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Preservation Project Begins on Various County Roads

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A pavement preservation project began today on approximately 30 miles of McLeod County roads. The project is a combination of seal coating and fog sealing. The project should take around 5 days. Asphalt Preservation Company of Detroit Lakes, MN was awarded this year's seal coat project. Value of the work is approximately \$600,000.

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. This process extends the life of the roadway and helps hold off costly reconstruction. Fog sealing involves spraying the road with a thin layer of liquid emulsion (oil).

Any questions regarding the project can be directed to Jessie Dehn, Assistant County Engineer at 320.484.4321 or Jessie.Dehn@co.mcleod.mn.us.

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.

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