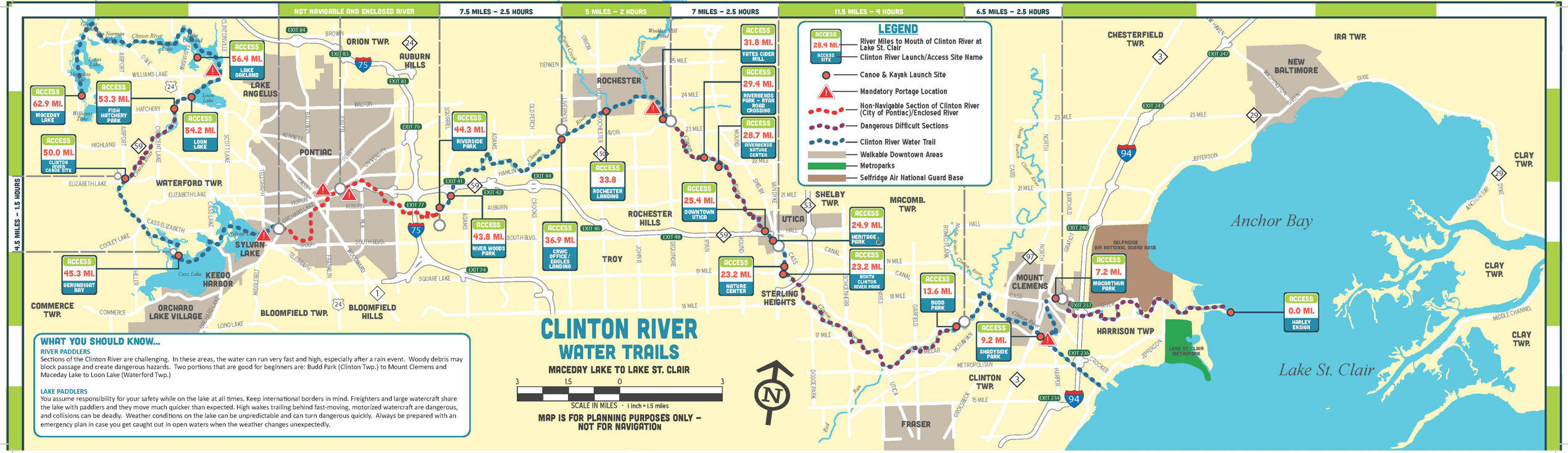
NOT NAVIGABLE AND ENCLOSED RIVER
7.5 MILES – 2.5 HOURS
5 MILES – 2 HOURS
7 MILES – 2.5 HOURS
11.5 MILES – 4 HOURS
6.5 MILES – 2.5 HOURS
4.5 MILES – 1.5 HOURS
LEGEND
River Miles to Mouth of Clinton River at Lake St. Clair
Clinton River Launch/Access Site Name
Canoe & Kayak Launch Site
Mandatory Portage Location
Non-Navigable Section of Clinton River (City of Pontiac)/Enclosed River
Dangerous Difficult Sections
Clinton River Water Trail
Walkable Downtown Areas
Metroparks
Selfridge Air National Guard Base
ACCESS 62.9 MI. MACEDAY LAKE
ACCESS 53.3 MI. FISH HATCHERY PARK
ACCESS 56.4 MI. LAKE OAKLAND
ACCESS 54.2 MI. LOON LAKE
ACCESS 50.0 MI. CLINTON RIVER CANOE SITE
ACCESS 45.3 MI. GERUNDIGAT BAY
ACCESS 44.3 MI. RIVERSIDE PARK
ACCESS 43.8 MI. RIVER WOODS PARK
ACCESS 36.9 MI. CRWC OFFICE/ EAGLES LANDING
ACCESS 33.8 MI. ROCHESTER LANDING
ACCESS 31.8 MI. YATES CIDER MILL
ACCESS 29.4 MI. RIVERBENDS PARK – RYAN ROAD CROSSING
ACCESS 28.7 MI. RIVERBENDS NATURE CENTER
ACCESS 25.4 MI. DOWNTOWN UTICA
ACCESS 23.2 MI. NATURE CENTER
ACCESS 24.9 MI. HERITAGE PARK
ACCESS 23.2 MI. NORTH CLINTON RIVER PARK
ACCESS 13.6 MI. BUDD PARK
ACCESS 9.2 MI. SHADYSIDE PARK
ACCESS 7.2 MI. MACARTHUR PARK
ACCESS 0.0 MI. HARLEY ENSIGN
WATERFORD TWP.
PONTIAC
LAKE ANGELUS
ORION TWP.
AUBURN HILLS
ROCHESTER
ROCHESTER HILLS
TROY
SHELBY TWP.
UTICA
STERLING HEIGHTS
MACOMB. TWP.
MOUNT CLEMENS
CHESTERFIELD TWP.
IRA TWP.
NEW BALTIMORE
CLAY TWP.
HARRISON TWP
CLINTON TWP.
FRASER
SYLVAN LAKE
KEEGO HARBOR
ORCHARD LAKE VILLAGE
COMMERCE TWP.
BLOOMFIELD TWP.
BLOOMFIELD HILLS
SELFRIDGE AIR NATIONAL GUARD BASE
LAKE ST. CLAIR METROPARK
Anchor Bay
Lake St. Clair
Clinton River
CLINTON RIVER
WATER TRAILS
MACEDAY LAKE TO LAKE ST. CLAIR
3 1.5 0 3
SCALE IN MILES · 1 inch = 1.5 miles
MAP IS FOR PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY – NOT FOR NAVIGATION
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WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW...
RIVER PADDLERS
Sections of the Clinton River are challenging. In these areas, the water can run very fast and high, especially after a rain event. Woody debris may block passage and create dangerous hazards. Two portions that are good for beginners are: Budd Park (Clinton Twp.) to Mount Clemens and Maceday Lake to Loon Lake (Waterford Twp.)
LAKE PADDLERS
You assume responsibility for your safety while on the lake at all times. Keep international borders in mind. Freighters and large watercraft share the lake with paddlers and they move much quicker than expected. High wakes trailing behind fast-moving, motorized watercraft are dangerous, and collisions can be deadly. Weather conditions on the lake can be unpredictable and can turn dangerous quickly. Always be prepared with an emergency plan in case you get caught out in open waters when the weather changes unexpectedly.