

Duluth-Superior Area Truck Route Study



Committee Meeting
December 10, 2018

Duluth-Superior Metropolitan Interstate Council



Study Goal

Identify the most efficient, safest, and least disruptive truck route network within and through the Duluth-Superior area for the movement of goods and services via trucks, and support the inclusion of the identified network into local plans.

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Timeline Status to Completion
3. Final Study Report Topics/Sections
4. Review Draft Introduction Section
5. Review Draft Regulations Section
6. Review Draft Survey Results Section
7. Review Maps
8. Review Draft Recommendations Section
9. Next Steps / Action Items

Timeline Status to Completion

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Final Study Report Topics/Sections

- See “outline” (table of contents)
- Recall this is an update of the 2001 Truck Route Study

Review Draft Introduction Section

Review Draft Regulations Section

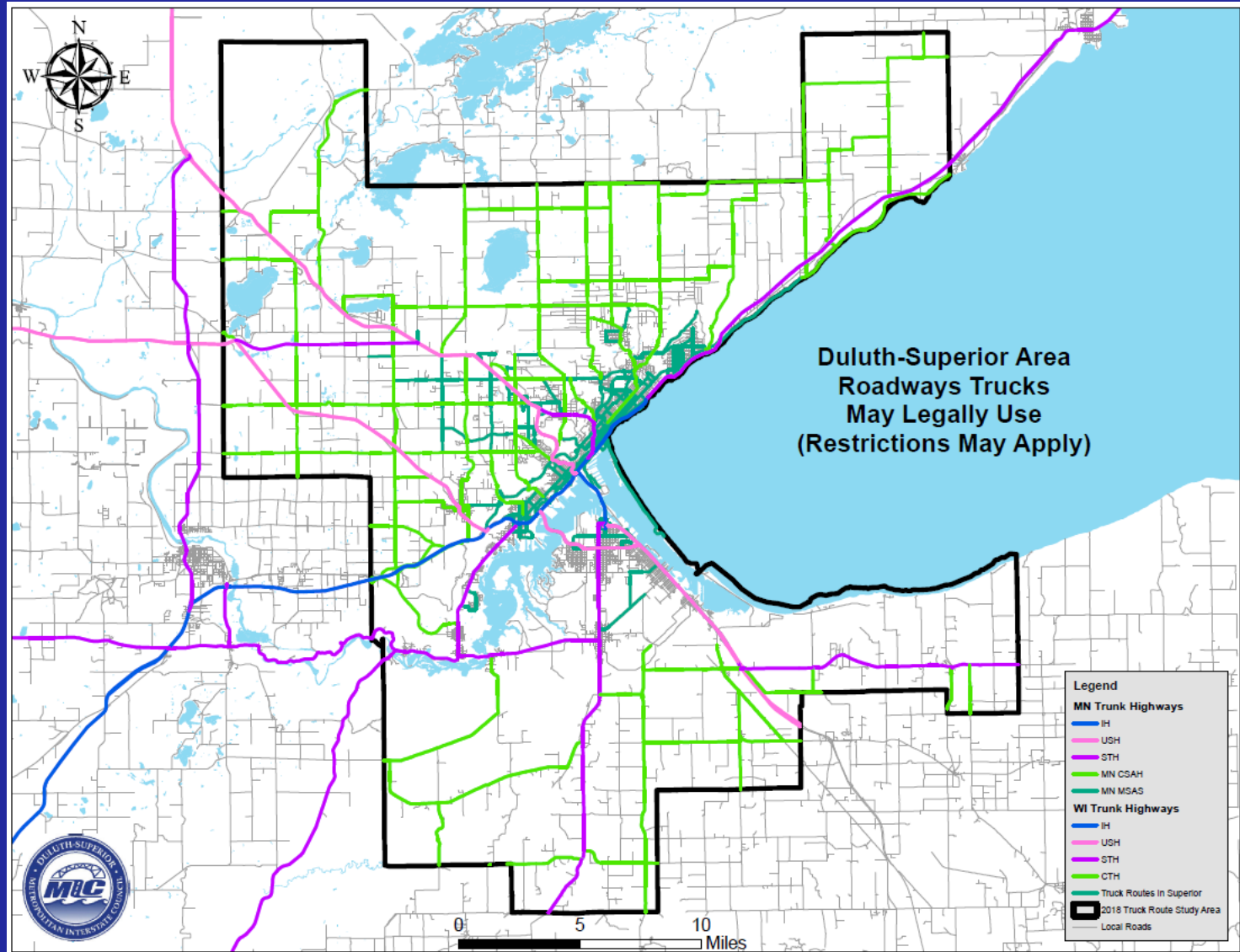
Review Draft Survey Results Section

Summary of Survey Results

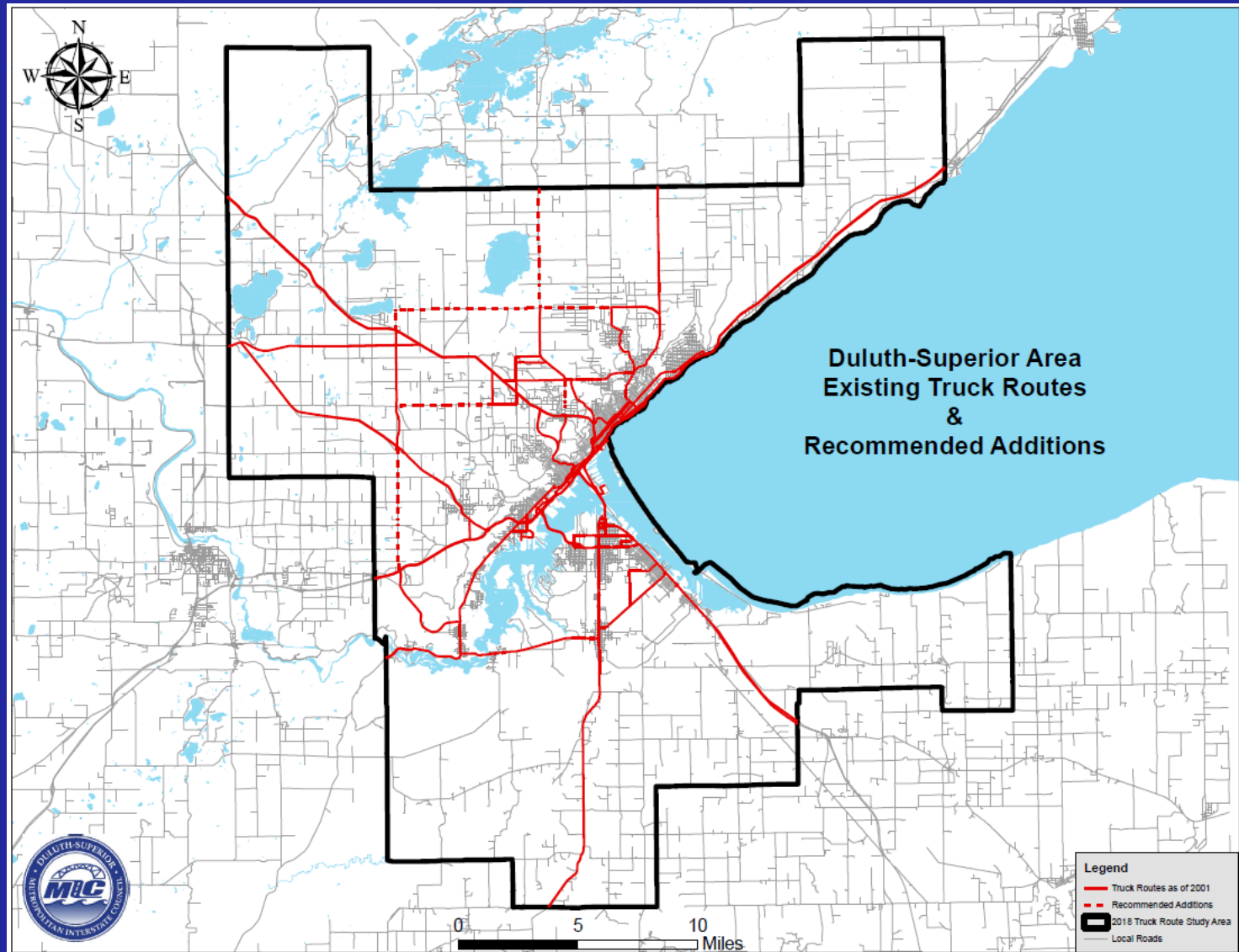
- Majority have no problem with regulations or enforcement
- No change to truck route signage needed
- Majority see no need for changes to traffic signals
- Two primary infrastructure-related issues:
 - Resurfacing needed
 - Turning lanes needed

Review Draft Maps

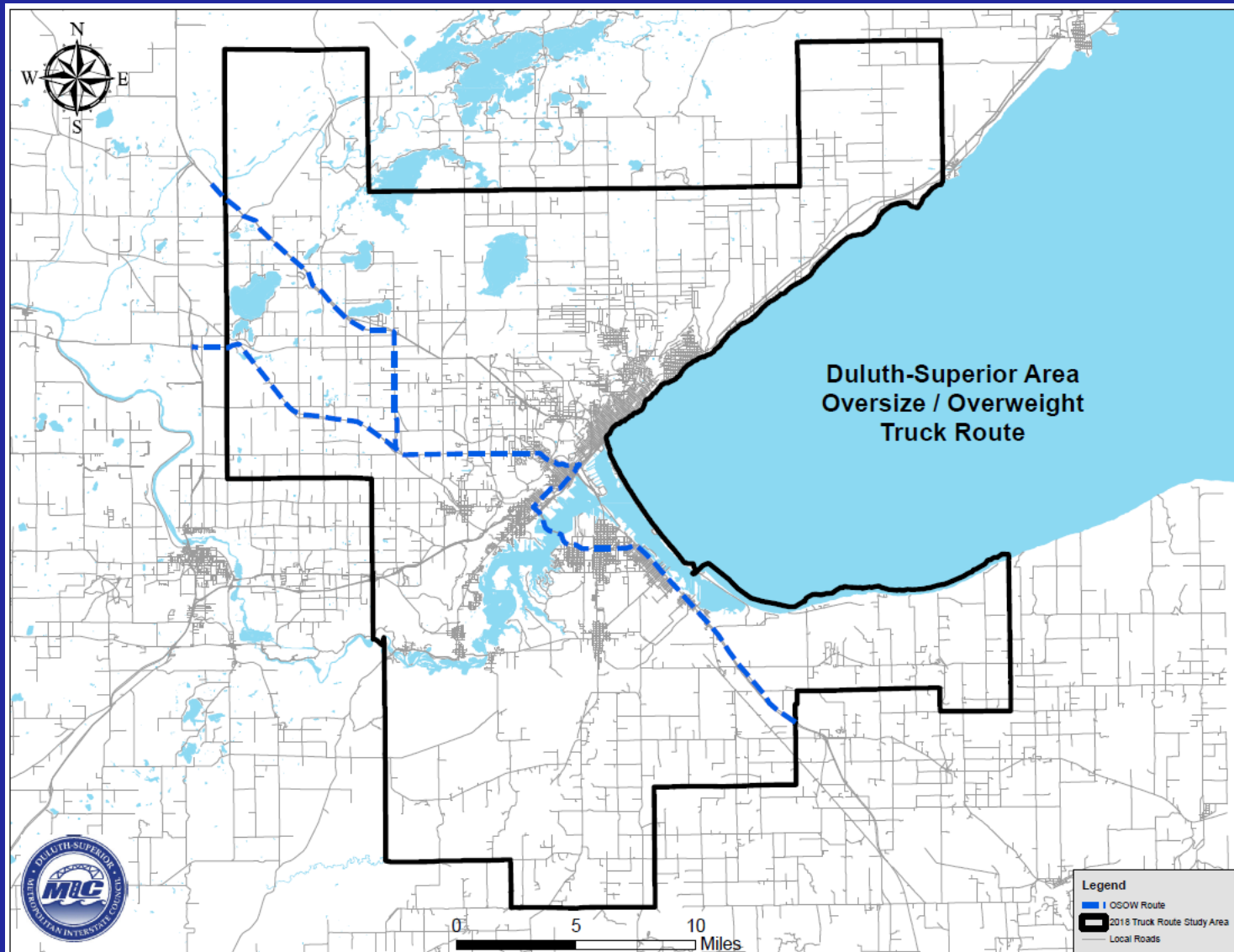
Roads Trucks May Use



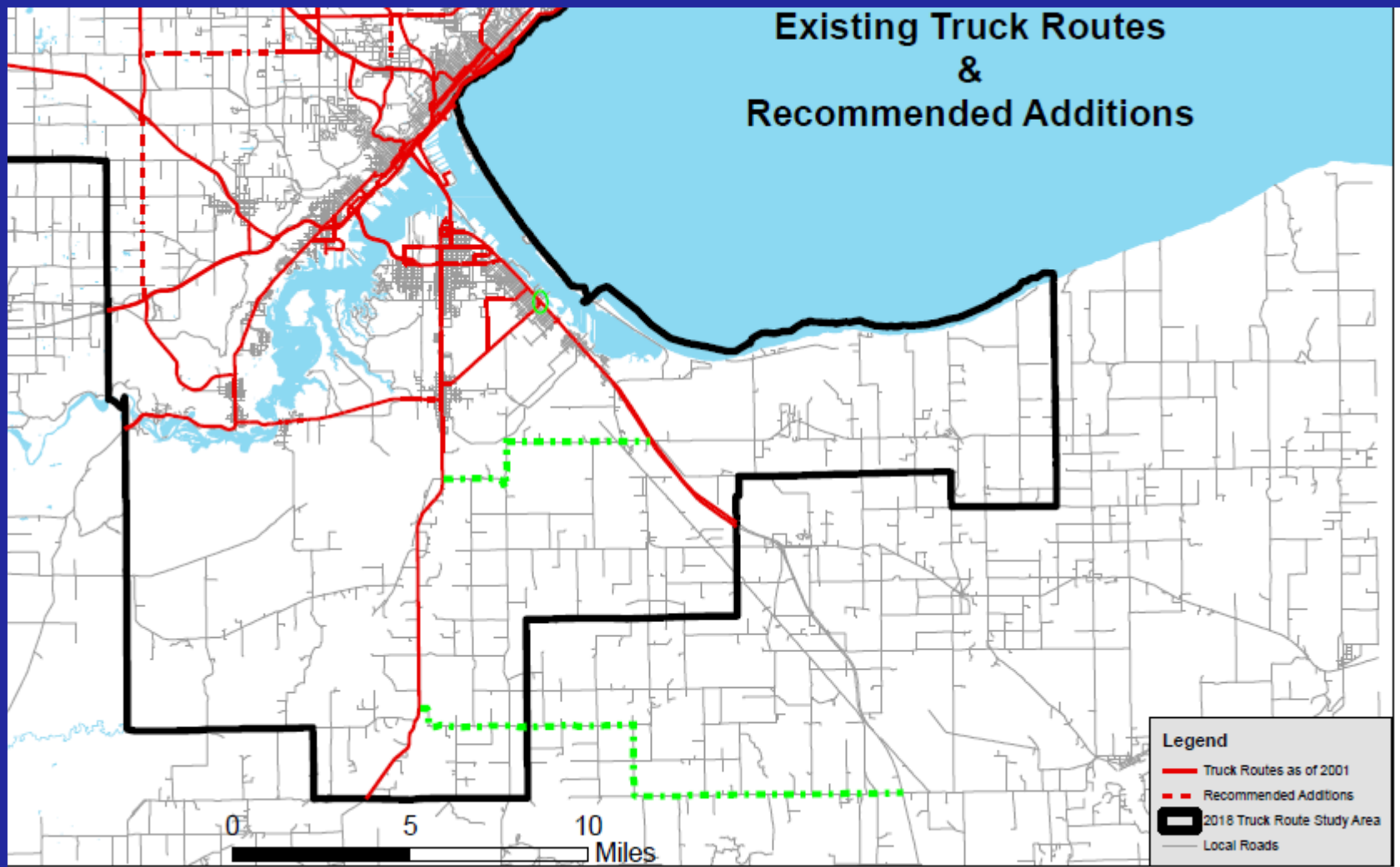
Existing & Recommended Truck Routes



Existing OSOW Routes



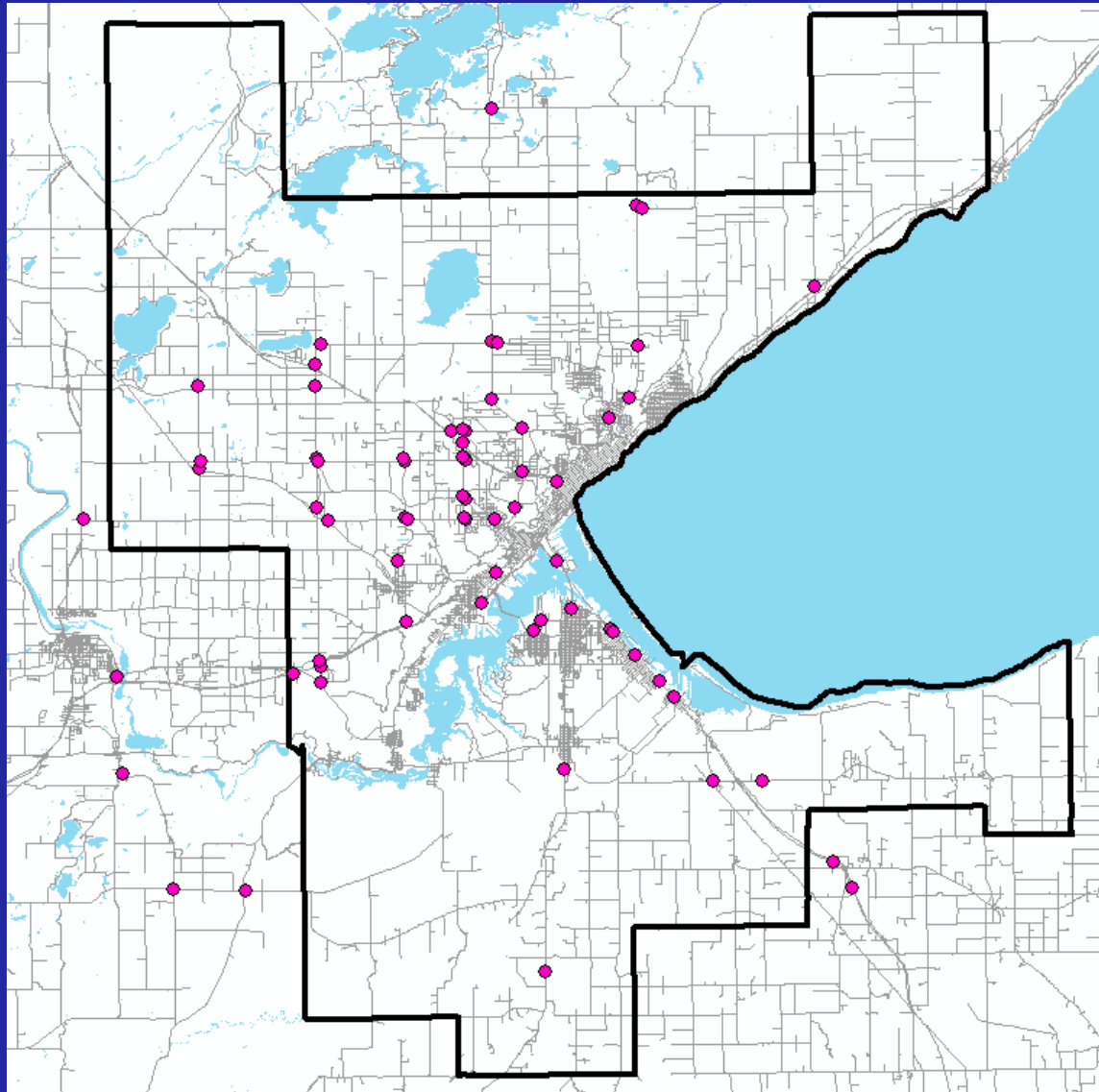
DRAFT Proposed WI Detour Truck Routes



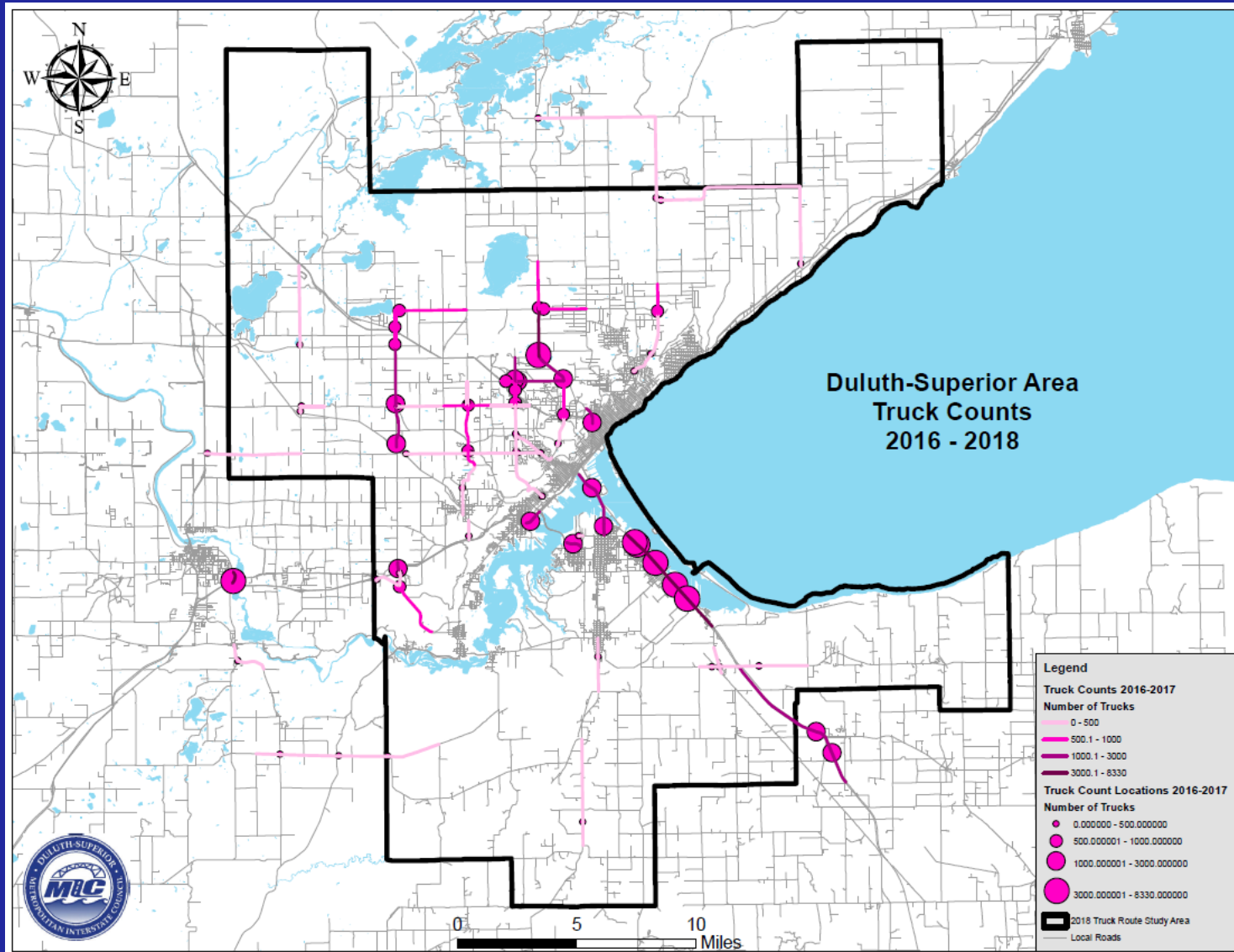
Truck Counts & Other Data - Summary

- Provided By: Wisconsin DOT, and St Louis, Carlton, & Douglas Counties
- 69 Locations
- All from 2016 - 2018
- Not Identical - But Useable
- Likely to get Truck Speed, Truck Travel Time, & Accident Data

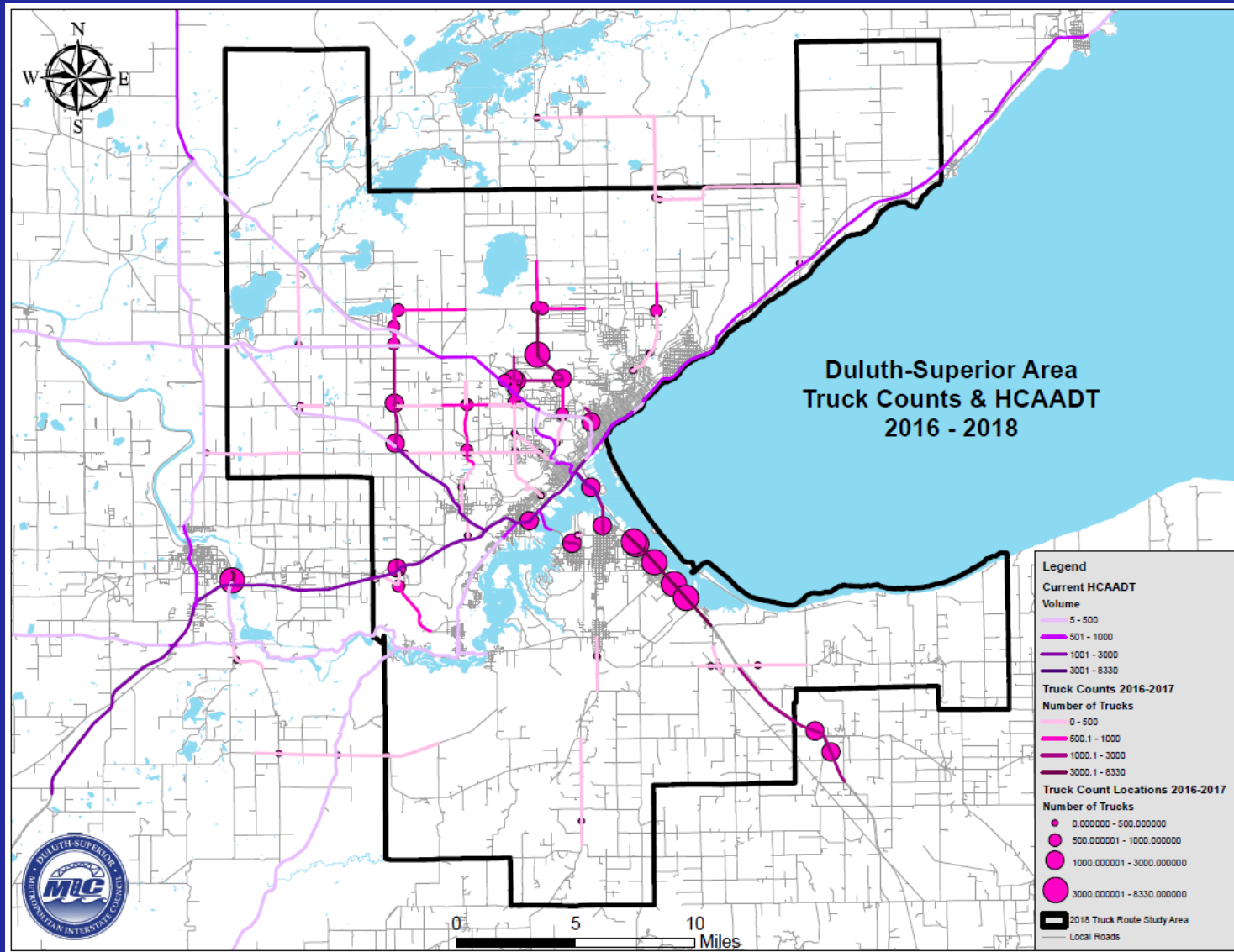
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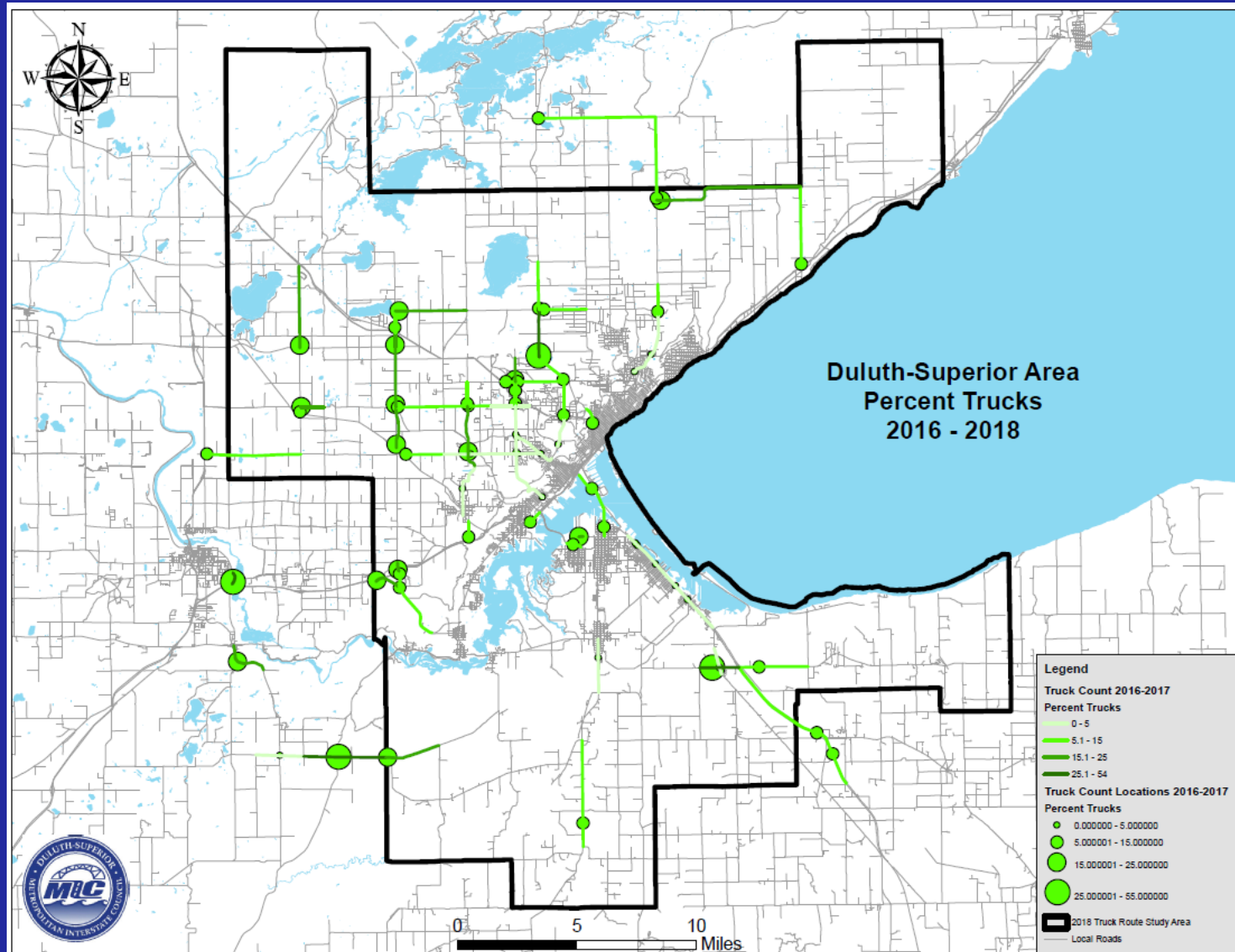
Truck Counts



Truck Counts & HCAADT



Percent Trucks



Review Draft Recommendations Section

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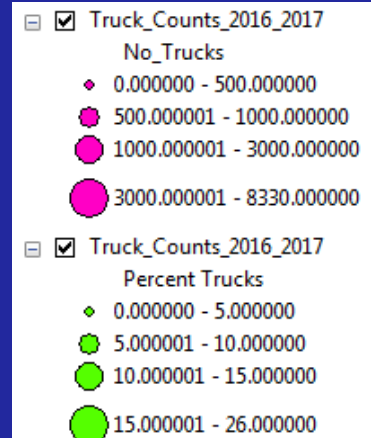
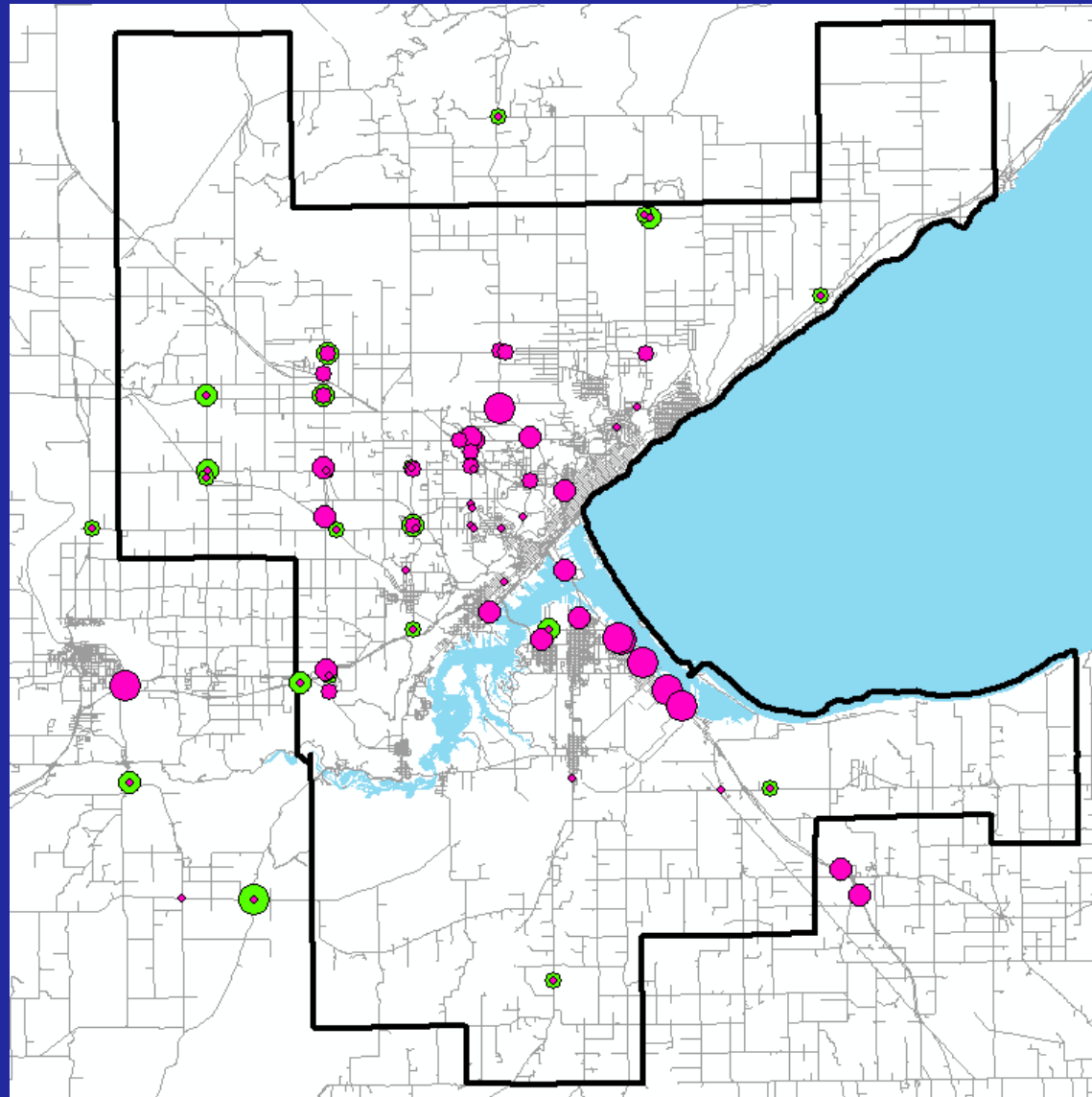




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