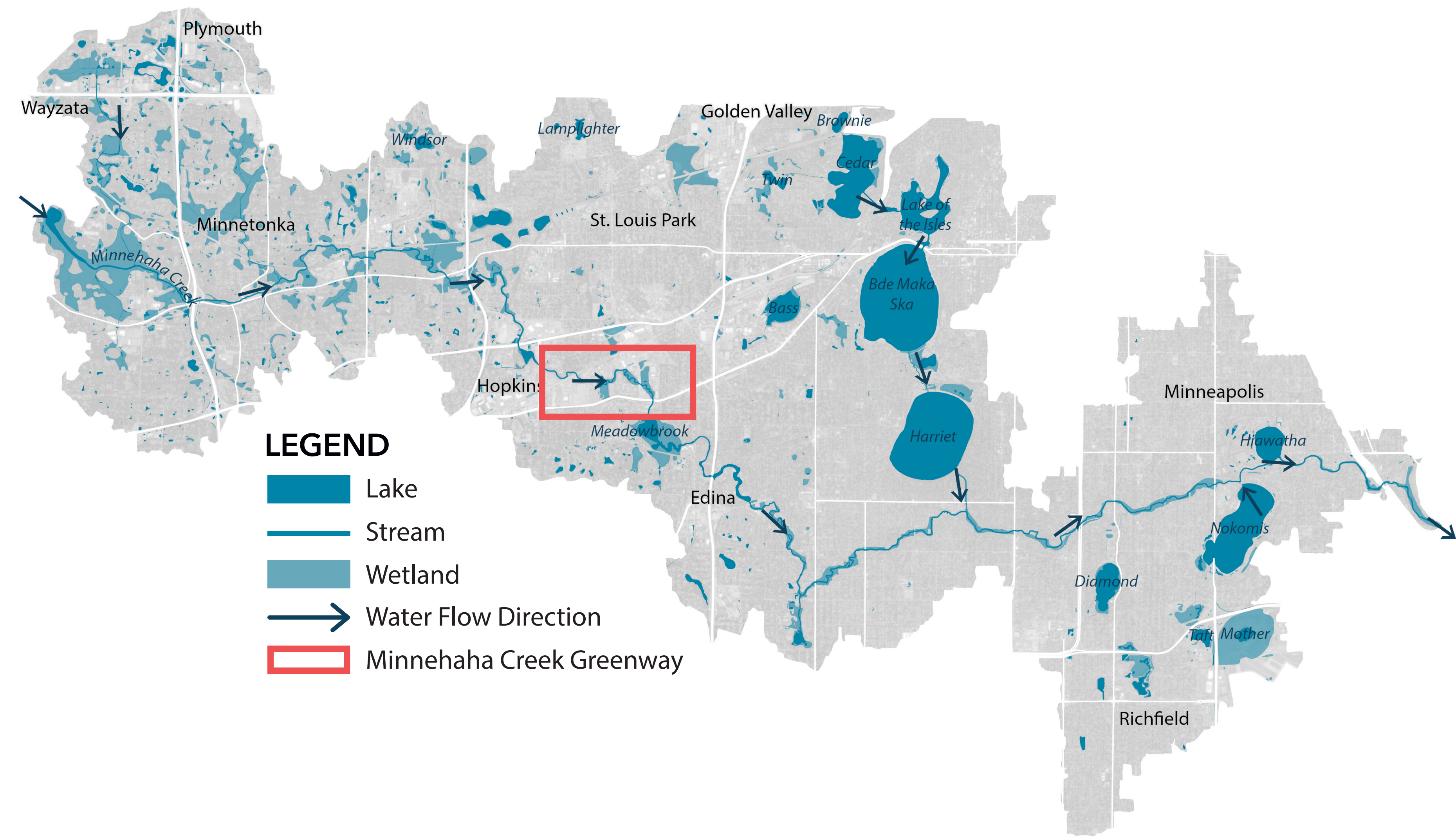


# MINNEHAHA CREEK SUBWATERSHED

The Minnehaha Creek Subwatershed runs through portions of nine cities and includes several major waterbodies, such as Minnehaha Creek and the Minneapolis Chain of Lakes. Historic land use decisions straightened the Creek and filled wetlands, causing lasting water resource issues.

To restore this geography, MCWD has worked with public and private partners for years to create the Minnehaha Creek Greenway, improving regional water quality, increasing natural flood storage, and expanding greenspace along the Creek.



## MINNEHAHA CREEK GREENWAY

The Minnehaha Creek Greenway is a series of restoration projects in Hopkins and St. Louis Park along what was the most degraded stretch of the Creek. To-date, these projects have generated significant environmental, recreational, and community benefits.

**109 ACRES**  
newly  
accessible  
greenspace

**2.3 MILES**  
trails and  
boardwalk

**1.5 MILES**  
restored  
creek and  
streambank

**30 ACRES**  
restored  
wetlands


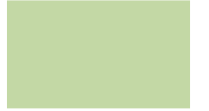




**>150 LBS.**  
pollutants  
removed  
annually

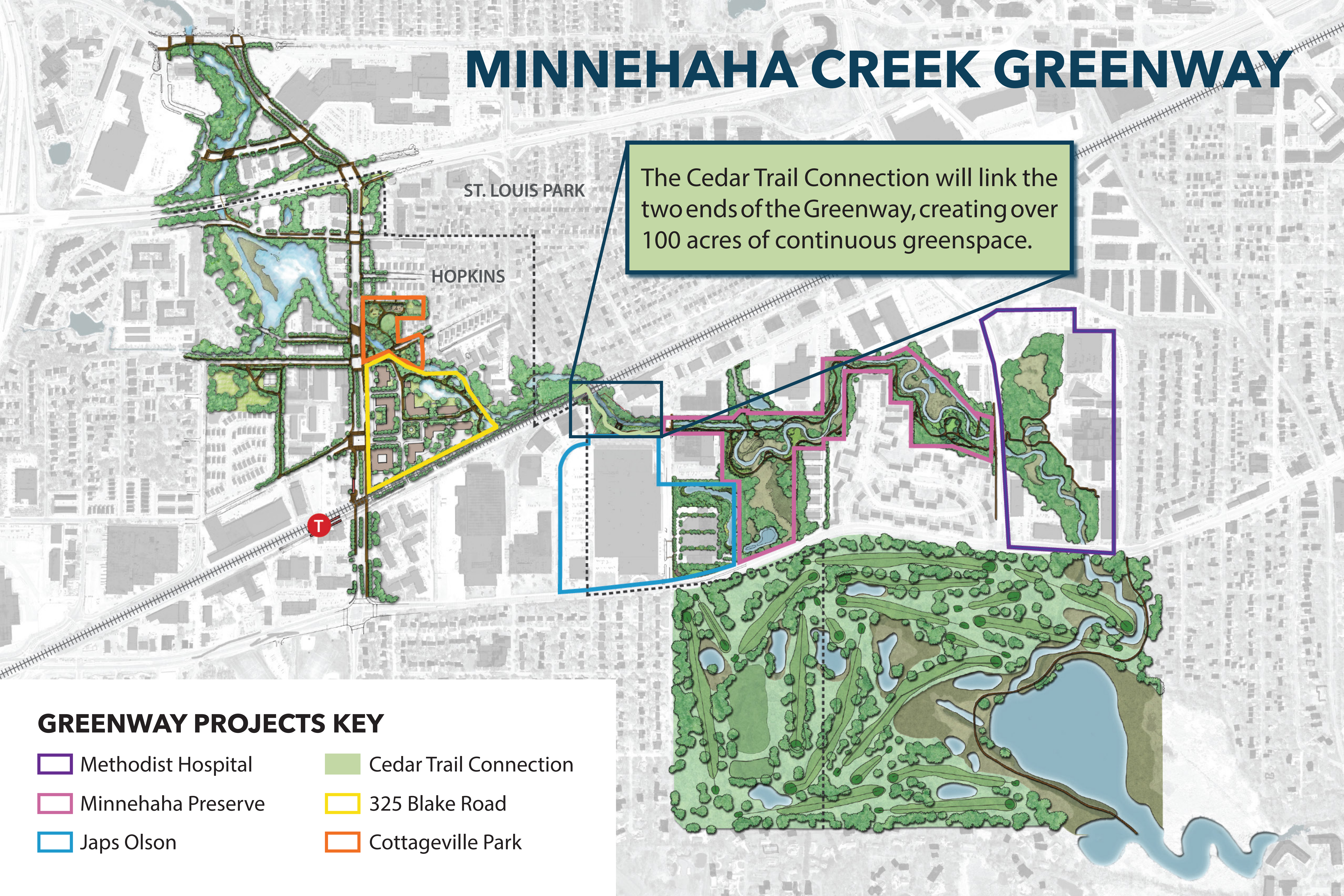


# MINNEHAHA CREEK GREENWAY

The Cedar Trail Connection will link the two ends of the Greenway, creating over 100 acres of continuous greenspace.

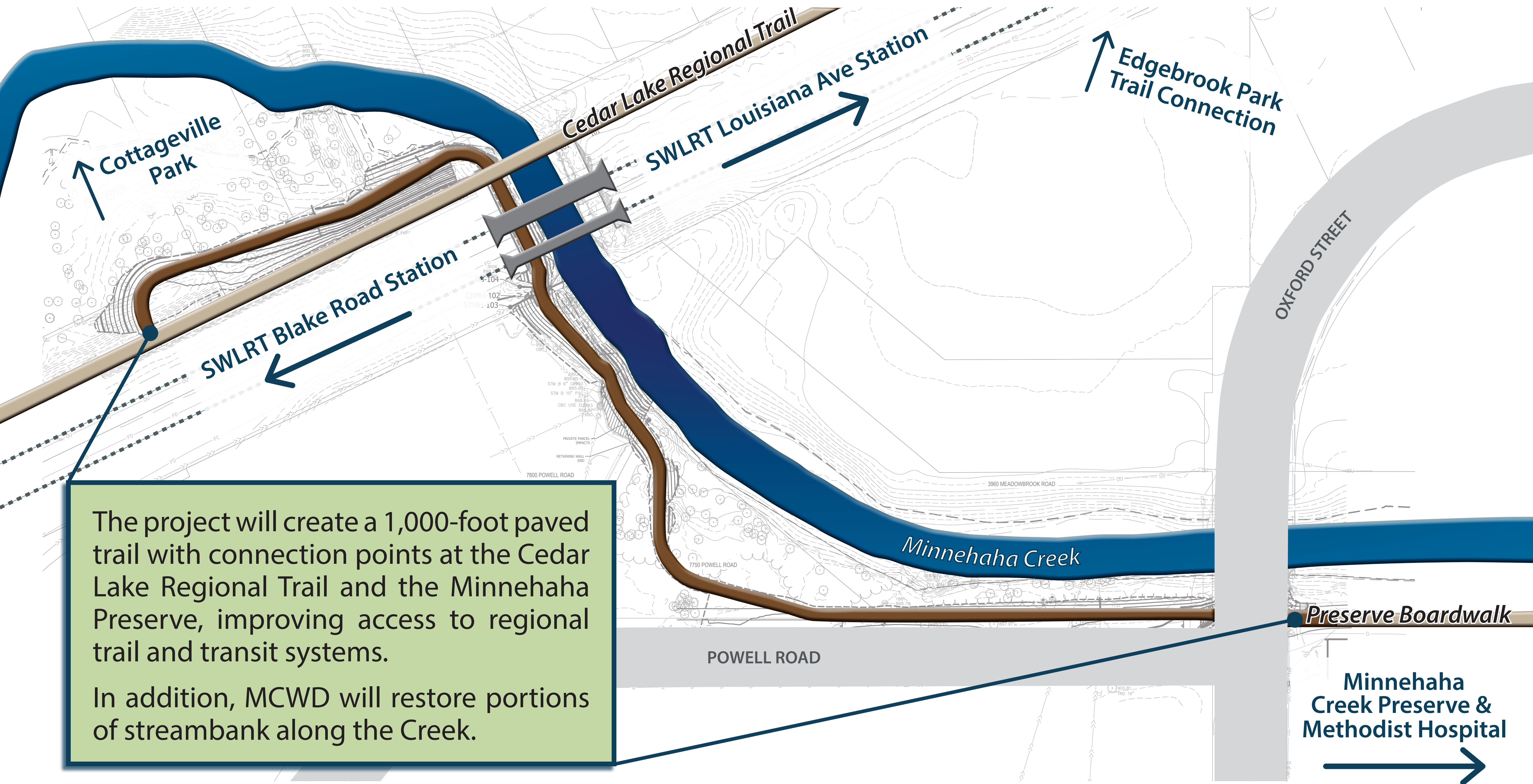
## GREENWAY PROJECTS KEY

- |   |  |
|---|--|
|  Methodist Hospital |  Cedar Trail Connection |
|  Minnehaha Preserve |  325 Blake Road         |
|  Japs Olson         |  Cottageville Park      |





# TRAIL CONNECTION SITE PLAN

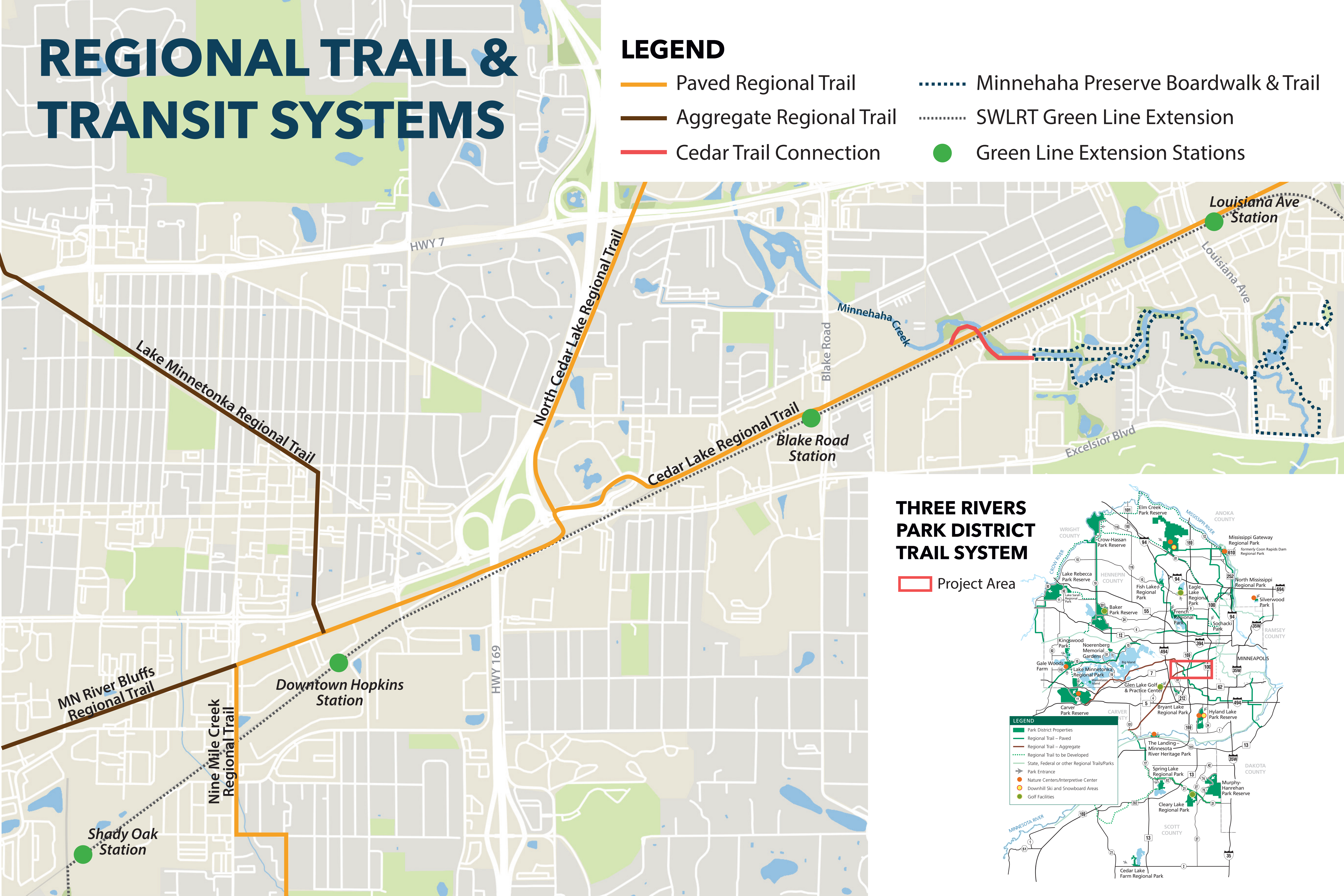




# REGIONAL TRAIL & TRANSIT SYSTEMS

## LEGEND

- Paved Regional Trail
- Aggregate Regional Trail
- Cedar Trail Connection
- Minnehaha Preserve Boardwalk & Trail
- SWLRT Green Line Extension
- Green Line Extension Stations



## THREE RIVERS PARK DISTRICT TRAIL SYSTEM

Project Area

