



RESTORING LEGACY MINE LANDS IN APPALACHIA

Participant: Quantified Ventures

Location: Pennsylvania

Investment class: Green Lending

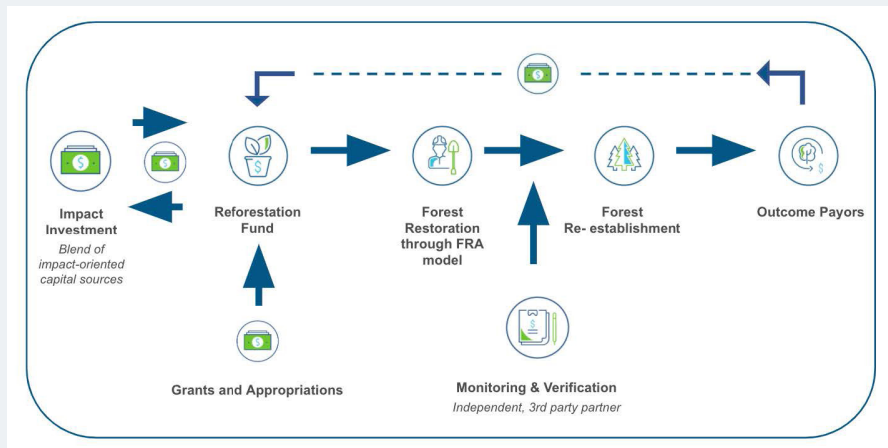
Amount to be financed: US\$5,000,000

The Project: In collaboration with the Richard King Mellon Foundation, US Endowment for Forestry and Communities, and Pennsylvania Environmental Council, Quantified Ventures is piloting an approach to enabling large scale reforestation of legacy mine land in Pennsylvania and across Appalachia. The idea is to raise impact investment capital to provide the significant upfront funding needed for ripping and site preparation, with the repayment to investors secured through the monetization of water quality improvements, carbon sequestration and other verified outcomes. Starting with a pilot planned for 2022 on over 400 acres, the team intends to create a financially viable model for the nearly million acres of legacy mine land that are in need of reforestation across Appalachia.

ESG Outcomes:

- Nutrient reduction
- Carbon sequestration

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Alignment with UN Sustainable Development Goals:

