



Fox River Corridor Planning

Land Use & Housing Committee
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Fox River Corridor Plan

March 2016



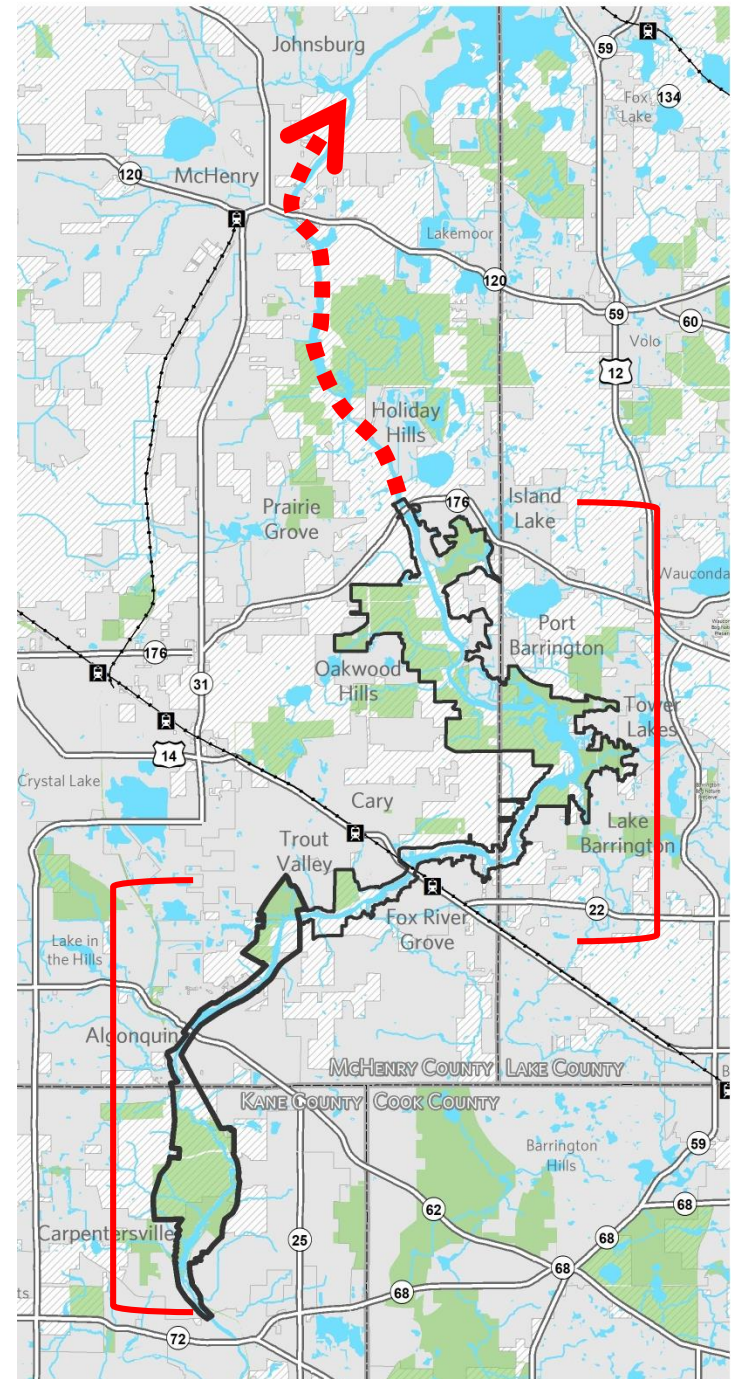
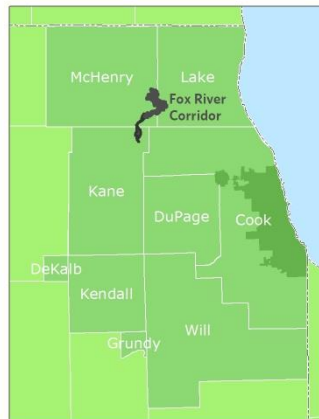
Algonquin and Carpentersville
2016

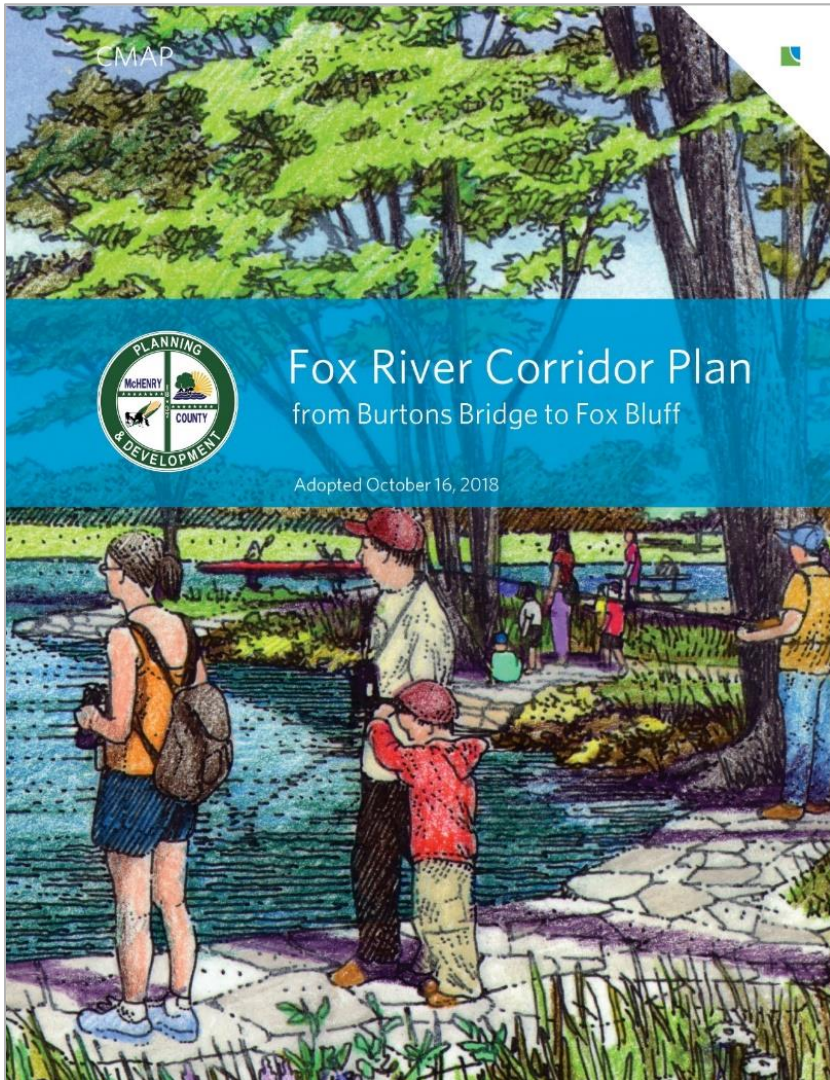
Planning upstream

2016: Algonquin and Carpentersville

2018: Burtons Bridge to Fox Bluff

Upcoming: Johnsburg to Burtons Bridge





Burtons Bridge to Fox Bluff
2016

What is a river corridor plan?

Establishes a vision

Healthy, safe, accessible

Balance preservation and recreation

Stewardship

Local character

Vibrant

High quality and diverse habitats

Resilient



Builds on existing plans

Comprehensive

Transportation

Downtown

Bike & pedestrian

Watershed

Economic development

Green infrastructure

Conservation

Fabulous Fox Water Trail*

Convenes stakeholders

- Municipalities
- Park Districts
- Counties
- IDNR
- Fox Waterway Agency
- Conservation/Forest Preserve Districts
- Convention and Visitors Bureaus
- Chambers of Commerce
- Watershed/environmental groups
- Environmental groups
- Boating, paddling, bike communities

Plan recommendations

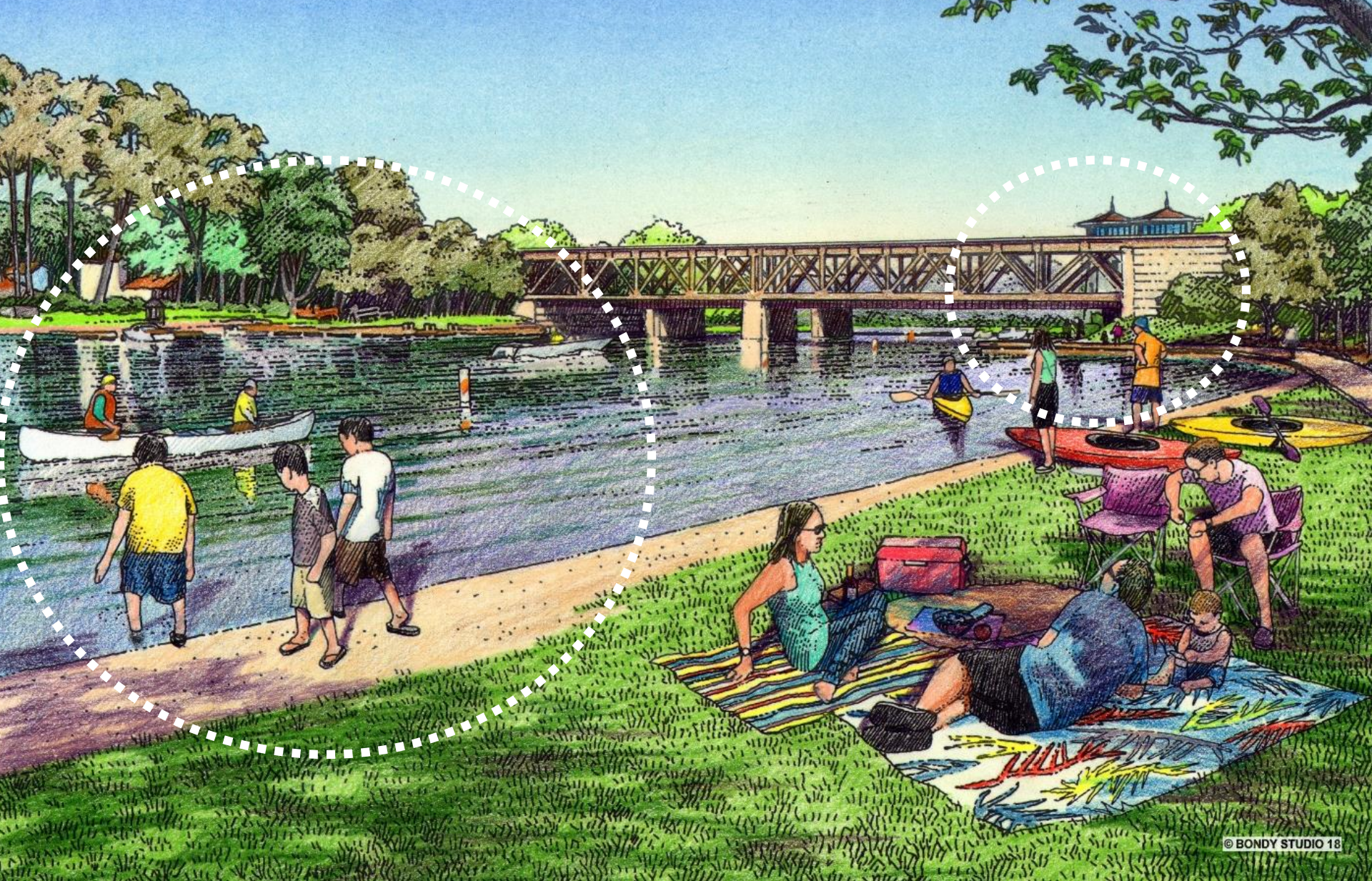


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Responsible boat maintenance

Shoreline and riparian zone restoration

Homeowner education



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Safety for all river users

Participate in
Fabulous Fox Water Trail Initiative

River-oriented economic
development and placemaking



Support local business

Public docks at high-traffic locations

Draw people to the river



Riverfront access

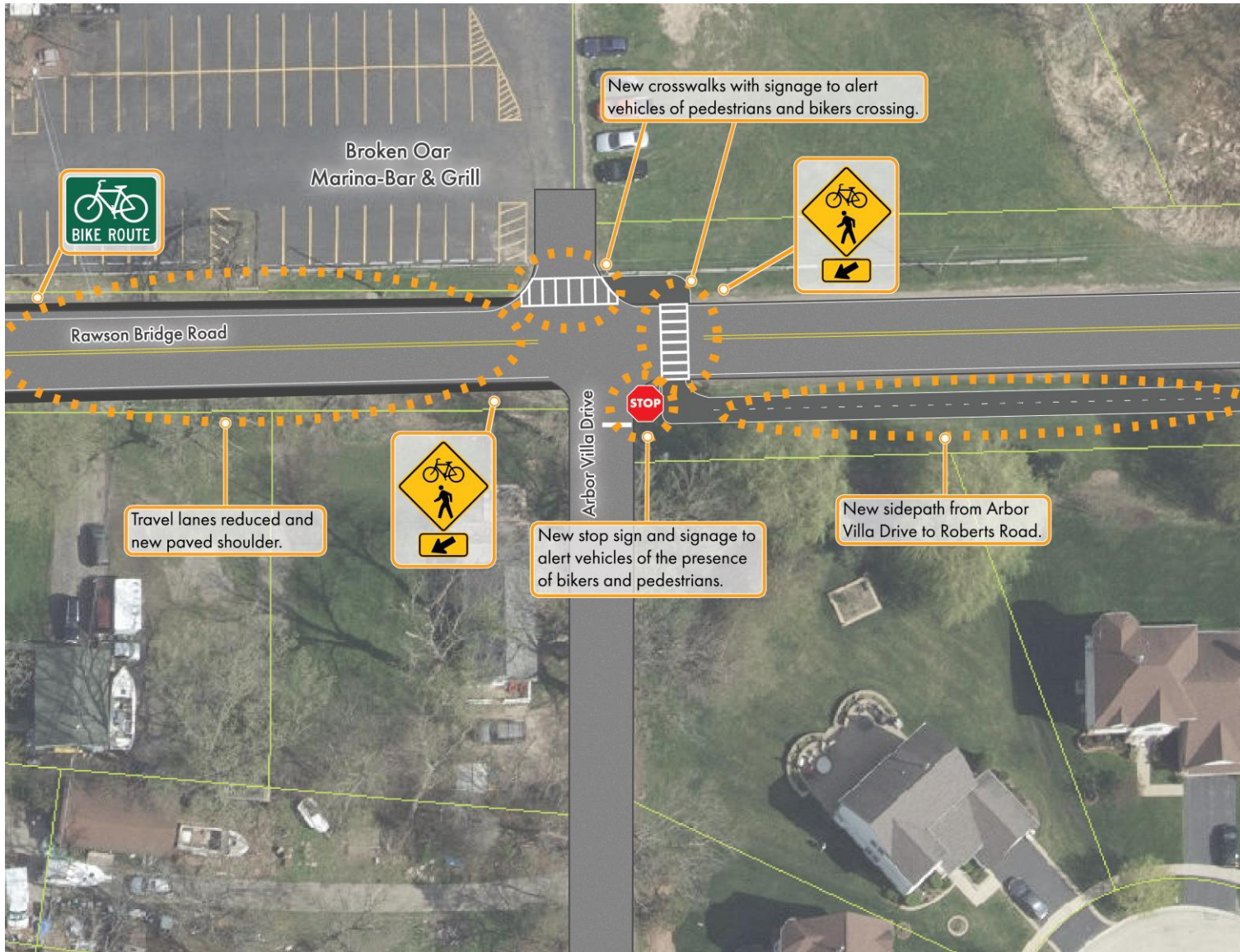
Stormwater management
and erosion control

New park amenities



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Year-round access and enjoyment



New bike and pedestrian infrastructure

Connect to regional trails

Future work

Implementation

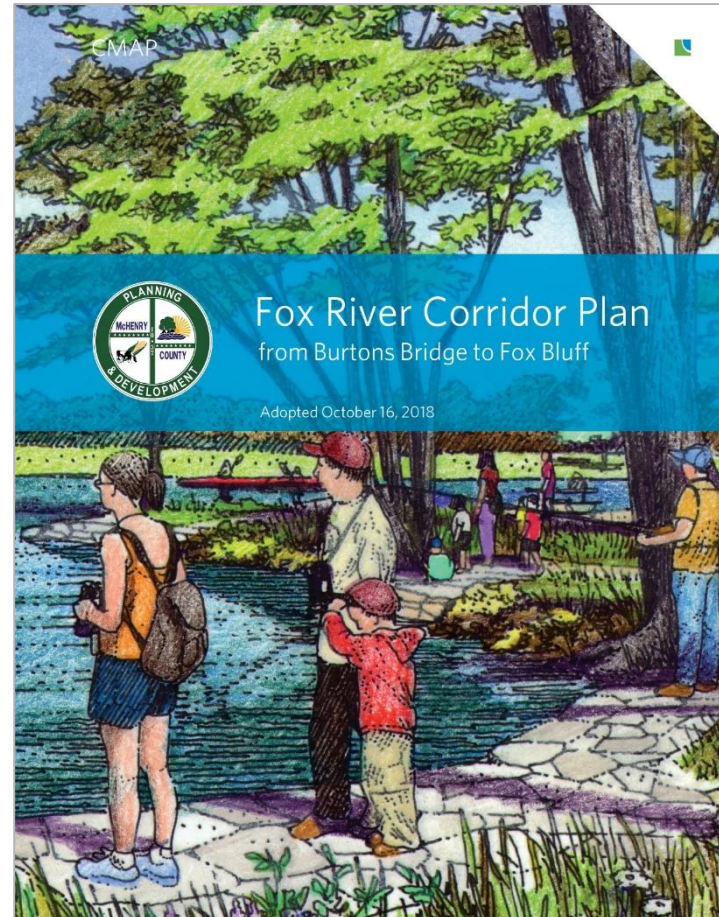
Counties

Villages

Partners

Fox River Flood Commission

Fabulous Fox Water Trail



Johnsburg to Burtons Bridge

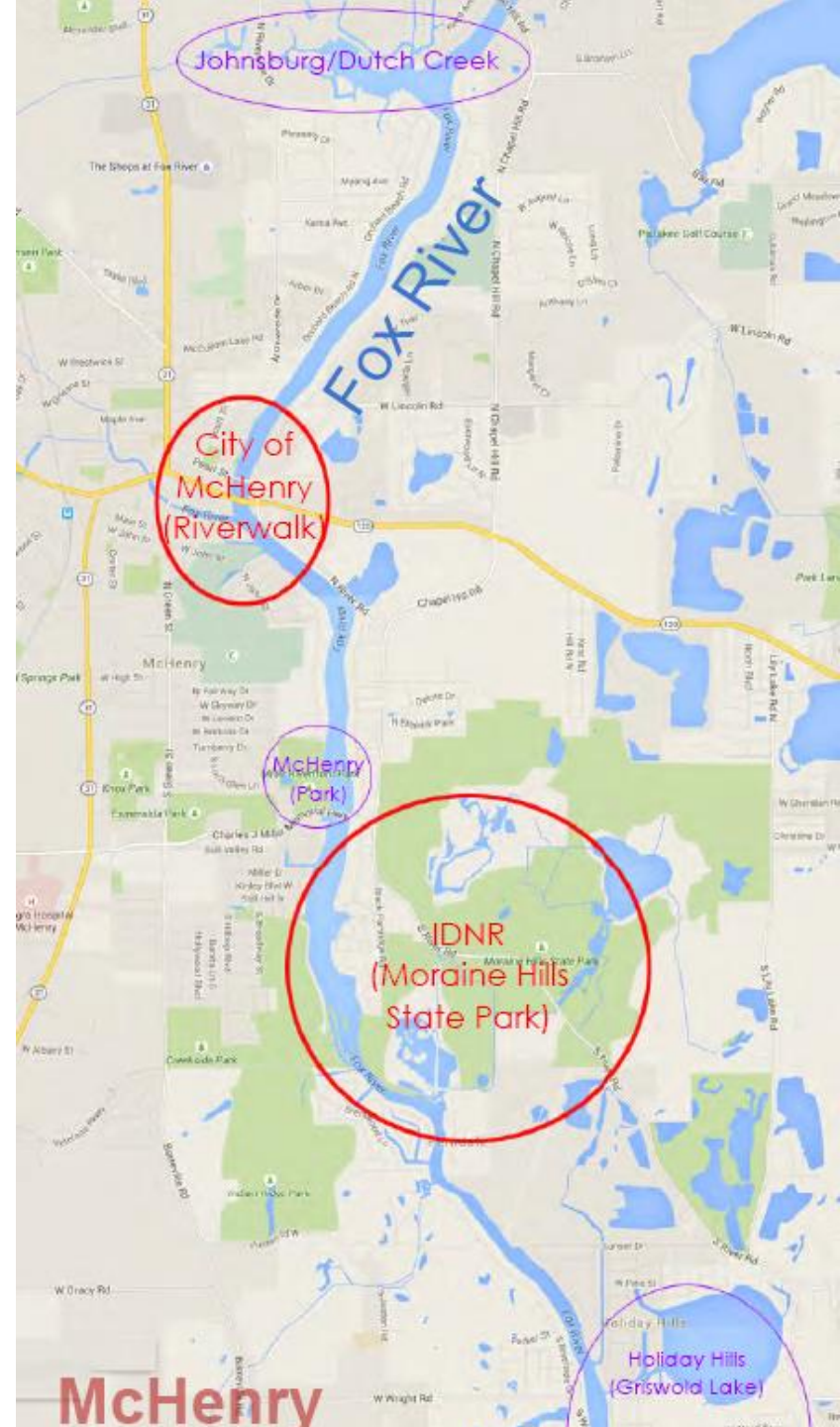
McHenry County P&D

City of McHenry

Village of Johnsburg

Village of Holiday Hills

IDNR



Discussion:

**How can we promote
implementation?**

Discussion:

**What should we
consider in the next
stretch?**



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