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Manure containing nutrients, antibiotics, and growth hormones



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Applied to fields near surface water



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Results in poor water quality



Solution-Strategically Placed Prairie Buffer Strips

Increased water quality

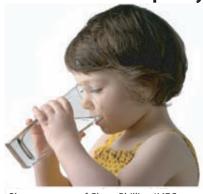


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Diverse Wildlife Habitat



Belowground Carbon storage



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Biofuel Production



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