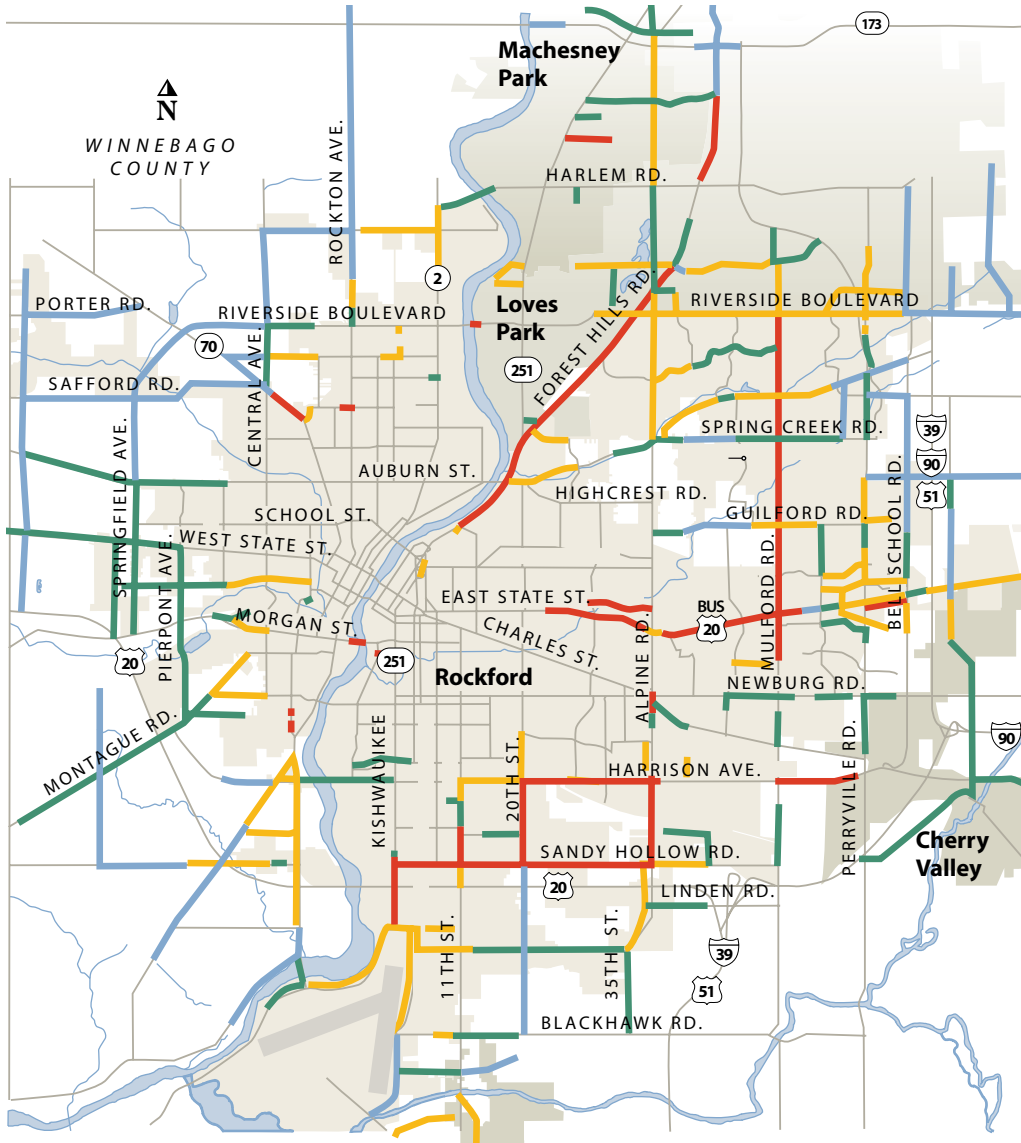


Sidewalk needs top \$48 million

A new transportation study examining pedestrian and bicycle needs in the Rockford area recommends nearly 228 miles of sidewalks are needed to fill in the missing links. Commercial stretches of Forest Hills Road and East State Street are among the areas in critical need of sidewalks. The price tag for building all of the recommended sidewalks in the region is \$48 million. The city of Rockford's share is \$21.3 million.

KEY: — Very high — High — Medium — Low



Source: Rockford Area Transportation Study

ROCKFORD REGISTER STAR