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## NEWS RELEASE

### Preservation Project Begins Monday on Various County Roads

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A pavement preservation project will begin today on approximately 53 miles of McLeod County roads. The project is a combination of seal coating and fog sealing. The project should take around 10 days. Scott Construction of Lake Delton, WI was awarded this year's seal coat project. Value of the work is approximately \$800,000.

The locations are shown on the attached map.

The roads will remain open. Flaggers will be present to help guide traffic; which should expect minor delays.

Seal coating is a preventative maintenance activity that involves applying liquid emulsified asphalt to a blacktop surfaced road and covering with aggregate chips. This process extends the life of the roadway and helps hold off costly reconstruction. Fog sealing involves spraying the road with a liquid emulsion.

Any questions regarding the project should be directed to Phil Schmalz, Assistant County Engineer at (320) 484-4321 or email at [phillip.schmalz@co.mcleod.mn.us](mailto:phillip.schmalz@co.mcleod.mn.us).

Up to date project specific information will also be posted on our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) pages; username is "McLeodCoHwy".

For other County construction information, please visit the construction page on our website at [www.co.mcleod.mn.us/highway/construction](http://www.co.mcleod.mn.us/highway/construction).

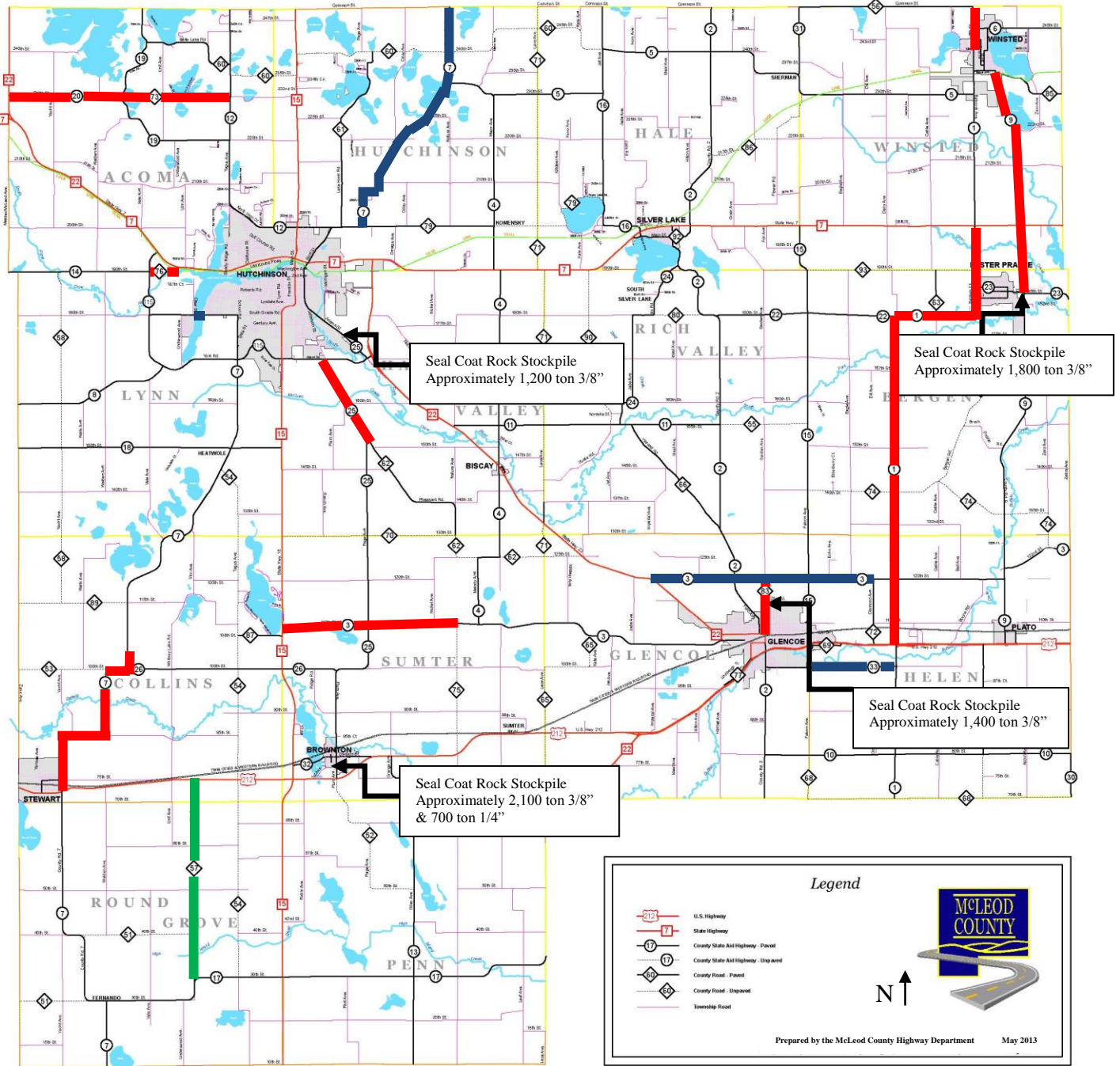
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