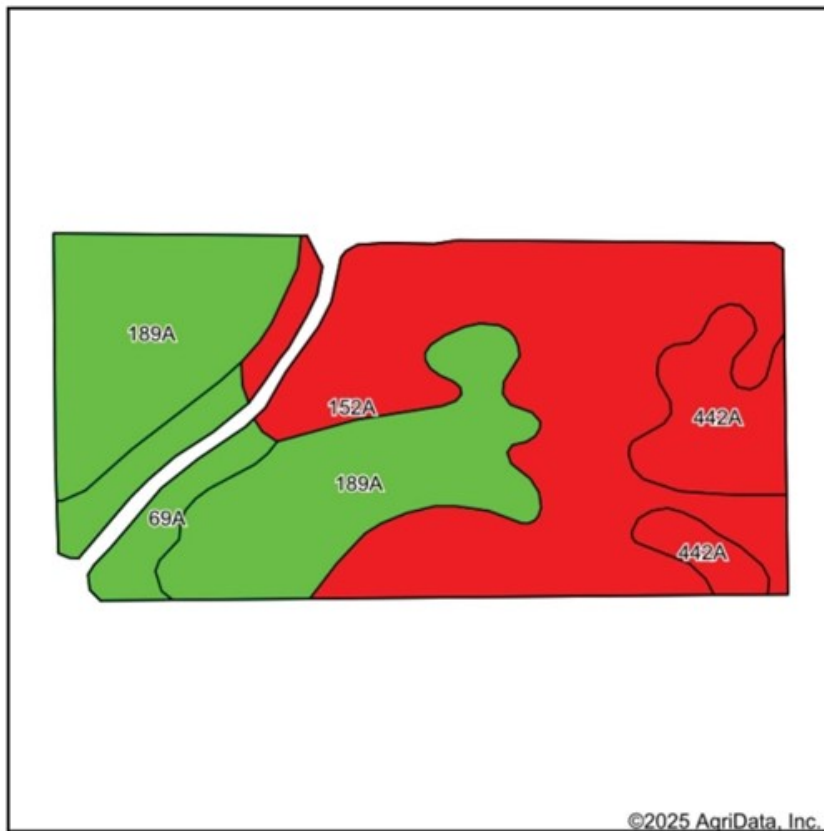
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FSA AERIAL MAP



SOIL MAP



State: **Illinois**
County: **Kendall**
Location: **27-36N-8E**
Township: **Na-Au-Say**
Acres: **75.38**
Date: **10/27/2025**

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Soils data provided by USDA and NRCS.

Area Symbol: IL093, Soil Area Version: 22

Code	Soil Description	Acres	Percent of field	Il. State Productivity Index Legend	Corn Bu/A	Soybeans Bu/A	Crop productivity index for optimum management
**152A	Drummer silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	34.93	46.3%		**195	**63	**144
189A	Martinton silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	27.13	36.0%		173	57	130
442A	Mundelein silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	7.76	10.3%		188	60	138
**69A	Milford silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	5.56	7.4%		**171	**57	**128
Weighted Average					184.6	60.1	137.2

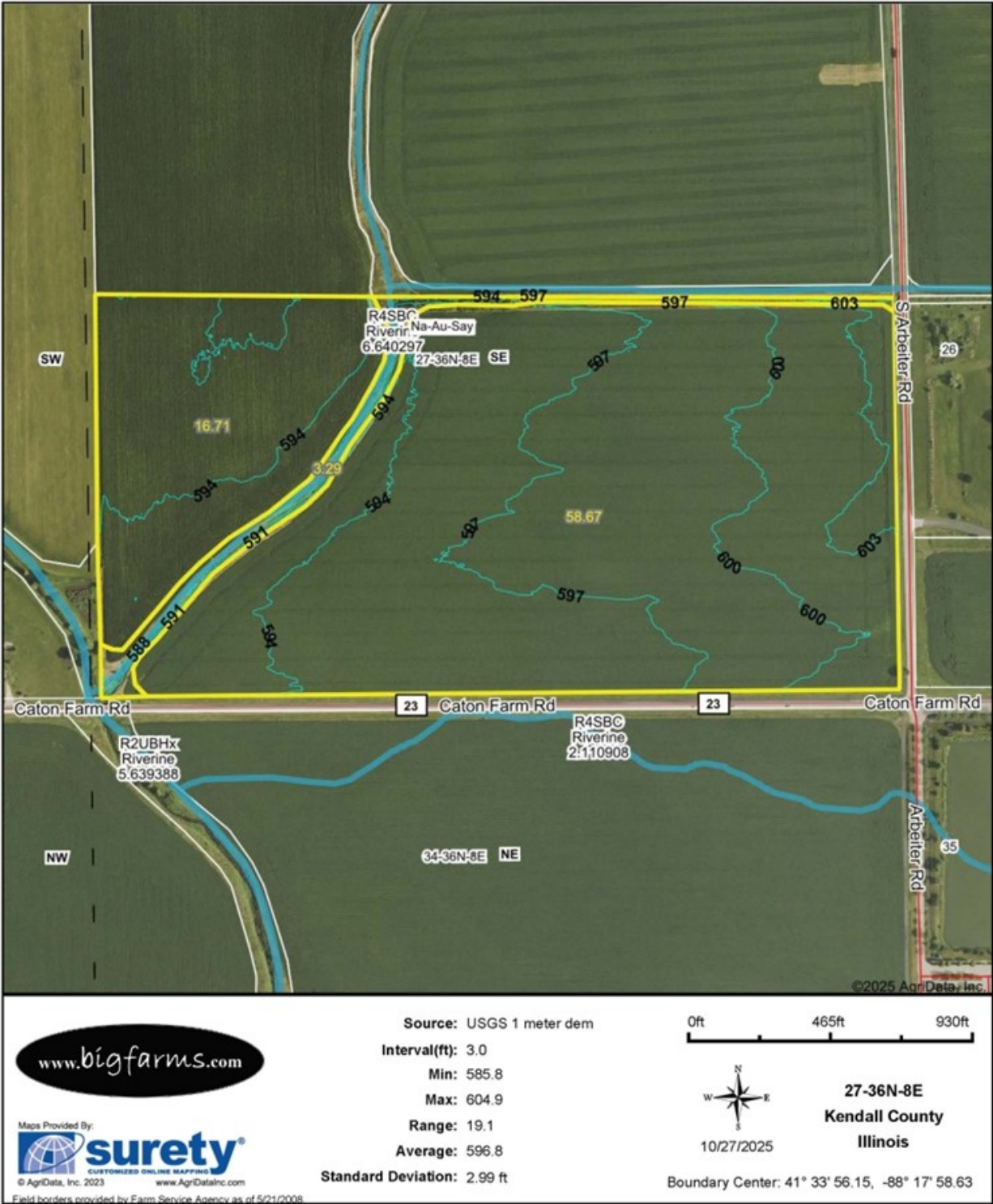
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Crop yields and productivity (B811 EFOTG) are maintained at the following USDA web site: 2023 Illinois Soil Productivity and Yield Indices:

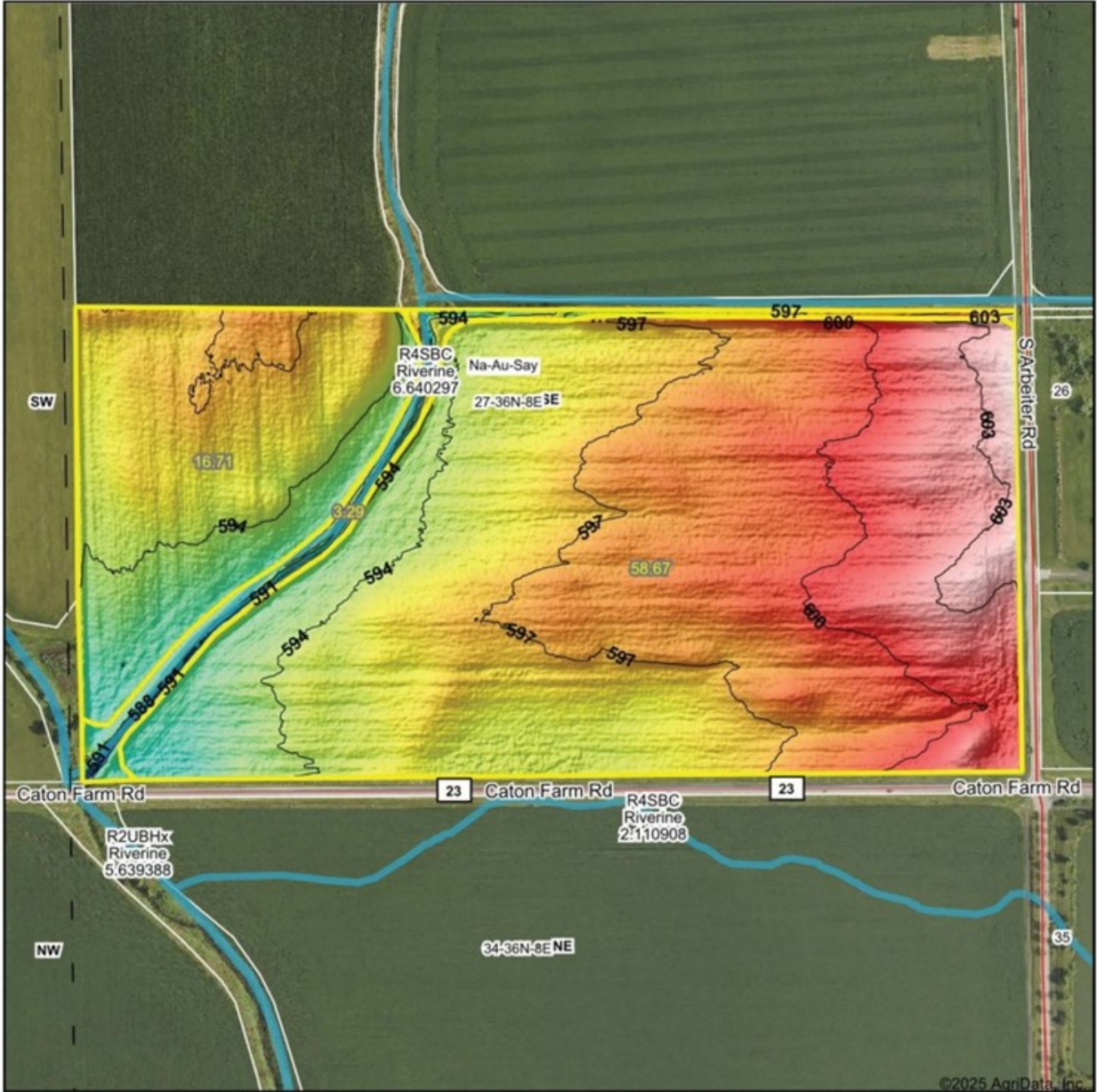
<https://efotg.sc.egov.usda.gov/#/state/IL/documents/section=2&folder=52809>

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TOPO CONTOURS MAP

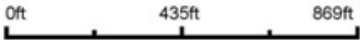


TOPO HILLSHADE MAP



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Field borders provided by Farm Service Agency as of 5/21/2008.

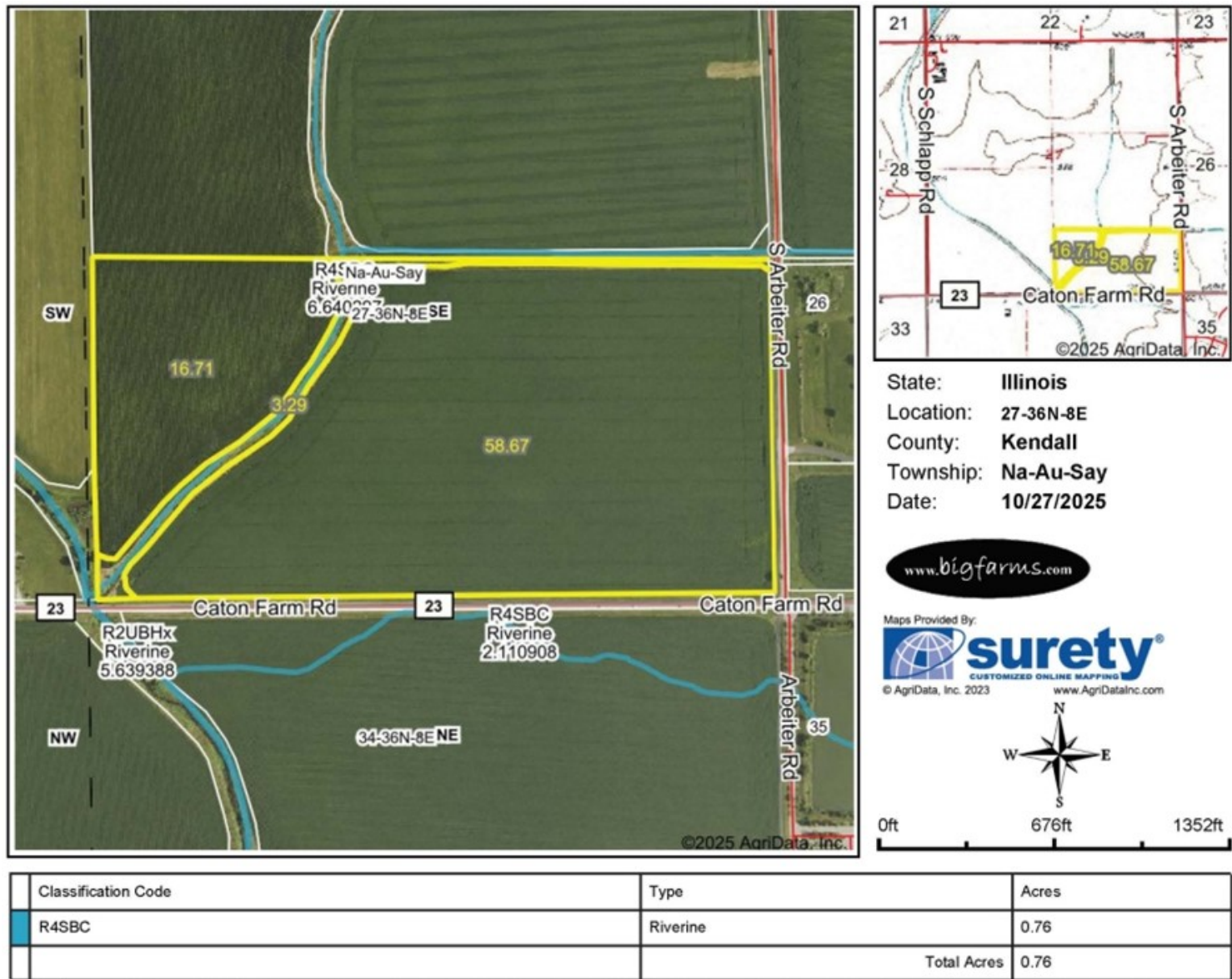
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Interval(ft): 3
Min: 585.8
Max: 604.9
Range: 19.1
Average: 596.8
Standard Deviation: 2.99 ft



27-36N-8E
Kendall County
Illinois

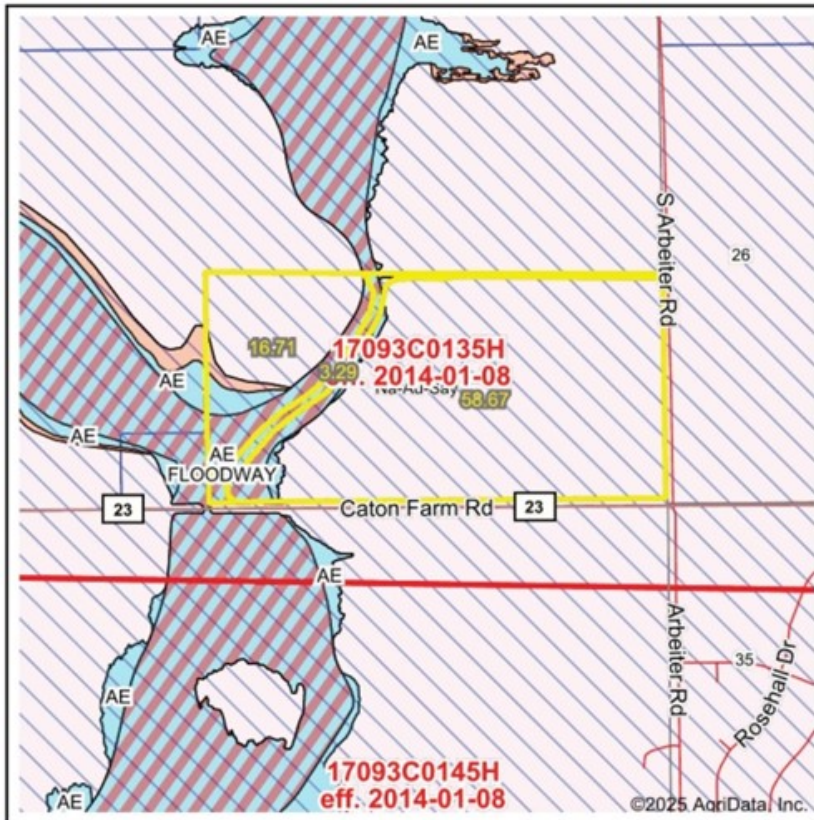
Boundary Center: 41° 33' 56.15, -88° 17' 58.63

WETLAND MAP



Data Source: National Wetlands Inventory website. U.S. Dol, Fish and Wildlife Service, Washington, D.C. <http://www.fws.gov/wetlands/>

FEMA REPORT



Map Center: 41° 33' 54.7, -88° 18' 0.03
State: IL Acres: 78.67
County: Kendall Date: 10/27/2025
Location: 27-36N-8E
Township: Na-Au-Say



Name	Number	County	NFIP Participation	Acres	Percent
CITY OF JOLIET	170702	Kendall	Regular	78.67	100%
Total				78.67	100%
Map Change		Date	Case No.	Acres	Percent
No				0	0%
Zone	SubType		Description	Acres	Percent
X	AREA OF MINIMAL FLOOD HAZARD		Outside 500-year Floodplain	67.19	85.4%
AE	FLOODWAY		100-year Floodplain	8.55	10.9%
AE			100-year Floodplain	1.23	1.6%
X	0.2 PCT ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD HAZARD		500-year floodplain	0.73	0.9%
AE			100-year Floodplain	0.53	0.7%
AE			100-year Floodplain	0.33	0.4%
AE			100-year Floodplain	0.11	0.1%
Total				78.67	100%
Panel		Effective Date		Acres	Percent
17093C0135H		1/8/2014		78.67	100%
Total				78.67	100%

MARK GOODWIN PROFESSIONAL BIOGRAPHY

Goodwin & Associates Real Estate, LLC is an experienced Illinois land brokerage firm located in Shorewood, Illinois. We specialize in vacant land sales including farmland and commercial/residential development land. Managing Illinois Land Broker and owner, Mark Goodwin, has extensive background in both agriculture and Real Estate, which provides him the knowledge to effectively negotiate and close transactions.

Since 1996, Mark Goodwin has successfully provided brokerage services to landowners throughout the Midwest earning him the title of Accredited Land Consultant, (ALC) designated by the Realtors Land Institute. Throughout his life experiences Mark has acquired a unique background of understanding both the agricultural side of land sales as well as the development side and has made numerous valuable contacts with land owners, brokers and developers. Mark was awarded Illinois Land Broker of the Year in 2011 by the Illinois RLI Chapter.



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