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NEWS RELEASE

Roundabout Construction at State Highway 15/County Road 115 Begins June 3

May 28, 2013

Construction of a new roundabout at the intersection of State Highway 15 and County Road 115 in Hutchinson is scheduled to begin June 3, 2013. New water main and sanitary sewer construction on the east leg of the intersection will also begin at the same time.

The intersection will be closed to Thru Traffic. A detour utilizing County Roads 18, 115, and State Highway 7 will be installed to reroute State Highway 15 traffic (see attached map). County Road 115 traffic will have to use an alternate route. Residents living adjacent to the closed intersection and other Local Traffic, including airport patrons will be provided access and should expect minor delays and inconveniences.

Other improvements accompanying the roundabout project are tentatively scheduled to begin in mid-July, including the following:

- Resurfacing of State Highway 15 from US 212 to Denver Avenue in Hutchinson
- Bypass lane construction on State Highway 15 at United Grain Systems near Brownton
- Street light installations at State Highway 15 and County Roads 32, 3, and 115
- Pedestrian enhancements at Denver Avenue and Edmonton Avenue in Hutchinson.

August 10, 2013 is the completion date for the roundabout and resurfacing portions of the project; September 1, 2013 is the completion for the remaining items.

Duininck, Inc. of Prinsburg, MN was awarded the \$5.2 million project which is being funded with Federal funds, Trunk Highway funds, County State Aid funds, and City funds.

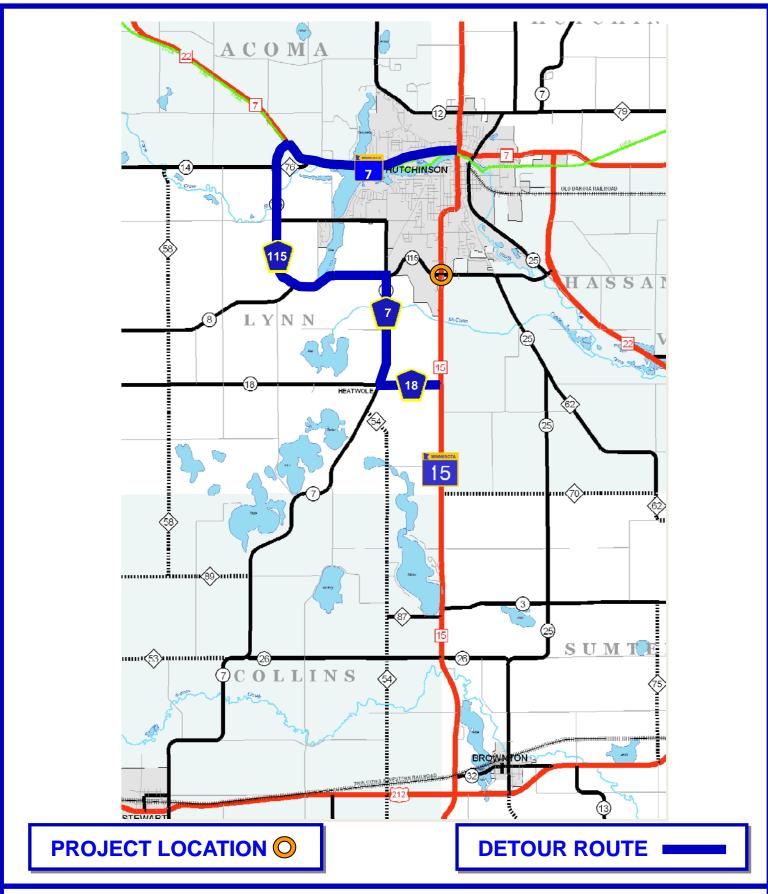
Any questions regarding the project should be directed to our office at (320) 484-4321. Project specific information will also be posted on our <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Twitter</u> pages; username is "McLeodCoHwy".

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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TH 15/CSAH 115 Roundabout Construction
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