

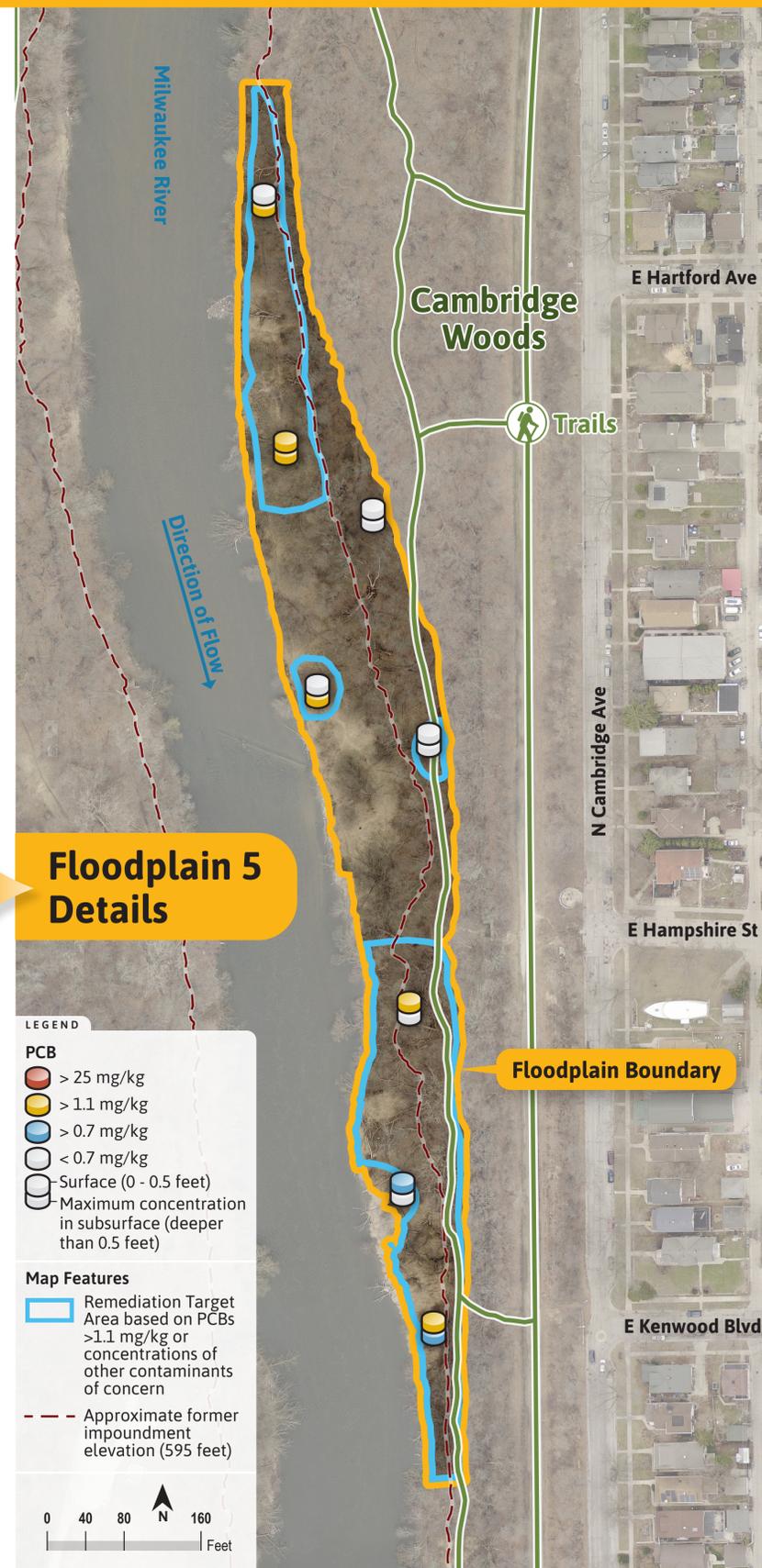
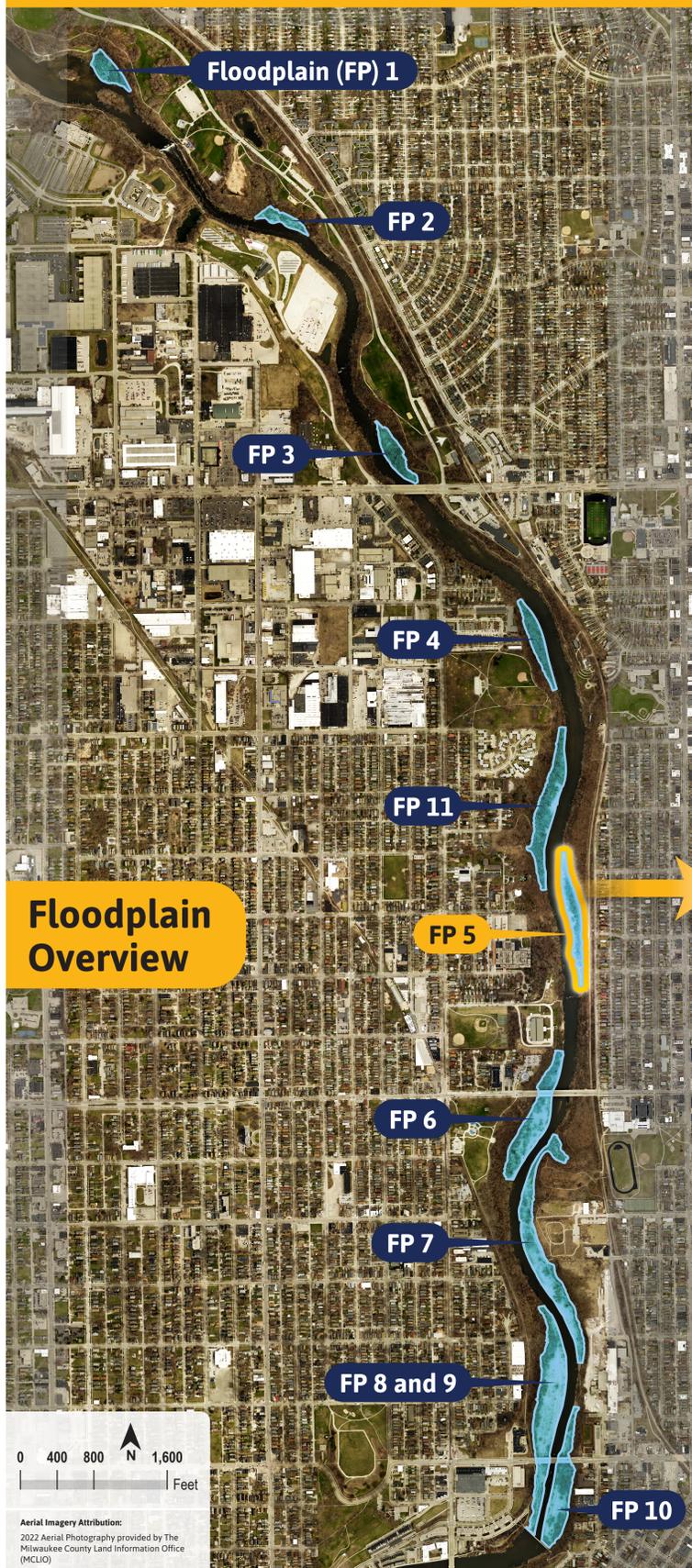


FLOODPLAIN 5

Cambridge Woods Park—Intersection of N. Cambridge and E. Providence Avenues



WATERWAY RESTORATION PARTNERSHIP
MILWAUKEE ESTUARY AREA OF CONCERN



Floodplain and Cleanup Features

- Floodplain area: **3.1 acres**
- Cleanup area: **1.6 acres**
- Volume to be removed: **3,700 cubic yards**
- Likely maximum excavation depth: **2.5 feet below existing ground**
- Contaminants of concern in soil:
 - PCBs (polychlorinated biphenyls 0.024 - 7.09 mg/kg)
 - Benzo(a)pyrene (0.11 - 9.8 mg/kg)
 - Metals (arsenic 2.7 - 11.1 mg/kg and lead 13 - 1470 mg/kg)

Habitat Features

- **Current**
 - Cambridge Woods contains quality remnant woodland and an important southern mesic forest reference site for the Milwaukee River Greenway, retaining some of the greatest natural diversity of flora and fauna in the Greenway*
 - 86% forested (floodplain or southern mesic) and wetland areas and 14 % disturbed or degraded land
- **Future considerations***
 - Combination restoration actions including elimination of invasive species, planting native species, planting saplings to enhance mature tree canopy
 - Management of the area for migratory bird habitat

*Milwaukee County Parks' Milwaukee River Greenway Ecological Restoration and Management Plan (12/7/22)

