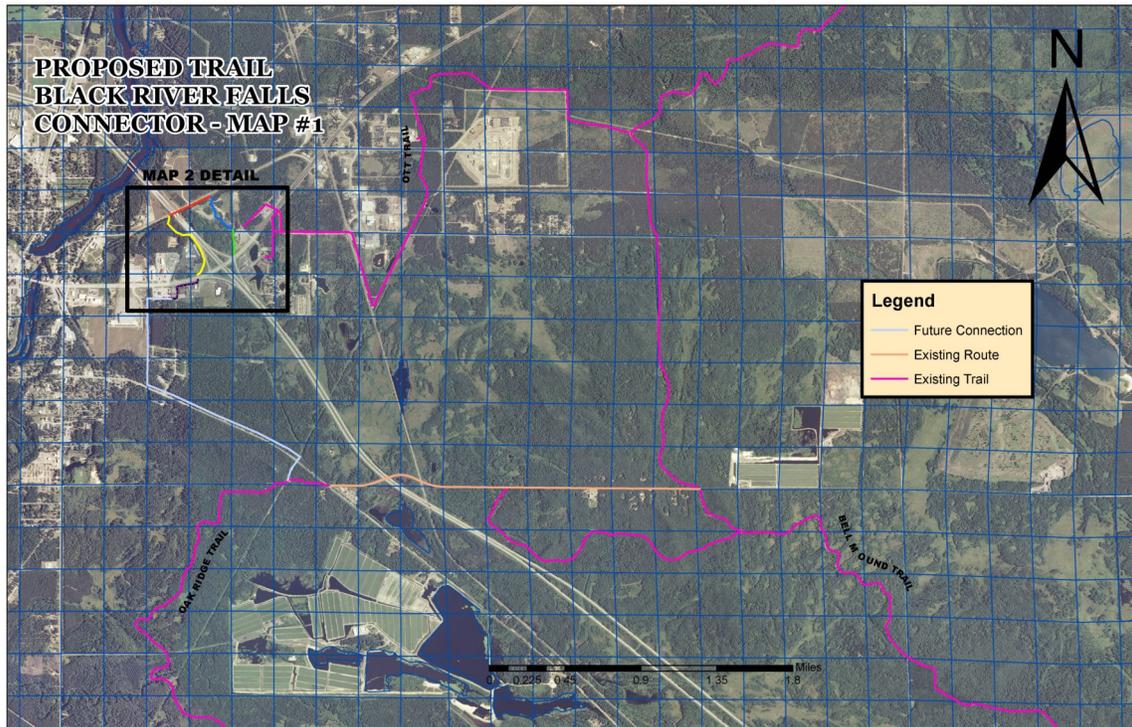


New Black River Falls city trail link opens



A new connector trail is open from the Oak Ridge Trail to the south side of Hwy. 54 in the city of Black River Falls. The trail (outlined in light blue) connects at the Seventh Street Parking Lot near Hwy. 12 and comes in behind Wal-Mart.

The trail also provides access to Kwik Trip, McDonald's, Burger King and ends at Days Inn.

Work begins this summer on finishing more trail on the north side of Hwy. 54 along with a new tunnel under the highway. When completed later this year, the new tunnel and trail system will provide another loop and connection to Ott Trail and will provide safer passage for recreational vehicles that will no longer have to cross Hwy. 54.

Please contact Jackson County Forestry and Parks at 715-284-8475 or the Black River Area Chamber of Commerce at 715-284-4658 if you have questions.