



Kohl Park Wildlife Enhancements

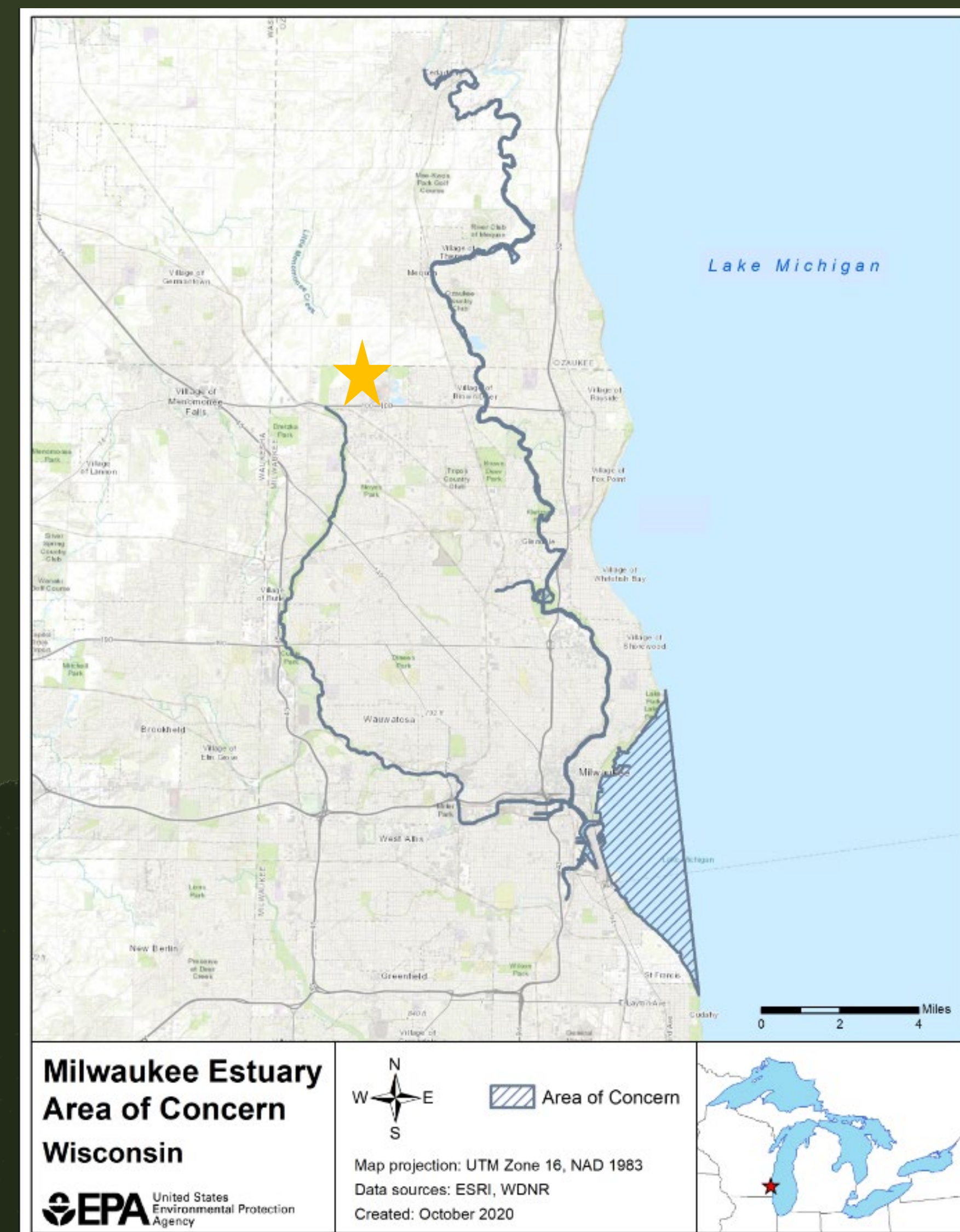
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Kohl Park and the AOC

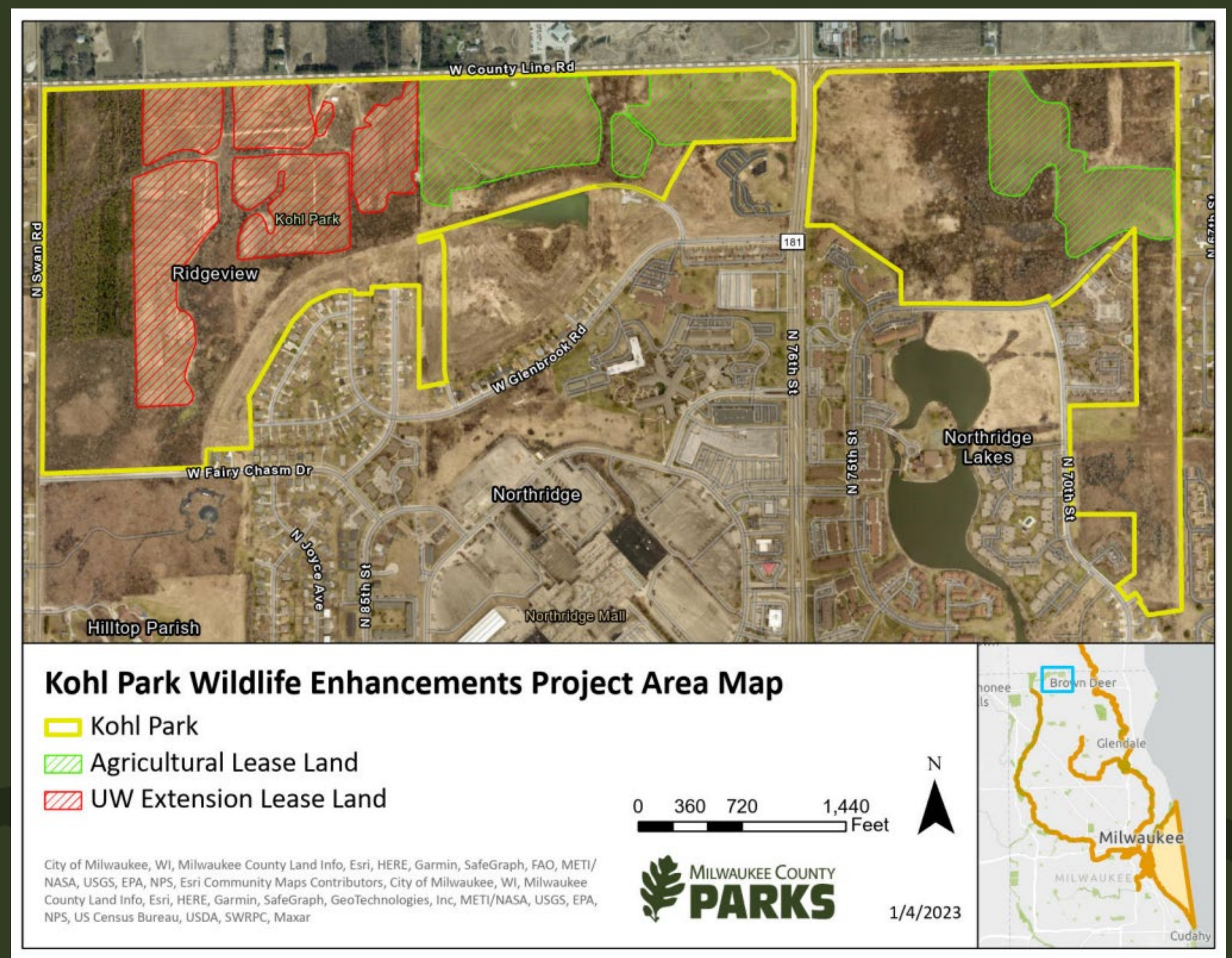
- The Milwaukee Estuary designated as an Area of Concern in 1987
- Put us on a list of the most polluted sites on the Great Lakes
- Milwaukee County committed to help delist the AOC by implementing projects that address issues that have impacted our waters and natural areas



Goals

Kohl Park Project will:

- Improve habitat to support healthy populations of fish and wildlife
- Delist the Milwaukee Estuary Area of Concern by 2030
- Expect to begin habitat assessments and field surveys for Kohl Park in Spring 2024.





Kohl Park Funding & Timeline



This project is fully federally funded and does not require a match.

Grant Agreement was executed in December 2023 for \$200,000

2024 – 2025: Phase 1 Planning Habitat and Baseline Assessments

2024 – 2025: Phase 1 Planning Develop Ecological Restoration and Management Plan

2026: Phase 2 Design Develop Habitat Restoration Plan set (consultant)

New grant to fund restoration work after the ERMP and HRP are successfully completed.



Questions?



Thank You!