

## **Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsman's Club And Northstar Trail Alliance**

Proposing Club: Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsman's Club & Northstar Trail Alliance

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Resolution Title (brief subject statement): Roseau to Warroad Railbed Project

Factual points which provide background to, or a basis for, the issue addressed by Policy:

1. Railbed purchased in 2009 by Roseau County Trailblazers
2. Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsman's Club & Northstar Trail Alliance put into OHV GIA in 2018
3. Railbed connects to 3 towns and Beltrami Island State Forest
4. Need to finish cleaning up rock and apply a new surface

The Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsman Club & Northstar Trail Alliance is requesting funds from the dedicated OHV fund to resurface 16 miles of the Roseau to Warroad railbed.

Materials, Equipment & Labor = **\$446,500.00**



**Board of Commissioners**

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A motion was made by Commissioner Horner, seconded by Commissioner Falk, and carried unanimously to adopt the following Resolution:

2021-12-09

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE ROSEAU/LAKE OF THE WOODS SPORTSMANS CLUB & NORTHSTAR TRAIL ALLIANCE REQUEST FOR OHV FUNDING FOR THE ROSEAU TO WARROAD RAILBED TRAIL**

**WHEREAS**, the Roseau County Trailblazers purchased the Roseau to Warroad abandoned railbed in 2009; and

**WHEREAS**, the railbed has been significantly improved since 2009 to accommodate public access; and

**WHEREAS**, the Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsmans Club & Northstar Trail Alliance requested the inclusion of the railbed trail into the OHV Grant-in-Aid program in 2018; and, the request was granted; and

**WHEREAS**, the railbed trail is the only trail connecting the cities of Roseau and Warroad to Beltrami Island State Forest; and

**WHEREAS**, additional improvements to a portion of the railbed trail are required, including the removal of existing rock and the application of a new surface; and

**WHEREAS**, the estimated cost to complete the needed improvements is \$446,500.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Roseau County Board of Commissioners strongly supports the Roseau/Lake of the Woods Sportsmans Club & Northstar Trail Alliance request for funding from the dedicated OHV Fund to repair and resurface approximately 16 miles of the Roseau to Warroad railbed trail.

STATE OF MINNESOTA     )  
  ) ss  
COUNTY OF ROSEAU     )

I, Jeff Pelowski, County Coordinator in and for Roseau County, Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a part of the proceedings adopted by the Roseau County Board of Commissioners on December 28, 2021.

  
Jeff Pelowski  
Roseau County Coordinator





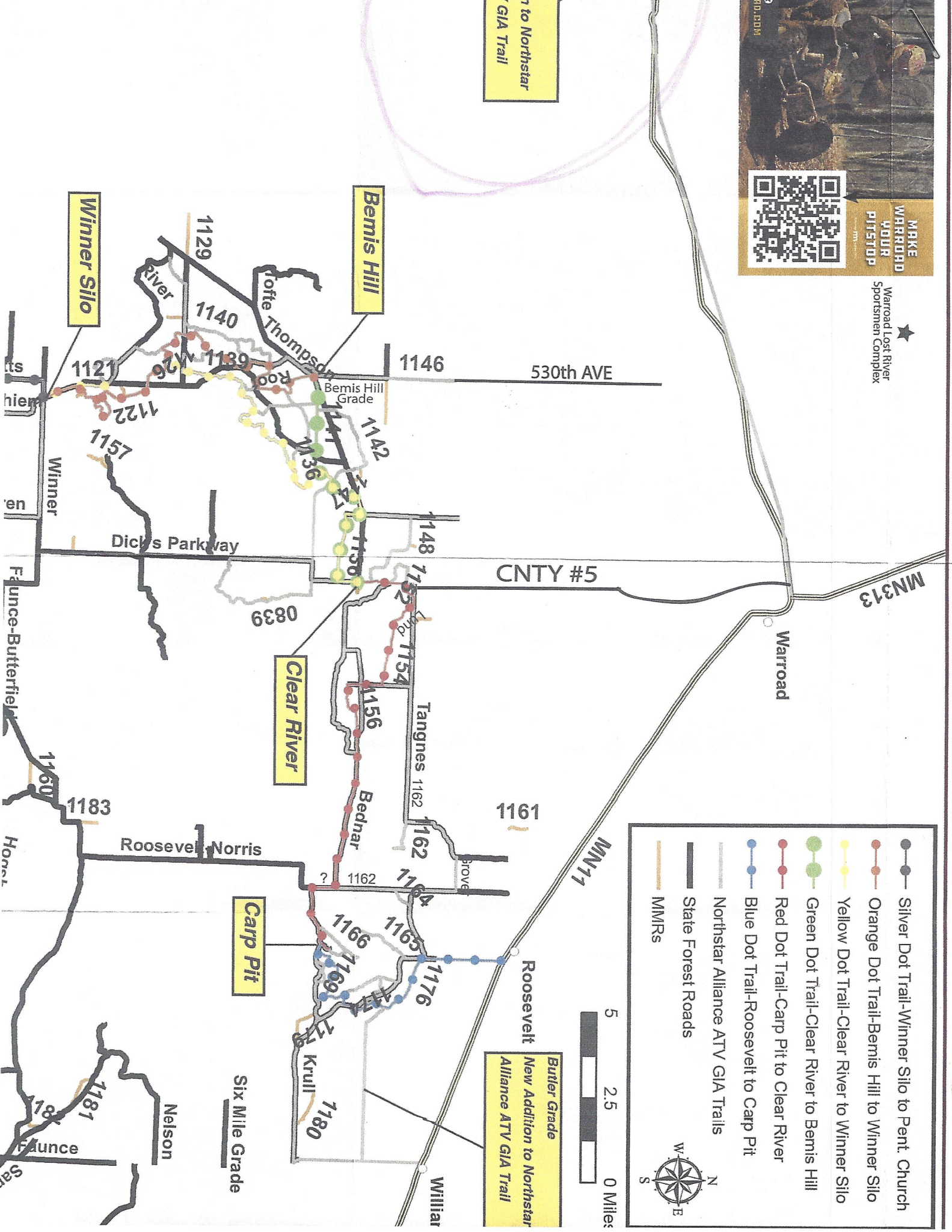


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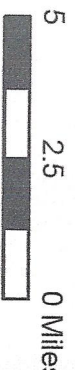


Warrroad Lost River Sportsmen Complex

n to Northstar / GIA Trail



	Silver Dot Trail-Winner Silo to Pent. Church
	Orange Dot Trail-Bemis Hill to Winner Silo
	Yellow Dot Trail-Clear River to Winner Silo
	Green Dot Trail-Clear River to Bemis Hill
	Red Dot Trail-Carp Pit to Clear River
	Blue Dot Trail-Roosevelt to Carp Pit
	Northstar Alliance ATV GIA Trails
	State Forest Roads
	MMRs



Butler Grade  
New Addition to Northstar Alliance ATV GIA Trail

Carp Pit

Six Mile Grade

Bemis Hill

Winner Silo

Clear River

MN313

CNTY #5

530th AVE

Dick's Parkway

Roosevelt Norris

Honors

Faunce

Nelson

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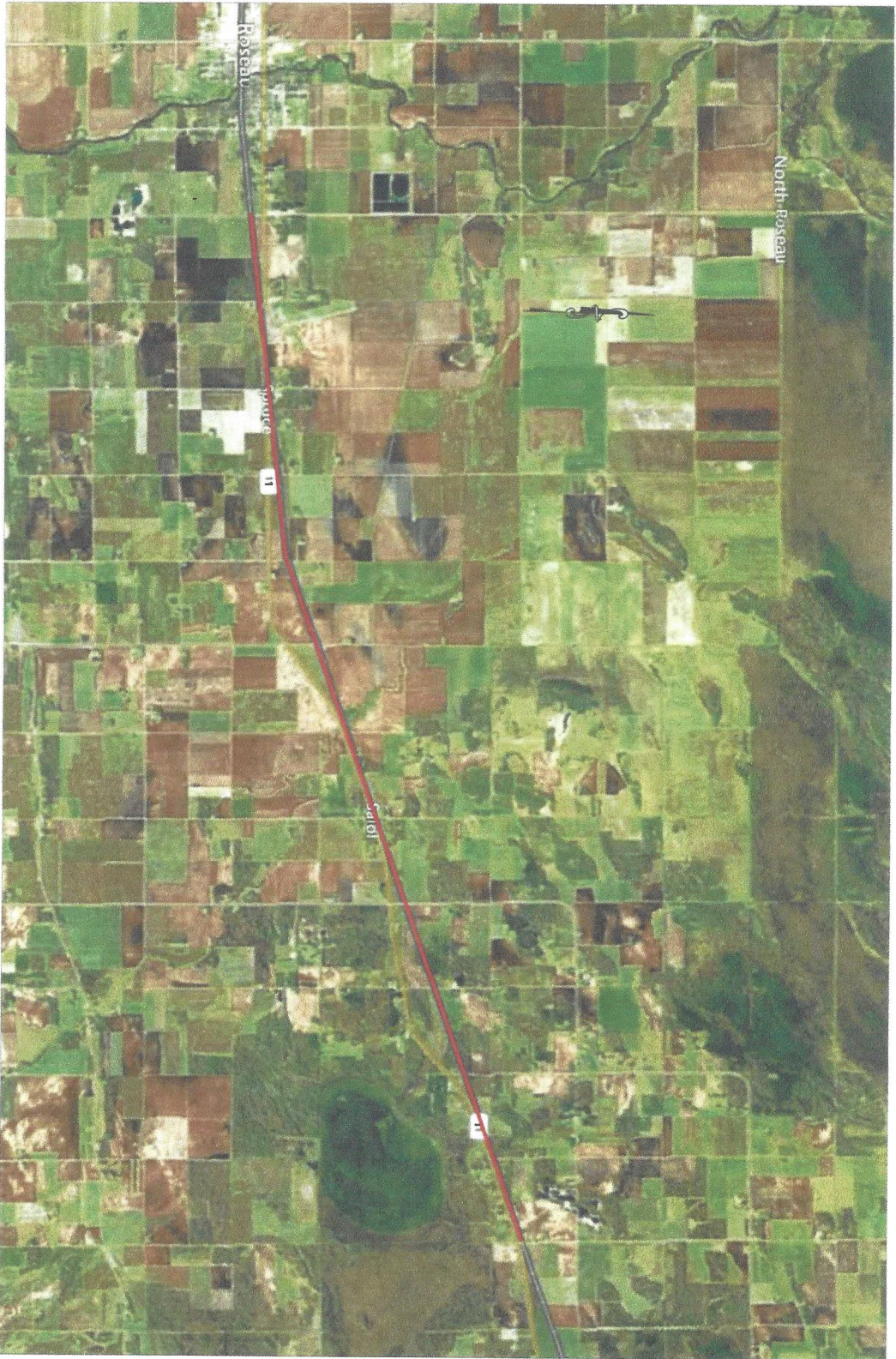
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**ROSEAU COUNTY**  
**TRAIL BLAZERS**  
**MULTI PURPOSE TRAIL**  
**CSAH 28 TO CR 137**  
**BEG 0+00 END 655+49**  
**12.415 MILES**