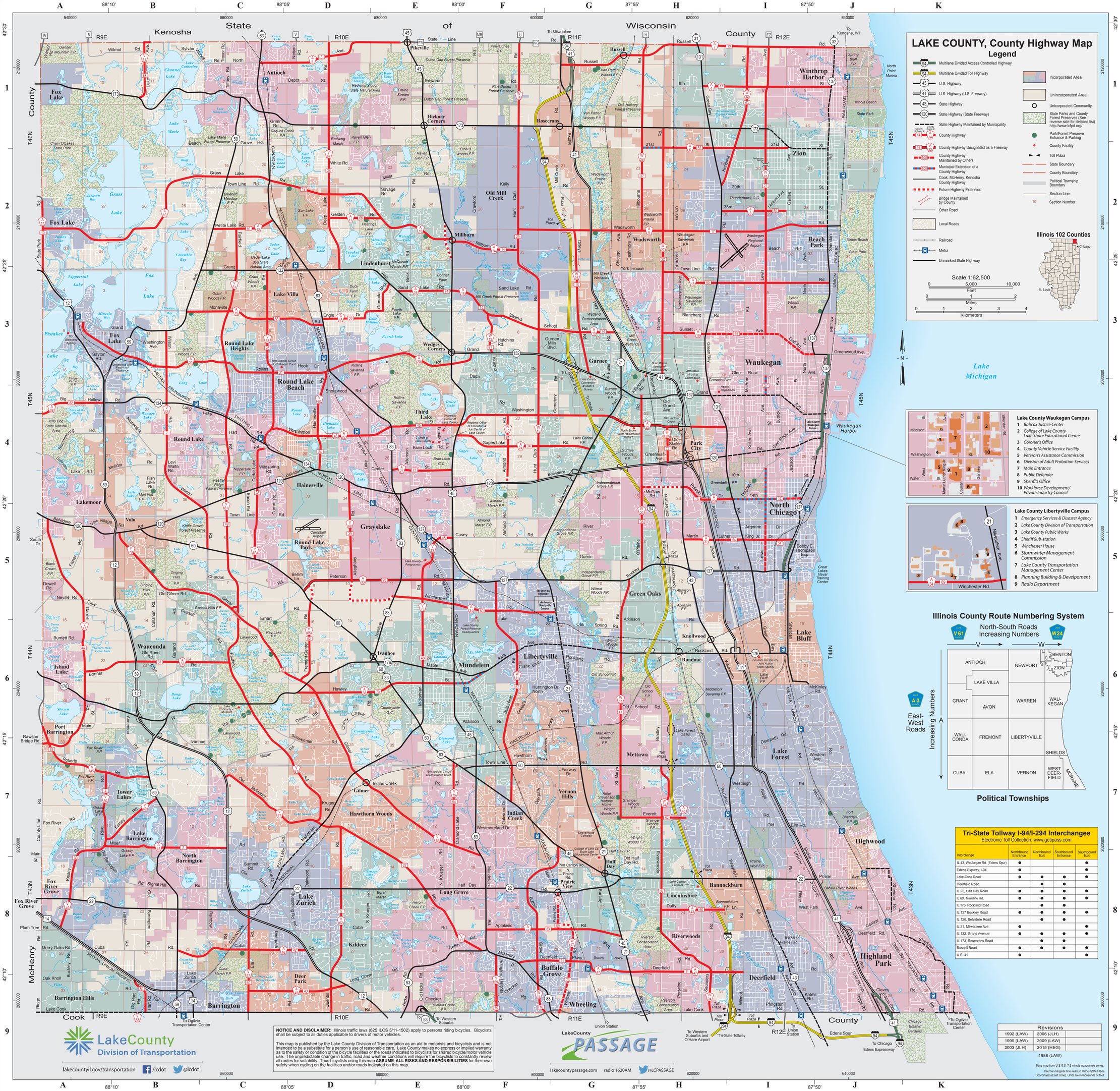

Lake County Waukegan Campus

1. *Babcox Justice Center*
2. *College of Lake County Lake Shore Educational Center*
3. *Coroner's Office*
4. *County Vehicle Service Facility*
5. *Veteran's Assistance Commission*
6. *Division of Adult Probation Services*
7. *Main Entrance*
8. *Public Defender*
9. *Sheriff's Office*
10. *Workforce Development/ Private Industry Council*

Lake County Libertyville Campus

1. *Emergency Services & Disaster Agency*
2. *Lake County Division of Transportation*
3. *Lake County Public Works*
4. *Sheriff Sub-station*
5. *Winchester House*
6. *Stormwater Management Commission*
7. *Lake County Transportation Management Commission*
8. *Planning Building & Develpoment*
9. *Radio Department*

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Lake County at a Glance An act of State Legislature created Lake County in March, 1839. Lake County's 470 square miles are divided into 18 political townships, 21 county board districts and 52 municipalities. In 2013, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated Lake County's population at 703,019.

LakeCounty PASSAGE

***Know before you go!* For current construction and traffic information** on Lake County highways, visit **lakecountypassage.com** or tune to highway advisory radio AM1620. Lake County's *PASSAGE* Intelligent Transportation System utilizes advanced technology to coordinate signals, monitor and manage traffic, and provide real-time traffic information to motorists.

Explore Lake County's bikeway and trail network and get our new Bike Trail Explorer mobile application on the Bikeways and Trails pages on our website!

ADOPT A HIGHWAY LakeCounty

For information about Lake County's Adopt a Highway program, contact the Lake County Division of Transportation by phone at 847.377.7400, or email the program coordinator at **adoptahwy@lakecountyil.gov**.

General Contacts, Transportation Agencies		
road type	*website*	*phone*
Interstate:	www.illinoistollway.com	630.241.6800
State and US:	www.idot.illinois.gov	847.705.4401
County:	www.lakecountyil.gov/transportation	847.377.7400
Other: *(municipal/unincorporated Lake County)*	Contact the municipality or township	

Transit agencies serving Lake County		
Metra	www.metrarail.com	312.322.6777
Pace	www.pacebus.com	847.364.7223
RTA	www.rtachicago.com	312.913.3110

This map is available in folded and flat formats. An electronic version is available in pdf format on our website.

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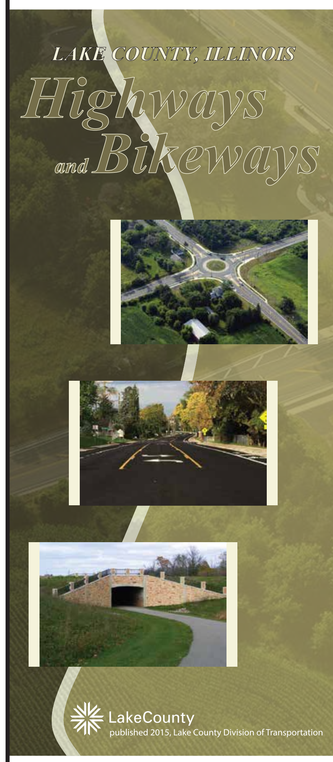

What is a County Highway?
The Lake County Board-designated, DOT-approved county highway system is more than 300 centerline miles of major collector and arterial highway and more than 59 miles of bike path through the county's 52 municipalities, operated by the Lake County Division of Transportation. These roads are marked by pentagonal blue and gold Lake County route markers. Bike paths are marked with a route identification sign which includes the Lake County logo.

Land Survey System
Land surveys in Lake County are referenced to the rectangular survey system authorized by an act of Congress in 1785. This survey system established survey townships—squares approximately 6 miles per side. Each township is assigned a township and range number to reference its location relative to a principal meridian and base line. Each survey township is further divided into 36 sections, squares approximately one mile per side. Sections are numbered consecutively from 1 to 36, with section 1 located in the northeast corner, and section 36 located in the southeast corner of each township. Survey townships provide the geographical basis for political townships. Both survey and political townships are shown on the county highway map.

Access Permits, Plat Approval, and Road Closures
A permit and/or approval from the County Engineer is required for the following: driveway and road access to county highways; any subdivision of land contiguous to a county highway; any construction work proposed within county highway rights-of-way; the location of earthen berms and/or detention facilities adjacent to county highway rights-of-way; and temporary closures of county highways (e.g. parades). Contact the permit office at the Lake County Division of Transportation, 600 W Winchester Rd, Libertyville, Illinois 60048 for information.

Lake County Division of Transportation
Lake County businesses and residents rely on a transportation system that incorporates elements owned by the state, the county, 52 municipalities, 16 townships, the Illinois Tollway, Metra and Pace. Improving and maintaining the county highway system is essential for a robust local economy, a healthy environment, and efficient movement of goods and people.

Our Mission
The Lake County Division of Transportation is committed to providing safe, efficient, and well-maintained county highways and bikeways to improve the general welfare of travelers in our communities and foster the orderly economic development of the county.

Our Responsibilities

- The construction, engineering, planning, operation and maintenance of county highways in accordance with the Illinois Highway Code for the use of the traveling public.
- The coordination of township road districts by the office of the County Engineer for the township highway commissioners.
- The coordination of local federal transportation aid and reviews of public transportation in Lake County for agencies and the traveling public.
- The review of proposed roads as part of the County Subdivision Ordinance for the township highway commissioners and new residents.
- The implementation of other functions as directed by state statute and the county board for the residents of Lake County.
- The maintenance of the county vehicle fleet for the user departments.
- Permit approval for overweight trucks, utility placement, and development access for county highway users.