

# Street Department

## Introductions:

Street Dept – Fleet Maint.– Recycling/Refuse

43 Employees

# 2025 Projects and Highlights

1. Paved 11 CIP Projects.
2. Started tearing out concrete curblin and sidewalk on CIP Projects.  
Saving City \$75,000.00 in first year.
3. Micro-sealed 4.5 miles of roads.
4. Paved projects for Parks Dept- saving them money.
5. Created an additional 1-acre gravel training/parking area for Fire Dept.
6. New crack sealing process- Mastic for larger cracks
7. Increased concrete work for Wastewater and Water Dept- creating income.

# Street Department- Duties/Responsibilities

1. Snow Plowing
2. Lights, Signals and Signs
3. Road Repair
4. Road Construction (Paving)
5. Sweeping
6. Concrete Repair
7. Potholes and Road Openings
8. Bridge Maintenance
9. Mowing
10. Painting
11. Pammel Creek Clean up

# Recycling Department Duties/Responsibilities

1. Christmas Tree Pickup
2. Leaf Pickup
3. Yard Waste Site
4. Making Compost
5. Brush Week
6. Manage Waste/Recycling Contracts

# Street Department

## Current Operations and Updates 2026

# Snow & Ice Control

Events to Date:

Full Snowplow..... 4

Salting..... 16

Sand Salting..... 7

Brine..... 3

# Snow Plowing Events

1. Pre Treat- Brine
  - a. Main roads
  - b. Secondary Road
2. Full Plow -1<sup>st</sup> Night
  - a. Main Roads
  - b. Secondary
  - c. Salters – Start Salting Mains and Secondary roads
  - d. Residential
  - e. Sidewalks
3. Cut Back- 2<sup>nd</sup> Night
4. Sand Salt Residentials
5. Widen Sidewalks Day after plow

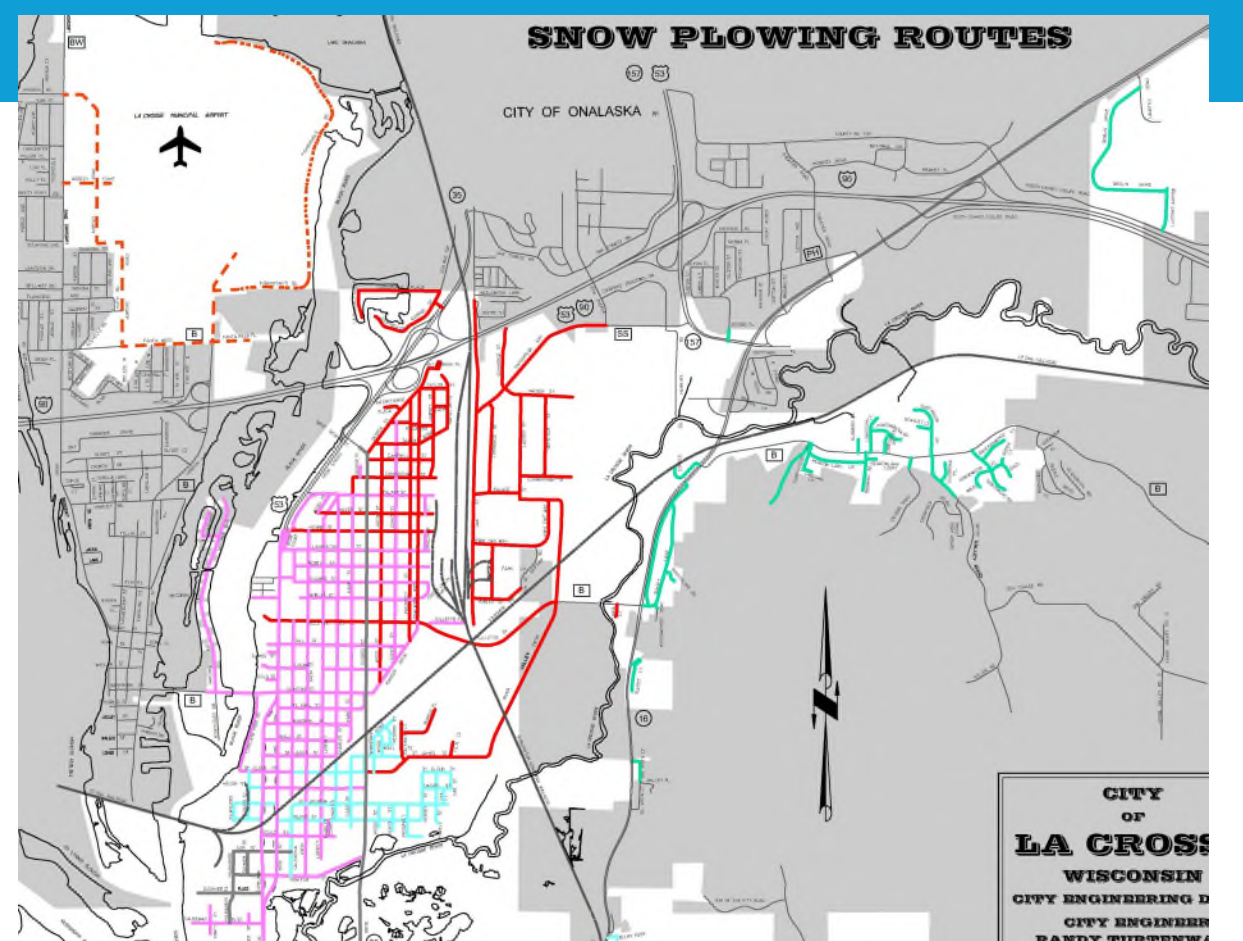
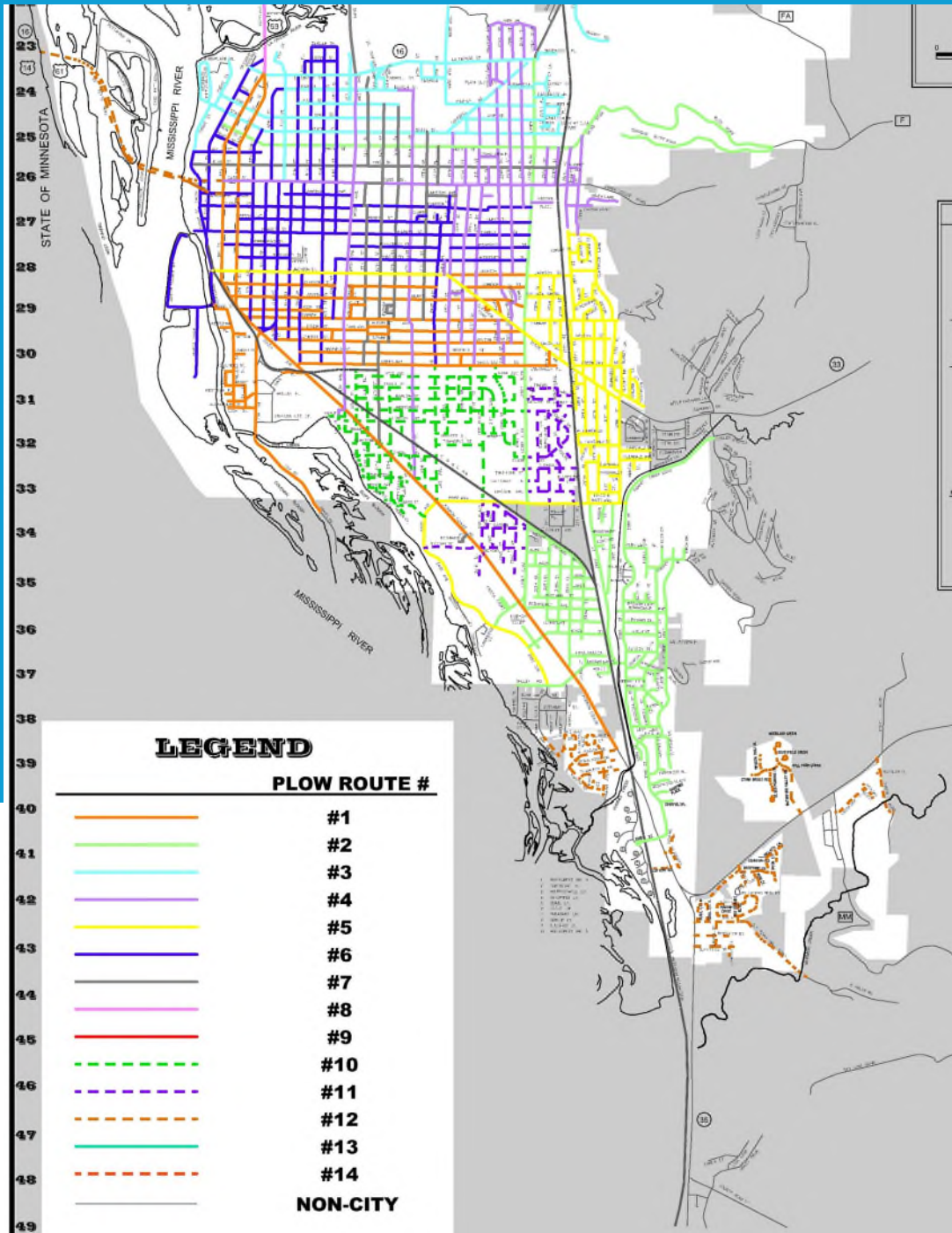
# Snow Plowing Events

Possible other Work depending on the Snow

## 1. Snow Removal

- a. Handicap parking spots in loop
- b. Cut corners in the loop
- c. Haul parking lots
- d. Remove snow from Cul-de-Sacs
- e. Remove excess snow from sidewalks and bridges
- f. Remove snow from parking ramps
- g. Cut corners for Wastewater in the City

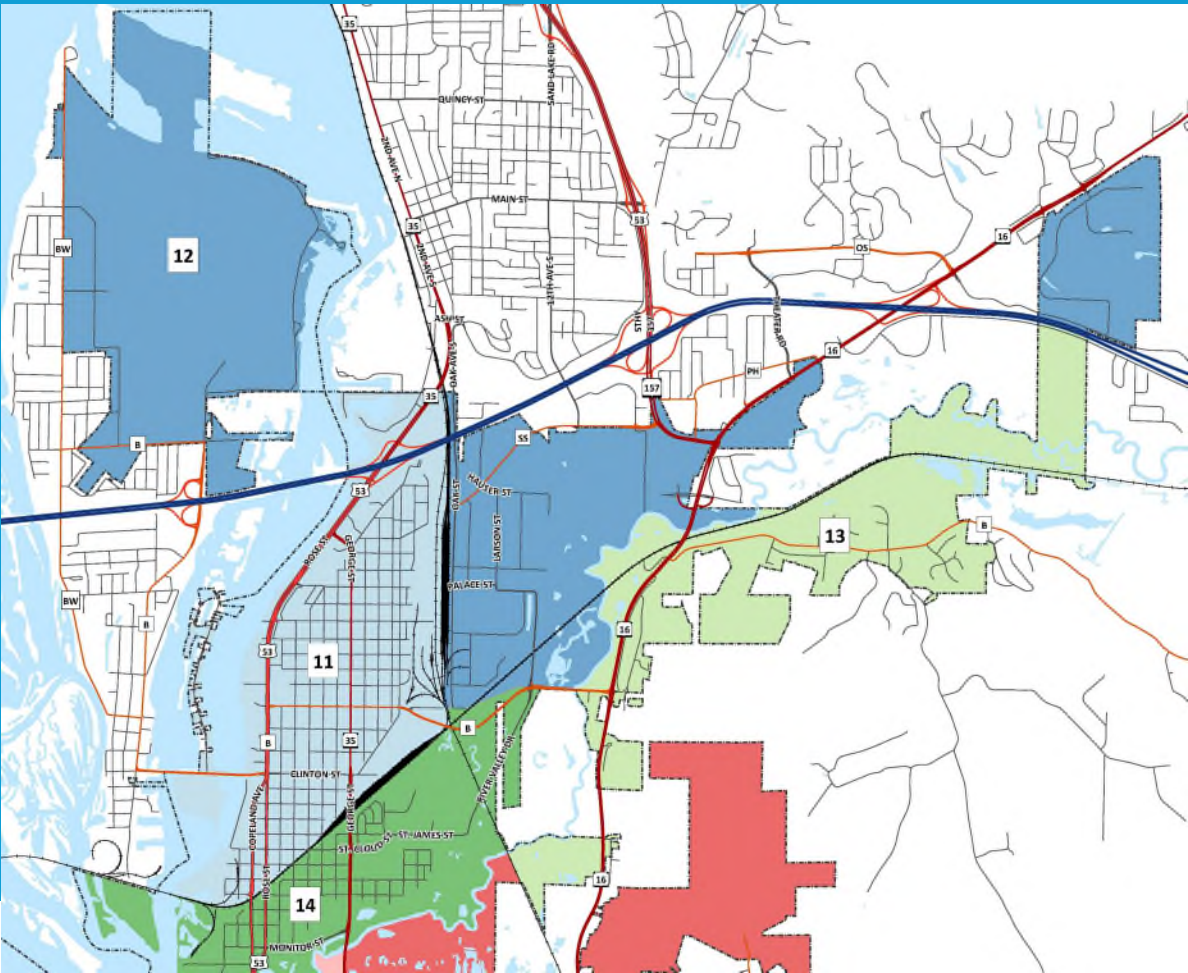




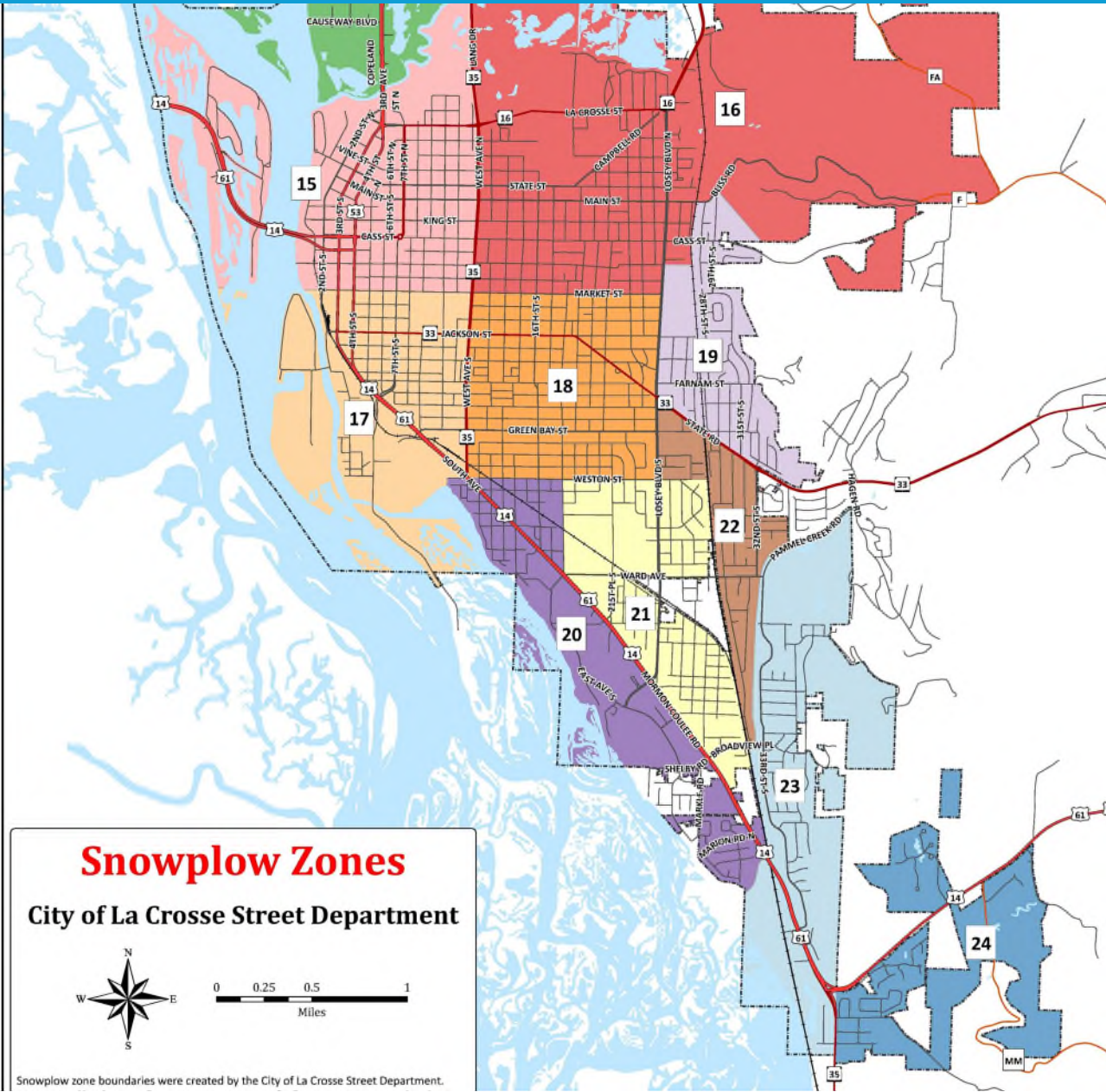
Snowplow routes up to 2023

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Snowplow routes as of 2024



# Fun Facts

## Full Snow Plow Event

28 Dump Plow Trucks

5 Graders

5 Pickup Trucks

3 Sidewalk Machines

Approx 2600 Miles Driven on the First Day of Plowing

# Fun Facts

## Salting Event

7-14 Salting Trucks

160-200 Tons of Salt Per Event

\$16-19,000.00 Per Event

16 Events to Date Totaling Approx. \$256,000.00 in Salt

# Fun Facts

## Brine Event

3 Brine Trucks

9,000-10,000 Gallons of Brine Per Event

\$3-4,000 Per Event





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# City Shop

## 5 Mechanics

Maintain Street Dept fleet of 93 units and misc. equipment

Vehicle Fleet Maintenance for:

Police Dept

Fire Dept

Parks & Forestry Dept

Water Dept

Wastewater/Sewer Depts

Parking Utilities





## **2025-**

350 Oil Changes completed on Fleet Vehicles.

\$8,050 Savings from outsourcing

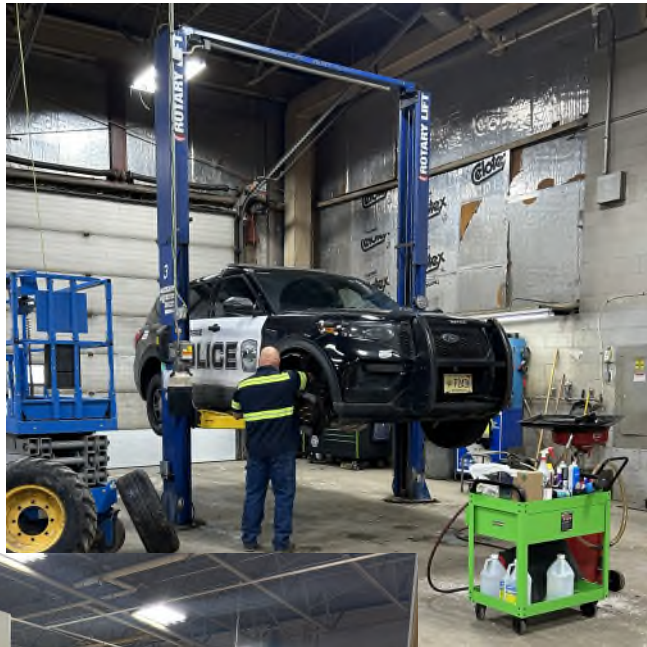
Installed 28 Sets of Tires of Fleet Vehicles

\$1,750 Savings from outsourcing.



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Clean Pammel Creek

Contracted Last in 2024

Cost of \$20,000.00









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# Christmas Tree Pickup



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# Potholes

Winter is the Worst Time of year for Potholes.

Approximately 80 tons of material used each year to fill potholes.

New product being used will increase the life of the repair.







**New Product  
being Used.**





# Equipment

## Dump Trucks

66% of trucks over 17 years old

21% over 30 years old

- New Equipment

# Rubber Tire Excavator

## Used for:

Tearing up Streets  
Mowing  
Ditching





# Single Axle Front Plow/Wing Salter

## Used For:

Plowing  
Salting  
Hauling Equipment  
Shouldering



**Used For:**  
Plowing  
Salting/Brine  
Paving  
Hauling

Tandem Axle Front Plow/Wing  
Salter/Brine



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### **Truck Material Applications**

- Salt
- Prewet Salt
- Slurry
- Brine (up to 3 lanes)
- Hard Pack Blast

Brine applicator

# Asphalt/Pothole Truck

**Used For:**  
Potholes  
Utility Openings  
Paving

Coming March 2026



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## 2026 Goals

1. Increase Road Maintenance Repairs
  - Mill and Repair
  - Mastic Crack Repairs
  - Crack Sealing
2. Expanding work done for other Departments
3. Work on creating Standard Operating Procedures



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