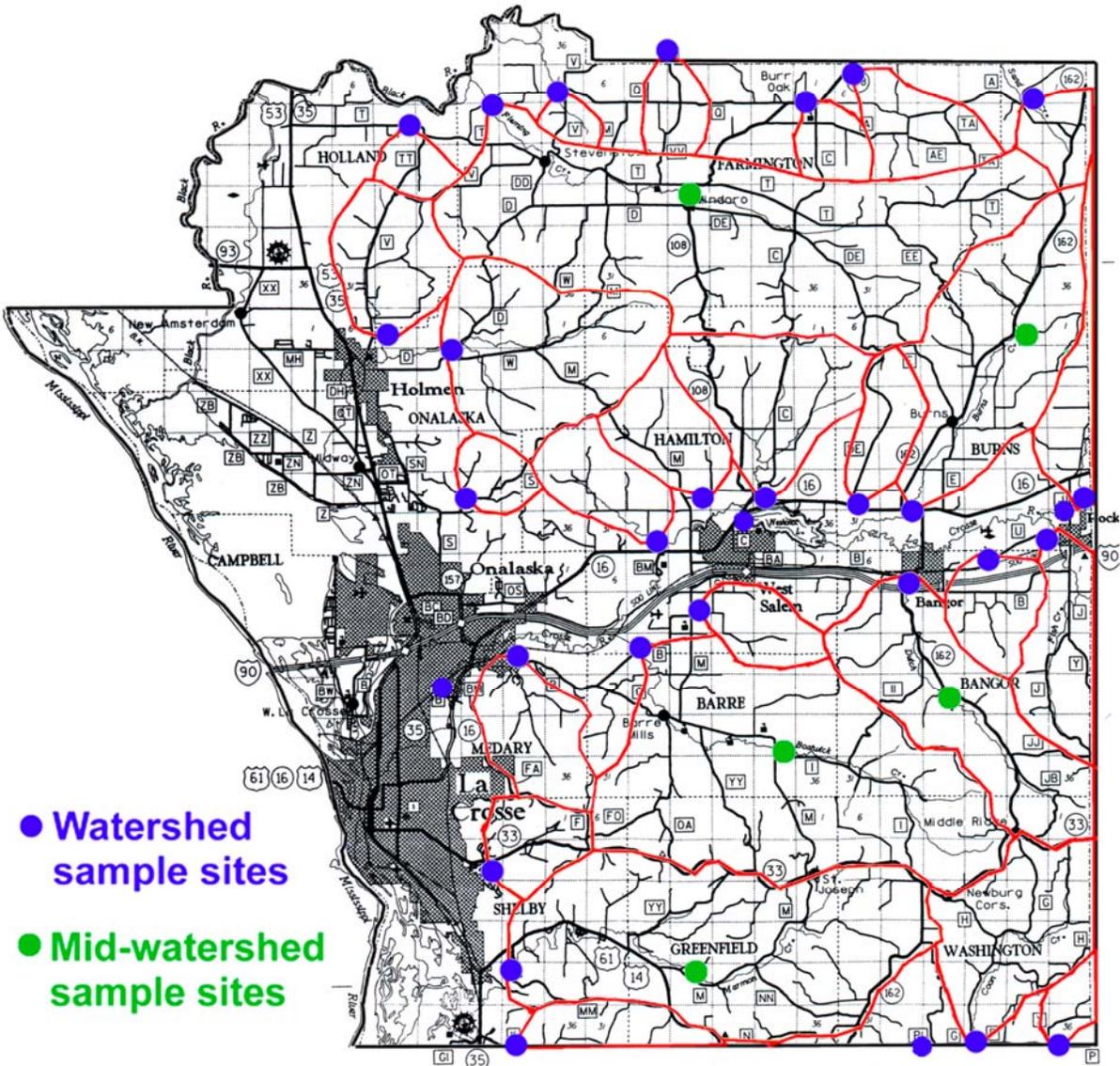


County-wide Water Quality Sampling Sites



Goals

Bacteria: Less than 1000 fecal coliform colonies per 100 milliliters of water. This is the county's Health Department standard for what is considered safe for body contact recreation.

Phosphorous: 0.05 milligrams per liter or less of phosphorus in the water. Phosphorus levels greater than 0.05 mg/L contribute to algae blooms, eutrophication, low dissolved oxygen levels, less desirable fish species, and poor recreational conditions. The EPA recommends a phosphorus level of 0.033 mg/L for this region of the country.