Land Management Plan

Congratulations! You have just inherited 320 acres (about 0.5 square miles) of farmland. You have not been to visit your new farm, but you know some basic information about it and have a map. There is a farmhouse on the property, and it is bordered to the west by a stream. There is a low area on the property that is often flooded. Your relative had been growing corn and soybeans on the land.

In the space below, write a proposal for at least two conservation practices you wish to use on your land.

1. Choose which conservation practices you will use.

2. Indicate on the map where you will use those practices.

3. Write a paragraph to justify why you have chosen the practices and their locations. Make sure to discuss the benefits to your farm and the environment.