

# Investor Presentation November 2021

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**Iroquois Valley Farmland REIT** is a real estate investment company that provides land access and working capital for the next generation of organic farmers through innovative mortgages, leases, and operating lines of credit.

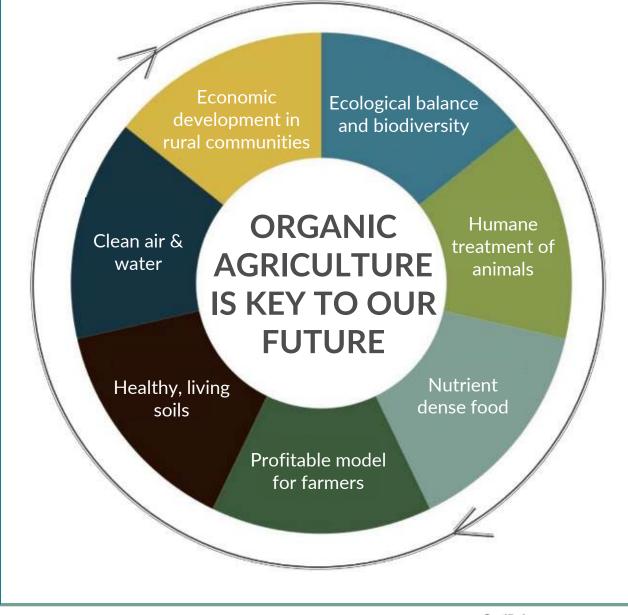






### USDA ORGANIC STANDARD

"Cultural, biological and mechanical practices that support the cycling of on-farm resources, promote ecological balance, and conserve biodiversity"









### **BUT ONLY**



### OF U.S. FARMLAND IS CERTIFIED ORGANIC

FARMERS FACE MANY BARRIERS TO ESTABLISHING AND EXPANDING ORGANIC FARMS, INCLUDING:

- Access to land
- Access to financing
- Support through the 3-year transition to organic
- Shared risk from lenders
- Long-term commitment from financial partners







## **IROQUOIS VALLEY EXPANDS ORGANIC**

#### **BARRIERS TO ENTRY**

#### **OUR SOLUTION**

- Access to land
- Access to financing
- Support through the 3-year transition to organic
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LEASES & MORTGAGES PROVIDE LAND ACCESS FINANCIAL PRODUCTS STRUCTURED FOR THE ORGANIC TRANSITION

LONG-TERM COMMITMENTS FROM DIVERSE INVESTOR BASE

INVESTOR RETURNS LINKED TO FARMER PERFORMANCE

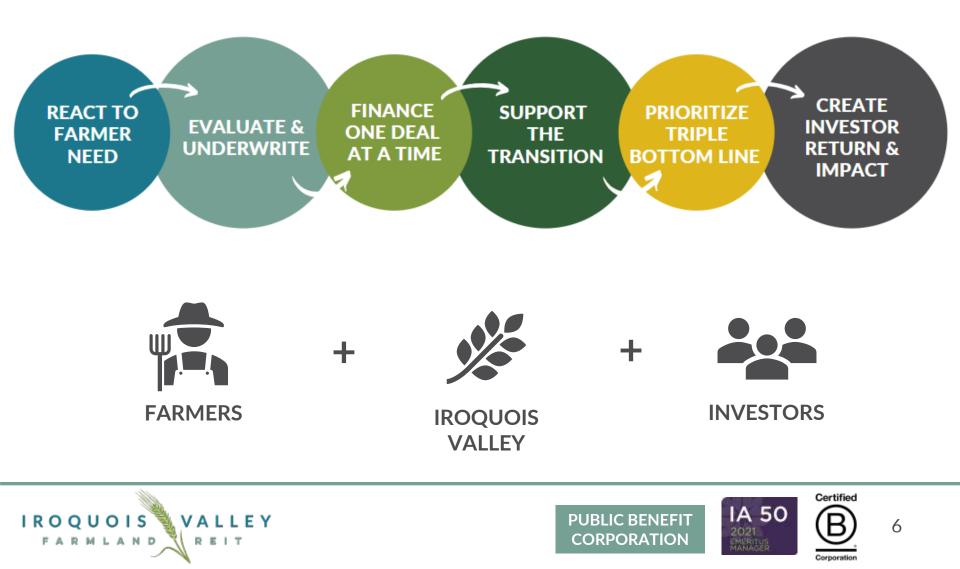






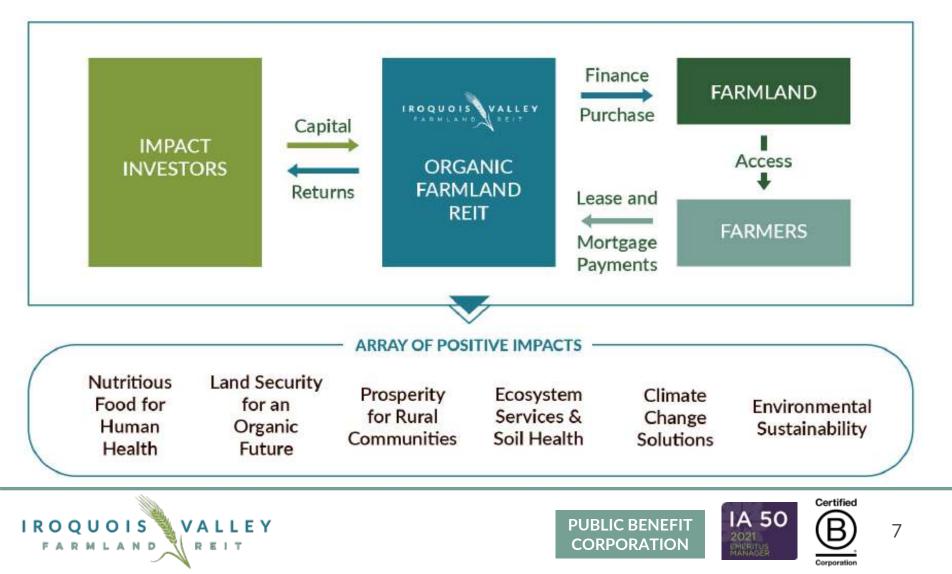


## OUR MODEL FOR GROWTH IS UNIQUE



### **BUILT FOR SCALE & IMPACT**

Investor Capital Finances Organic Farmland, Creating Financial Returns and Positive Impacts



### FIRST DEAL – JANIE'S FARM

#### FARMERS

Harold & Ross Wilken - Iroquois County, IL

#### SIZE

457 acres of certified organic farmland

#### WHAT THEY RAISE

Edible beans and grains, with a focus on specialty milling grains for flour.

#### NOTABLE FACTS

- With the support of bakeries, Harold built a mill to process organic grains, which began operating in 2017. Janie's Mill is the only organic flour mill in its area.
- In Spring 2020, Janie's Mill was featured in BBC News for its success during COVID-19.















## **NEW DEAL – PRAIRIE GRASS RANCH**

#### FARMER

Jody & Crystal Manuel - Hill County, MT

#### SIZE

3,665 acres of certified organic farmland

#### WHAT THEY RAISE

Diversified crop rotation of heritage grains & beans including lentils, peas, chickpeas, alfalfa, sanfoin, kernza, and grass-fed beef.

#### NOTABLE FACTS

• In spring 2020, the Manuels planted their first test acres of kernza®, the perennial grain developed by The Land Institute. They plan to have all of their cropland established in perennials by 2025, which will allow them to move to a no-till system.









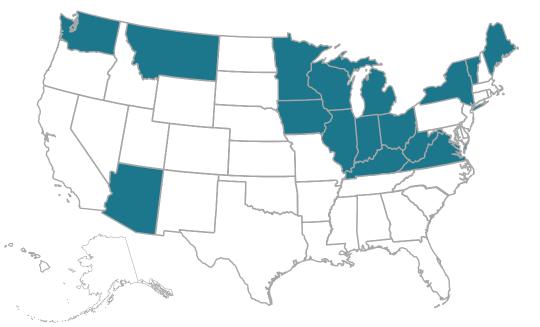




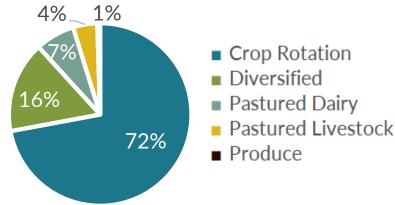
## **OUR PORTFOLIO TODAY**

#### **INVESTMENT MAP**

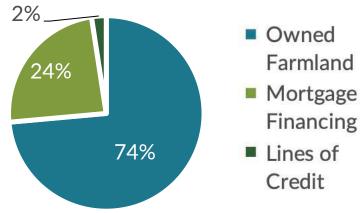
**PRODUCTION MIX** 



Iroquois Valley has made nearly **110** farmland investments since its inception and currently has **99** active investments in **80** properties. The **99** investments include **50** long-term leases, **39** mortgages, and **10** lines of credit. Our farmers are rooted in **49** counties across **16** states.



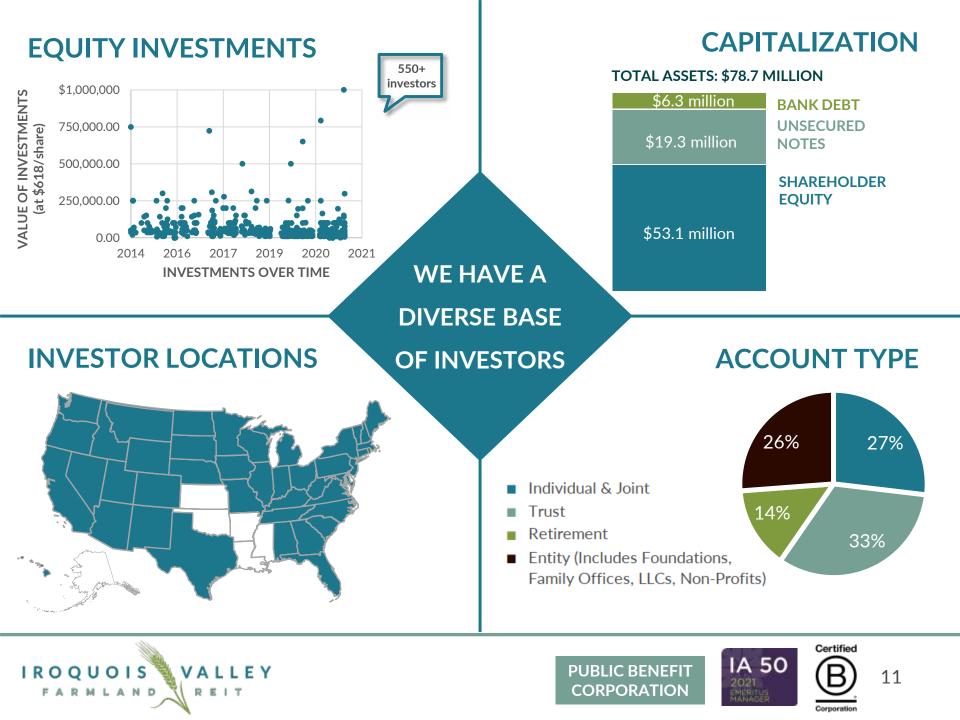
#### PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN

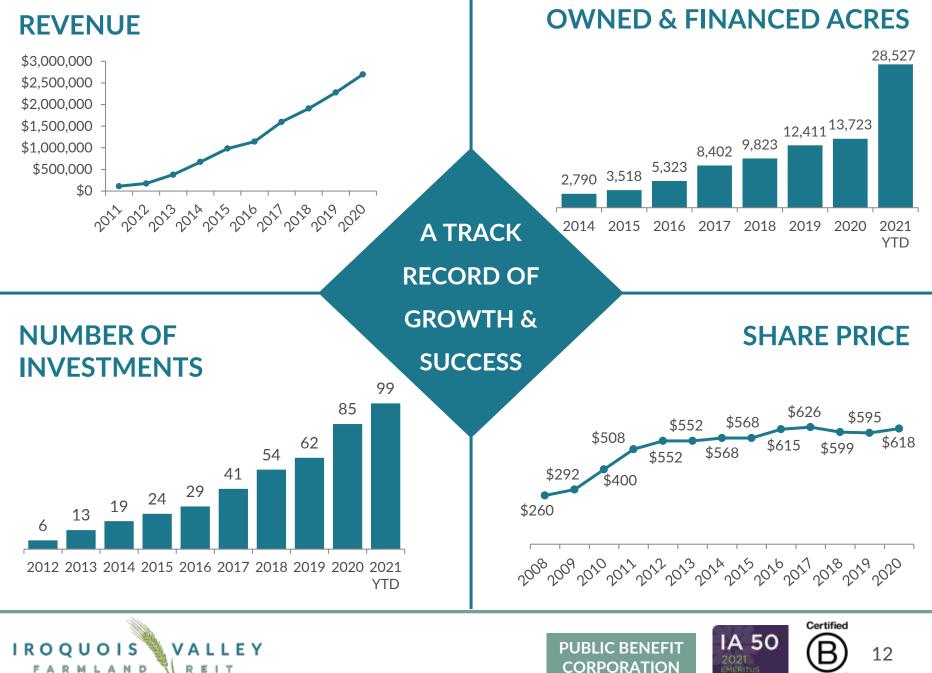








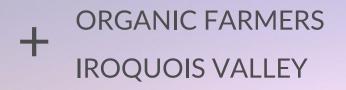




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## **OUR IMPACT**



WE CREATE PUBLIC BENEFIT BY ENABLING HEALTHY FOOD PRODUCTION, RESTORING SOIL, AND IMPROVING WATER QUALITY THROUGH THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SECURE AND SUSTAINABLE FARMLAND TENURE.

### **HUMAN HEALTH**

as result of healthy food grown in nutrient rich, living soil



leads to biodiversity, clean waters, and carbon sequestration

### PLANET HEALTH

as result of thriving ecosystems and carbon sequestration







#### OUR COMMITMENT TO CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

We take pride in our commitment to impact and creating public benefit through our work. Our farmers do too, and some have gone above and beyond USDA-certified organic to recognize their practices and differentiate themselves in the market.















## **INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **REIT EQUITY SHARES**

Own stock in a diversified portfolio of organic farmland supporting independent farmers

"Growth and income" return: dividend plus appreciation of land

Accessible minimum investment: \$10,506 (17 shares)

Redemption rights accrue after 5 years

Available to retail investors\*

\*Investment amount must not exceed 10% of annual income or net worth

#### SOIL RESTORATION NOTES

Loan Iroquois Valley capital to acquire farmland

Receive 2.00% annual return in semiannual interest payments

5-year term

Accessible minimum investment: \$50,000

Available to accredited investors only\*

\*For more information on what defines an accredited investor, please visit the SEC website or reach out to our investment department at invest@iroquoisvalleyfarms.com











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