

Information for File MVP-2013-02967-RMM

Applicant: Benton County Public Works

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Primary County: Benton

Section: 24

Township: 36 North

Range: 31 West

Information Complete On: September 12, 2013

Posting Expires On: October 10, 2013

Authorization Type: LOP-05-MN

This application is being reviewed in accordance with the practices for documenting Corps jurisdiction under Sections 9 & 10 of the Rivers and Harbor Act of 1899 and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act identified in Regulatory Guidance Letter 07-01. We have made a preliminary determination that the aquatic resources that would be impacted by the proposed project are regulated by the Corps of Engineers under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act. Our jurisdictional review and final jurisdictional determination could result in modifications to the scope of the project's regulated waterbody/wetland impacts and compensatory mitigation requirements identified above. Any approved jurisdictional determination made prior to reaching a permit decision will be posted on the St. Paul District web page at <http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/>.

Project Description and Purpose (As stated by the applicant):

The project proposes to construct four roundabout intersections, revise the northbound entrance ramp for Trunk Highway (TH) 10, and improve the storm water utilities along the approximate 1 mile section of County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3. The intersection improvements will occur from the western entrance/exit ramps to TH 10 through the CSAH 1(Mayhew Lake Road) intersection. The stormwater utility improvements include pipe, drainage structures, and detention basins. The existing water main system was upgraded in 2012 and will not be impacted by the proposed project.

Currently CSAH 3 is a 2-lane undivided highway through the study area with a speed limit of 30 mph west of the US 10 interchange and 40 mph limit east of US 10. CSAH 3 serves as an important east-west route that connects downtown Sauk Rapids to eastern portions of Sauk Rapids and the remainder of Benton County. CSAH 3 is a minor arterial that serves both local and regional traffic connecting citizens and communities to jobs, retail centers, and the Sauk Rapids – Rice High School.

The existing CSAH 3 Bridge over US 10 is not structurally deficient and is not programmed for replacement within Mn/DOT's 25 year bridge replacement program. The bridge currently carries one lane in each direction. The bridge currently has a sidewalk on the north side.

Name, Area and Types of Waters (Including Wetlands) Subject to Loss:

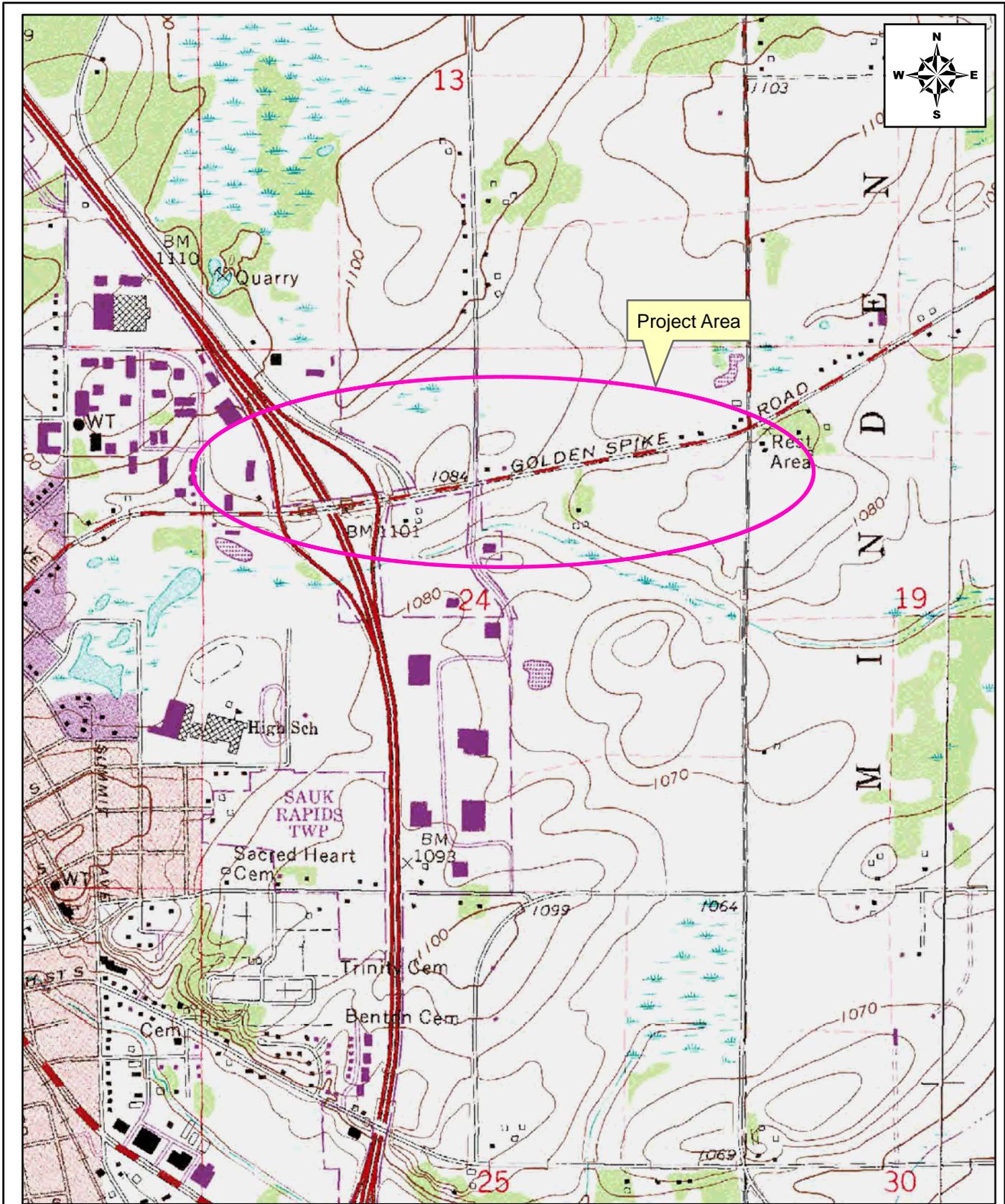
As stated by the applicant, approximately 4.07 acres of wetland would be permanently impacted. Please see attached drawings for exact locations of wetland impact areas.

Compensatory Mitigation:

A combination of private wetland banking and the BWSR local government road replacement program will be utilized.

The applicant proposed to meet compensatory mitigation requirements by securing wetland mitigation bank credits at a ratio of 2:1 from the Board of Water and Soil Resources Local Government Road Wetland Replacement Program (LGRWRP) and from the Benton County Bank No. 124. Some of the impacts are approved for replacement through the LGRWRP while others are not. The impacts not approved for replacement through the LRGWRP will be replaced from the Benton County No. 124.

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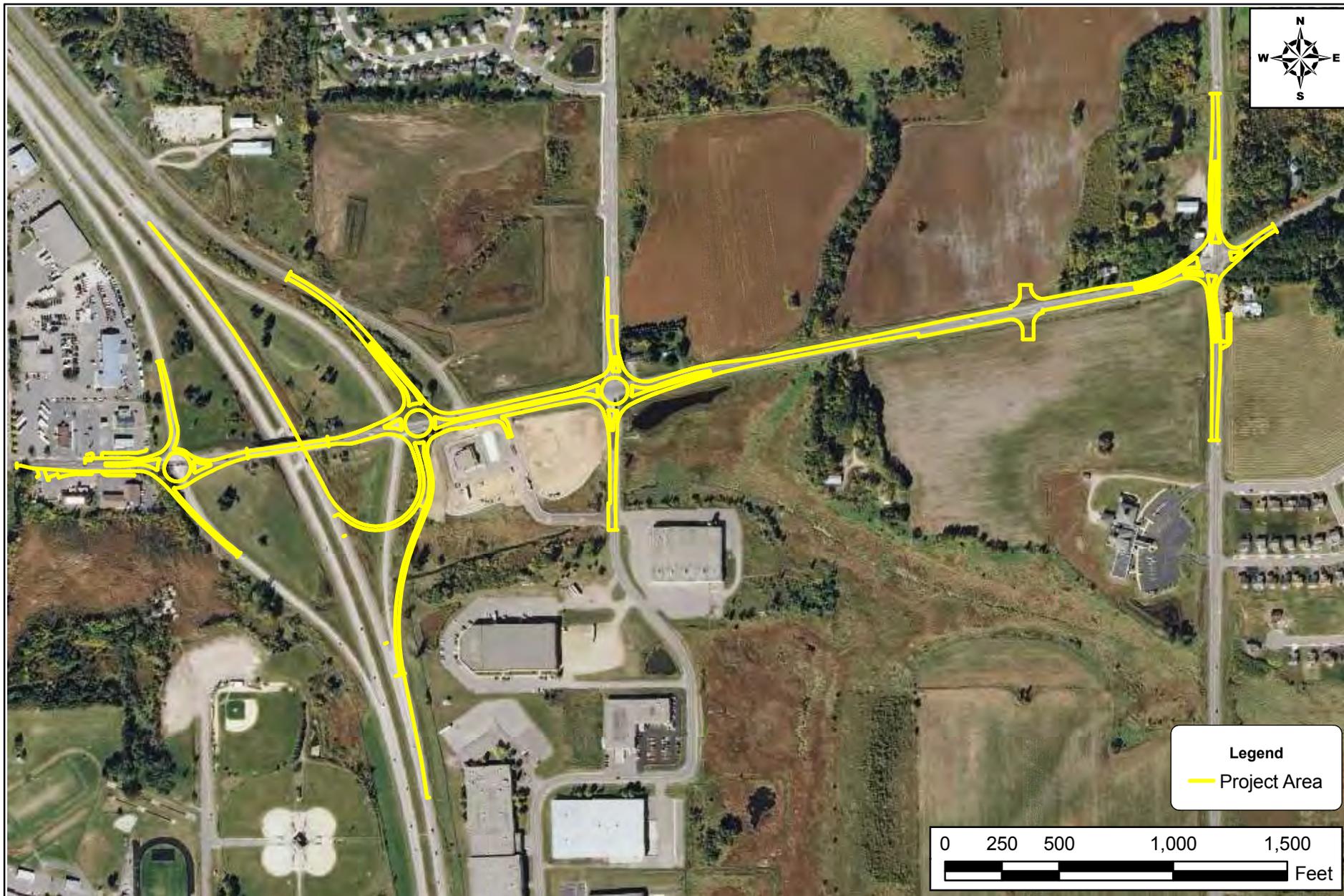
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Site Location Map
 USGS 24k Topography

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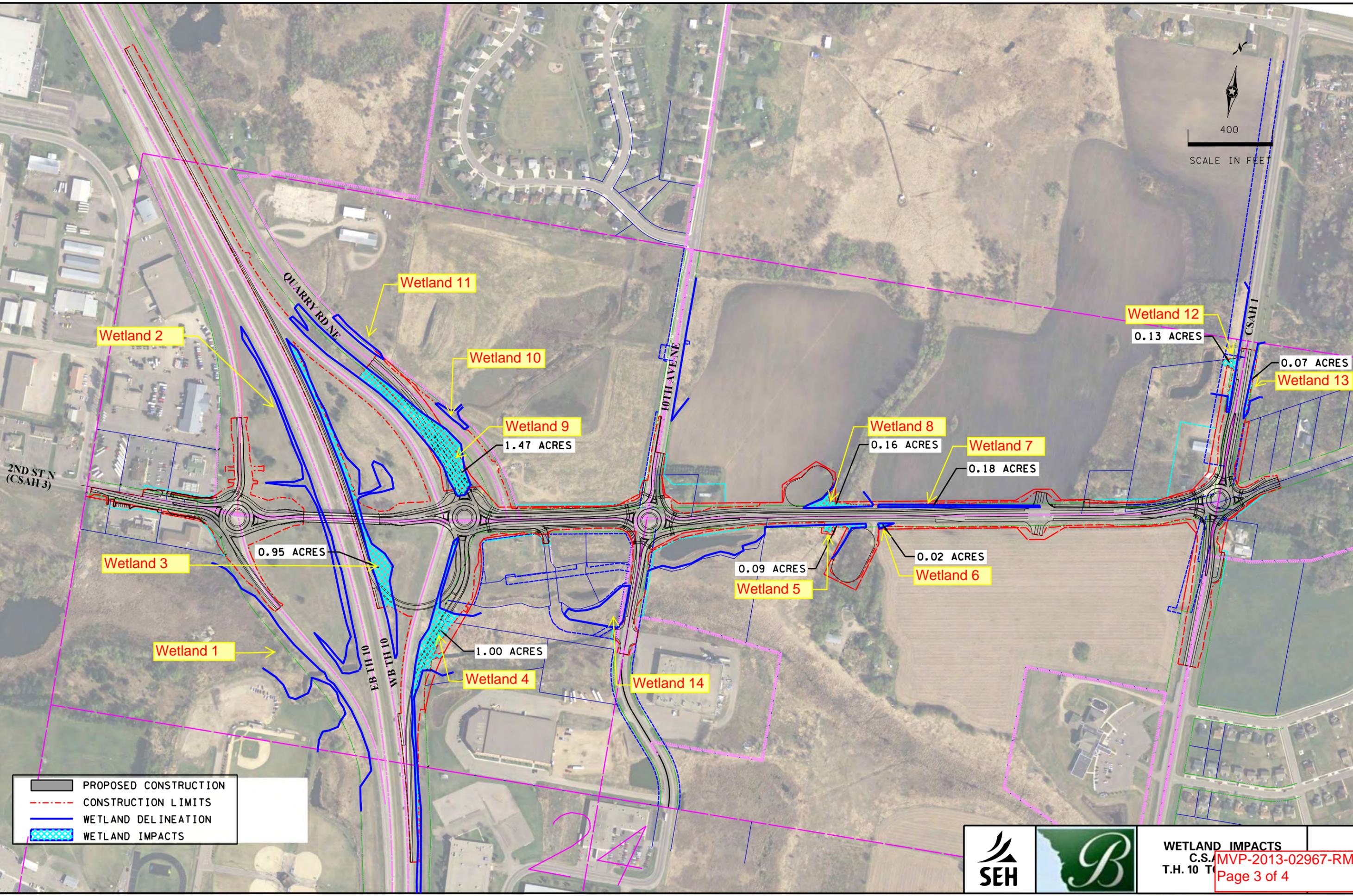
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Source: MnGEO, MnDOT,
MnDNR, and SEH

Project Location Map
CSAH 3 Improvements (S.A.P. 05-603-26)
2011 Aerial
BENTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA

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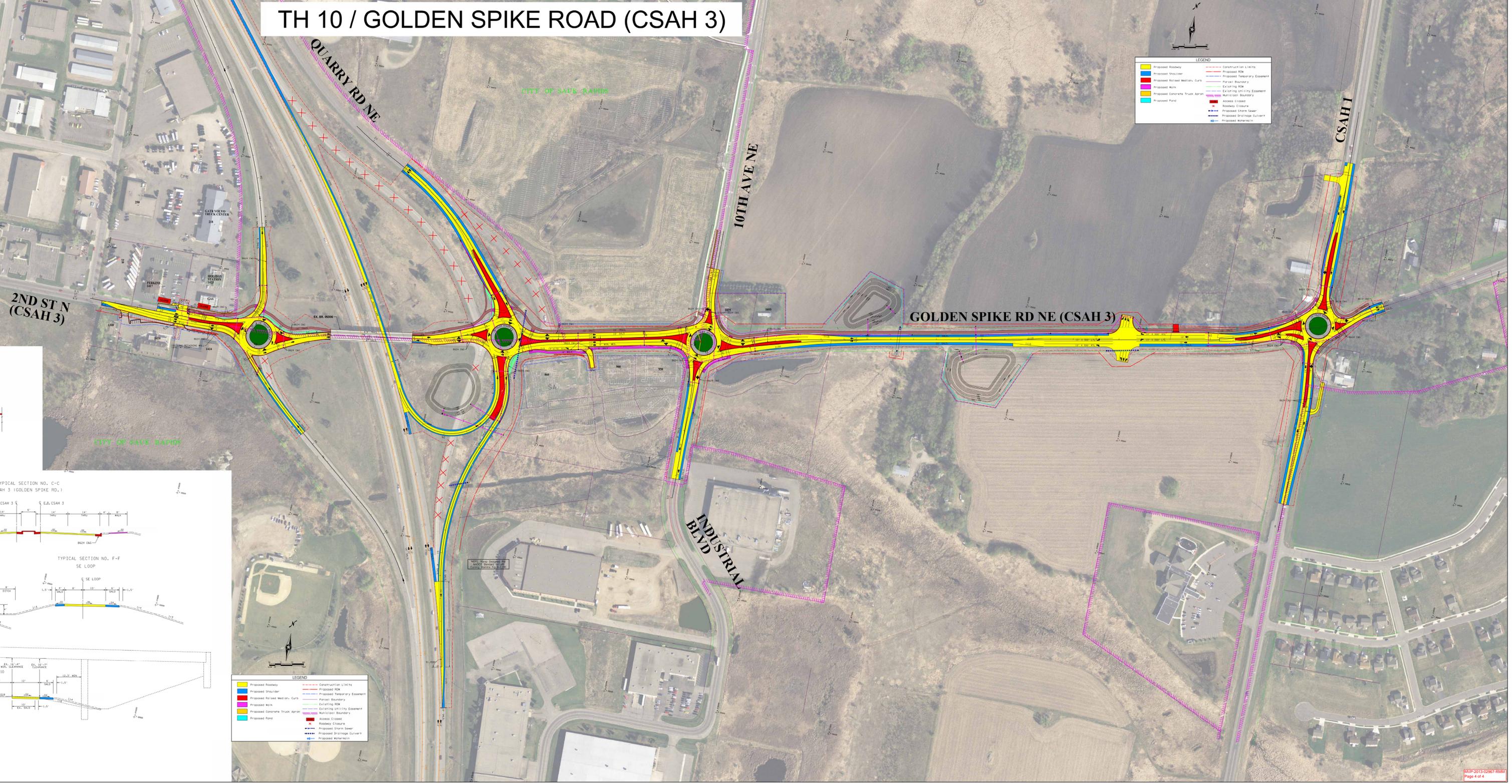
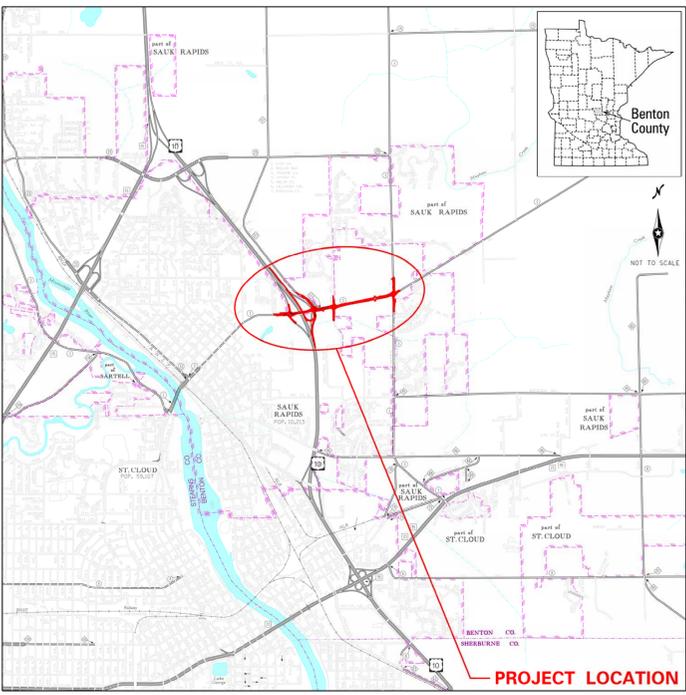


	PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION
	CONSTRUCTION LIMITS
	WETLAND DELINEATION
	WETLAND IMPACTS



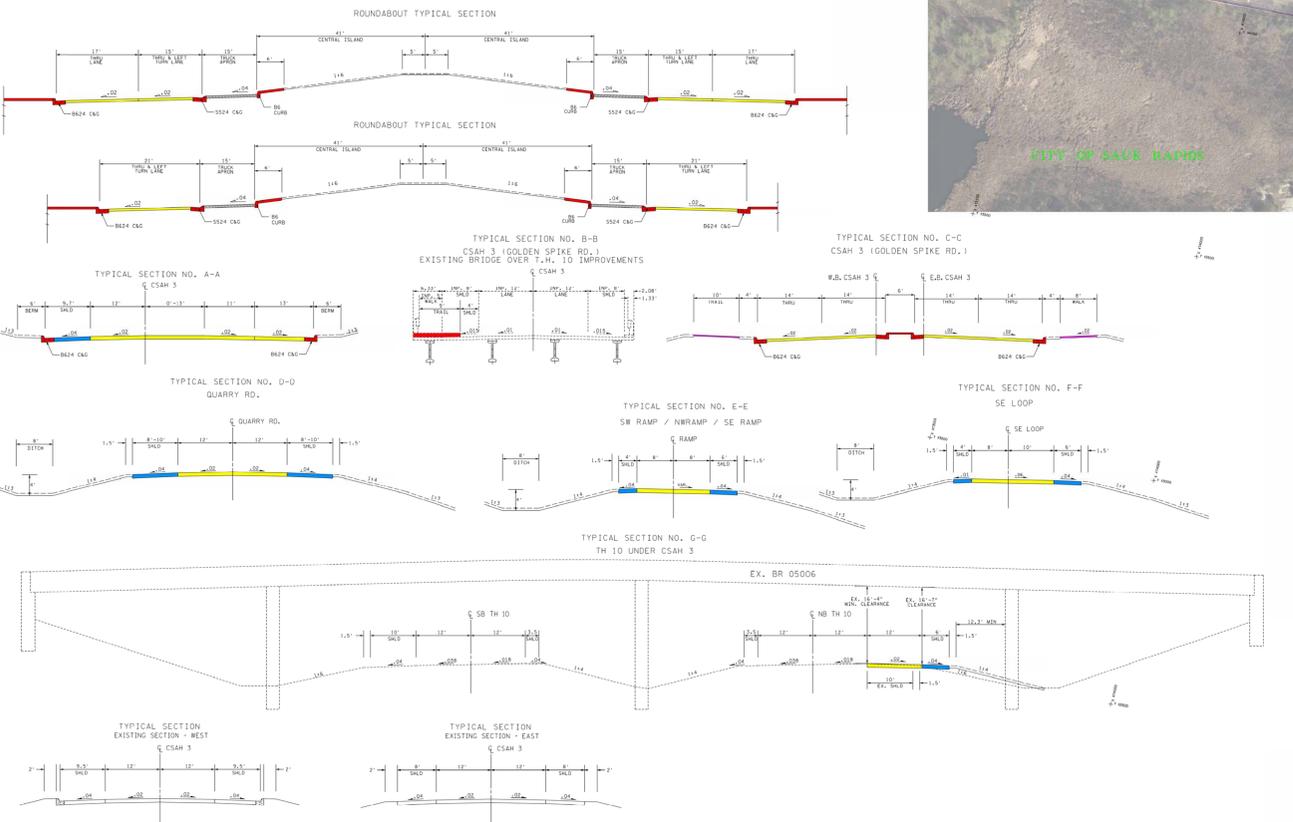


TH 10 / GOLDEN SPIKE ROAD (CSAH 3)



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Proposed Roadway	Proposed Construction Limits
Proposed Shoulder	Proposed ROW
Proposed Raised Median, Curb	Proposed Temporary Easement
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