

**2015 ROUTINE  
BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT**



**BRIDGE # 93624  
CSAH 68(MCKNIGHT) over BATTLE CREEK**

**DISTRICT: Metro**

**COUNTY: Ramsey**

**CITY/TOWNSHIP: Maplewood**

**Date(s) of Inspection: 10/16/2015**

**Equipment Used:**

**Owner: County Highway Agency**

**Inspected By: Bodelson, Dan; Essler, Brian**

**Report Written By: Dan Bodelson**

**Report Reviewed By: Nicklaus Fischer**

**Final Report Date: 01/05/2016**

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# MnDOT Structure Inventory Report

Bridge ID: 93624

CSAH 68(MCKNIGHT)

over BATTLE CREEK

Date: 01/05/2016

GENERAL			
Agency Br. No.			
District Metro			
Maint. Area		Crew	
County 062 - Ramsey			
City Maplewood			
Township			
Desc. Loc. 0.3 MI S OF JCT TH 94			
Sect., Twp., Range 1 - 028N - 22W			
Latitude	Deg 44	Min 56	Sec 41.85
Longitude	Deg 93	Min 0	Sec 17.88
Custodian 02 - County Highway Agency			
Owner 02 - County Highway Agency			
BMU Agreement			
Year Built		1983	
MN Year Reconstructed			
FHWA Year Reconstructed			
MN Temporary Status			
Bridge Plan Location 3 - COUNTY			
Date Opened to Traffic 4/1/1983			
On-Off System 0 - OFF			
Legislative District 67B			

STRUCTURE	
Service On	1 - Highway
Service Under	5 - Waterway
Main Span Type	
5 - Prestress or Precast 15 - Pipe Arch	
Main Span Detail	
Appr. Span Type	
Appr. Span Detail	
Skew	0
Culvert Type	138"X87"
Barrel Length	260 ft.
Cantilever ID	

NUMBER OF SPANS		
MAIN: 1	APPR: 0	TOTAL: 1
Main Span Length	11.5	ft.
Structure Length	11.5	ft.
Deck Width (Out-to-Out)	0.0	ft.
Deck Material	N - Not Applicable	
Wear Surf Type	6 - Bituminous	
Wear Surf Install Year		
Wear Course/Fill Depth	4.16	ft.
Deck Membrane	0 - None	
Deck Rebars	N - Not Applicable (no deck)	
Deck Rebars Install Year		
Structure Area (Out-to-Out)	0	sq. ft.
Roadway Area (Curb-to-Curb)		sq. ft.
Sidewalk Width	Lt 0.00	Rt 0.00
Curb Height	Lt 0.00	Rt 0.00
Rail Type	Lt NN	Rt NN

ROADWAY	
Bridge Match ID (TIS) 0	
Roadway O/U Key Route On Structure	
Route Sys	04 - CSAH Number 68
Roadway Name or Description	
CSAH 68	
Level of Service	1 - MAINLINE
Roadway Type	2 - 2-way traffic
Control Section (TH Only)	
Reference Point	003+00.010
Detour Length	1.0 mi
Lanes	On 4 Under 0
ADT	11354 Year 2008
HCADT	0 ADTT 0 %
Functional Class 16 - Urban - Minor Arterial	

RDWY DIMENSIONS			
If Divided	NB-EB	SB-WB	
Roadway Width	44.00	ft.	ft.
Vertical Clearance		ft.	ft.
Max. Vert. Clear.		ft.	ft.
Horizontal Clear.		ft.	ft.
Lateral Clearance		ft.	ft.
Appr. Surface Width	44.0	ft.	
Bridge Roadway Width	0.0	ft.	
Median Width On Bridge		ft.	

MISC. BRIDGE DATA	
Structure Flared	0 - No flare
Parallel Structure	N - No parallel structure
Field Conn. ID	
Abutment Foundation	N - N/A
(Material/Type)	N - N/A
Pier Foundation	N - N/A
(Material/Type)	N - N/A
Historic Status	5 - Not eligible

PAINT	
Year Painted	
Unsound Paint %	
Painted Area	sq. ft.
Primer Type	
Finish Type	

BRIDGE SIGNS	
Posted Load	0 - Not Required
Traffic	0 - Not Required
Horizontal	0 - Not Required
Vertical	N - Not Applicable

INSPECTION	
Userkey	102
Unofficial Structurally Deficient	N
Unofficial Functionally Obsolete	N
Unofficial Sufficiency Rating	70.7
Routine Inspection Date	10/16/2015
Routine Inspection Frequency	24
Inspector Name	County, Ramsey
Status	A - Open

NBI CONDITION RATINGS	
Deck	N - Not Applicable
Unsound Deck %	
Superstructure	N - Not Applicable
Substructure	N - Not Applicable
Channel	6 - Bank slump; minor damage
Culvert	5 - Mod. to major deterioration

NBI APPRAISAL RATINGS	
Structure Evaluation	5
Deck Geometry	N
Underclearances	N
Water Adequacy	8 - Bridge Above Approache
Approach Alignment	8 - Equal to present desirabl

SAFETY FEATURES	
Bridge Railing	N - NOT REQUIRED
GR Transition	N - NOT REQUIRED
Appr. Guardrail	N - NOT REQUIRED
GR Termini	N - NOT REQUIRED

IN DEPTH INSP.		
Y/N	Freq	Date
Frac. Critical		
Underwater		
Pinned Asbly.		
Spec. Feat.		

WATERWAY	
Drainage Area (sq. mi.)	
Waterway Opening	66 sq. ft.
Navigation Control	0 - No nav. control on waterw
Pier Protection	
Nav. Clr. (ft.)	Vert. ft. Horiz. ft.
Nav. Vert. Lift Bridge Clear. (ft.)	
MN Scour Code	E - CULVERT Year

CAPACITY RATINGS		
Design Load	5 - HS 20	
Operating Rating	5 - NRAP	24.0
Inventory Rating	5 - NRAP	18.0
Posting VEH:	SEMI:	DBL:
Rating Date	01/09/1985	

MnDOT Permit Codes	
A:	N - N/A
B:	N - N/A
C:	N - N/A

# MnDOT Structure Inventory Report

## Additional Roadways

**Bridge ID:** 93624

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**Date:** 01/05/2016

# MnDOT BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT

01/05/2016

Inspector: County, Ramsey

**BRIDGE 93624 CSAH 68(MCKNIGHT) OVER BATTLE CREEK**

**ROUTINE INSP. DATE: 10/16/2015**

County: Ramsey	Location: 0.3 MI S OF JCT TH 94	Length: 11.5 ft.
City: Maplewood	Route: 04 - CSAH 68 Ref. Pt.: 003+00.010	Deck Width: 0.0 ft.
Township:	Control Section:	Rdwy. Area/ Pct. Unsnd: sq. ft. / %
Section: 1 Township: 028N Range: 22W Maint. Area:		Paint Area/ Pct. Unsnd: sq. ft. / %
Span Type: 1 - Concrete 19 - Culvert (includes frame culverts)	Local Agency Bridge Nbr.:	Culvert: 138"X87"
List:		Postings:
NBI Deck: N Super: N Sub: N Chan: 6 Culv: 5	Open, Posted, Closed: A - Open	
	MN Scour Code: E - CULVERT	

Appraisal Ratings - Approach: 8	Waterway: 8	Unofficial Structurally Deficient	N
Required Bridge Signs - Load Posting: 0 - Not Required	Traffic: 0 - Not Required	Unofficial Functionally Obsolete	N
Horizontal: 0 - Not Required	Vertical: N - Not Applicable	Unofficial Sufficiency Rating	70.7

Structure Unit:

ELEM NBR	ELEMENT NAME	ENV	REPORT TYPE	INSP. DATE	QUANTITY	QTY CS 1	QTY CS 2	QTY CS 3	QTY CS 4	QTY CS 5
241	Reinforced Concrete Culvert	2	Routine	10/16/2015	259 LF	0	259	0	0	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	259 LF	0	259	0	0	N/A

Requires Monitoring                       Monitored

Notes: [2009-2015] Some infiltration of first 2 joints from the east end.  
 [2001-2015] Minor- moderate cracking and spalling with some leaching.  
 [2005-2015] Moderate scaling at water line. Pre-cast sections also have slight separation of joints.

361	Scour Smart Flag	2	Routine	10/16/2015	1 EA	0	1	0	N/A	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	1 EA	0	1	0	N/A	N/A

Requires Monitoring                       Monitored

Notes: [2001-2015] Some minor scour at apron ends, need additional scour protection.

388	Culvert Headwall, Wingwall or Other End Treatment	2	Routine	10/16/2015	2 EA	0	1	1	0	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	2 EA	0	1	1	0	N/A

Requires Monitoring                       Monitored

Notes: [2007-2015] There is major delamination west end at both corners of apron. There is also a major spall 4' X 6" area at top of west end. The west end also contains exposed re-bar with corrosion.  
 [2007-2015] Trash guard is bent inward at the east end. Debris was cleaned out at the east end in 2005.

964	Critical Finding Smart Flag	2	Routine	10/16/2015	1 EA	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	1 EA	1	0	N/A	N/A	N/A

Requires Monitoring                       Monitored

Notes: DO NOT DELETE THIS CRITICAL FINDING SMART FLAG.

## Structure Unit:

ELEM NBR	ELEMENT NAME	ENV	REPORT TYPE	INSP. DATE	QUANTITY	QTY CS 1	QTY CS 2	QTY CS 3	QTY CS 4	QTY CS 5
985	Slopes & Slope Protection	1	Routine	10/16/2015	1 EA	0	1	0	N/A	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	1 EA	0	1	0	N/A	N/A

 Requires Monitoring Monitored

Notes: [2015] Cleared trees above culvert on east end.

[2013-2015] West end at the north side contains some moderate slumping of bank.

[2005-2015] Riprap is needed at the east apron. East end contains some minor slumping.

987	Roadway over Culvert	1	Routine	10/16/2015	1 EA	1	0	0	N/A	N/A
			Routine	10/29/2013	1 EA	1	0	0	N/A	N/A

 Requires Monitoring Monitored

Notes: [2015] McKnight Rd. is OK

[2013] There was a new bituminous overlay by Ramsey County Maintenance. No settlement.

General Notes: 2015 Bridge safety inspection was completed by Dan Bodelson & Brian Essler 10/16/15.  
 2013 Bridge safety inspection was completed by B. Wieman 10/29/13.  
 2011 Bridge safety inspection was completed by B. Wieman 10/3/11.  
 2009 Bridge safety inspection was completed by B. Wieman 07/02/2009.  
 2007 Safety inspection was completed by B. Wieman & B. Essler.  
 Safety inspection was completed by Bret Wieman 8/23/2005.  
 \*CUSTODIAN - RAMSEY WASHINGTON METRO DISTRICT NEW CONSTRUCTION 1983.

58. Deck NBI: Culvert

36A. Brdg Railings NBI: No bridge railing - culvert

36B. Transitions NBI: No bridge railing - culvert

36C. Appr Guardrail NBI: No guardrail

36D. Appr Guardrail NBI: No guardrail

Terminal NBI:

59. Superstructure NBI: Culvert

60. Substructure NBI: Culvert

61. Channel NBI: Channel has minor to moderate degradation.

62. Culvert NBI: Culvert has moderate deterioration.

71. Waterway Adeq NBI: Greater than 3' of freeboard.

72. Appr Roadway NBI: No speed reduction required.

Alignment NBI:

Inventory Notes: 260 LF X 138" X 87"

Dan Bodelson

Inspector's Signature

Nicklaus Fischer

Reviewer's Signature



# Pictures



Photo 1 -



Photo 2 -



# Pictures



Photo 3 -



Photo 4 -



# Pictures



Photo 5 -



Photo 6 -



1. bridge safety 041.JPG



2. bridge safety 042.JPG



3. bridge safety 043.JPG



4. bridge safety 044.JPG



5. bridge safety 045.JPG



6. DSC00179.JPG

## Culvert

Bridge No.: 93624

<b>Culvert</b>
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<i>Item</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Condition</i>	<i>Comments</i>
<b>Culvert Overall:</b>	<b>NBI Item 62</b>	<u>5</u>	Culvert has moderate deterioration.

MnDOT Scour Code: E - CULVERT

<b>Waterway Inspection</b>
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Item No.	Yes, No, NA or Not Visible	Description
1.	<u>          </u>	Is there a significant build-up of debris?
2.	<u>          </u>	Is there erosion of the embankment around the headwalls?
3.	<u>          </u>	Is there any indication of cracking or settlement of the culvert barrel or headwalls?
4.	<u>          </u>	Is there shifting of the channel alignment or erosion of the stream banks? Also are there cracks in the soil of the banks parallel to the stream?
5.	<u>          </u>	Do scour measurements indicate that the streambed is below the bottom of the cutoff walls at the ends of the culvert?
6.	<u>          </u>	Is there evidence of distress in the roadway or approaches such as cracks in the pavement and sags in the guardrail or roadway? Also, is there cracking, erosion, or failure of the side slopes at or adjacent to the culvert?
7.	<u>          </u>	Is there an indication of "piping" of water along the outside of the culvert such as cavities adjacent to the barrel?
8.	<u>          </u>	Is the culvert without a bottom and scour measurements indicate that the streambed is below the plan streambed elevations?
9.	<u>          </u>	Has the riprap or other scour protection been damaged or otherwise made ineffective?
10.	<u>          </u>	If the culvert was designed to be buried (fill inside the culvert), is the material still in the barrel?

**Notes:**

- Streambed sounding data is to be documented.
- Soundings of the streambed should be done at each end of the culvert. If Items #5 or #8 are "Yes", then a streambed profile of the scoured area should be done.
- If "Yes" is the answer to any items on the checklist, notify the Program Administrator for further instructions.

Comments:

Completed On \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_

### Channel

Bridge No.: 93624

#### Channel

<i>Item</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Condition</i>	<i>Comments</i>
<b>Channel Overall:</b>	<b>NBI Item 61</b>	<u>6</u>	Channel has minor to moderate degradation.

#### Bank Protection/Revetment

<i>Item</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Condition</i>	<i>Comments</i>
<b>Upstream Bank Protection:</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>Downstream Bank Protection:</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>Bridge Revetment:</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>MnDOT Scour Code:</b>	<u>E - CULVERT</u>		

#### Underwater Inspection

**Underwater Inspection By Divers:** \_\_\_\_\_

**No. of Piers To Be Inspected:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### Waterway Characteristics

<b>Reference Point:</b> _____	<b>High Water Elev.:</b> _____	<b>Current Water Elev.:</b> _____
<b>Pile Tip Elev.:</b> _____	<b>Low Water Elev.:</b> _____	<b>Current Streambed Elev.:</b> _____
	<b>Scour Hole Elev.:</b> _____	<b>Current Scour Hole Elev.:</b> _____

#### Waterway Inspection: (Not applicable for culverts)

Item No.	Yes, No, NA or Not Visible	Description
1.	_____	Is there a significant build-up of debris?
2.	_____	Is there a change in the horizontal alignment of the handrail or structure members such as beams?
3.	_____	Is there any indication of vertical movement of the superstructure?
4.	_____	Is there shifting of the channel alignment or erosion of the stream banks? Also are there cracks in the soil of the banks parallel to the stream?
5.	_____	Is there a significant change in the alignment of the exterior bearings?
6.	_____	Are there cracks or other signs of distress in the approach pavement?
7.	_____	Is the water currently on the superstructure?
8.	_____	Are the slopes unstable?
9.	_____	Do scour measurements indicate: (place a check by all that apply.)
	<input type="checkbox"/>	A. that the streambed is two or more feet below the bottom of pier footings which are supported on piles?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	B. scour below the bottom of spread footings?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	C. scour below the bottom of high abutment footings?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	D. that the streambed has scoured five feet or more below the original streambed elevation at pier bents?



10. \_\_\_\_\_ Have the scour countermeasures been damaged or otherwise made ineffective?

**Notes:**

- Streambed sounding data is to be documented.

- Per MnDOT Bridge Inspection Manual Section 2.2.5, at bridges that require x-sections, take channel x-sections, along the upstream and/or downstream face of the bridge.

- If "Yes" is the answer to any items on the checklist, notify the Program Administrator for further instructions.

Comments:

Completed On \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_

## Scour POA

Bridge No.: 93624

<b>Scour POA</b>
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1. Is POA on File? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Date of most recent POA: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Here is a link to MnDOT's Bridge Scour website for other resources:
  - <http://www.dot.state.mn.us/bridge/hydraulics/scour.html>
  - The Scour POA should be kept in the bridge file and/or uploaded to SIMS using the "Inspection Files" tab.

### Implementation

Scour POAs are required to be implemented by FHWA.

1. Is this POA being implemented? \_\_\_\_\_

# Channel Section

## Upstream

Custom Label	Location	Elevation
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## Downstream

Custom Label	Location	Elevation
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Distance Measured From:

Elev. of Ref. Pt:

Depth to Water Surface:

WS Elev:

Vertical Datum:

Comments:

Distance Measured From:

Elev. of Ref. Pt:

Depth to Water Surface:

WS Elev:

Vertical Datum:

# Maintenance

Element	Source Code	Work Code	Description	P/R	Priority	Work Order #	Year Due	Last Viewed	Entered	Start Date	Completed
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# BRIDGE STRUCTURAL ASSESSMENT REPORT

## PURPOSE:

This report is a structural assessment of the structure and its ability to carry loads based on conditions identified in the attached bridge inspection report. The assessment is only a cursory review intended to provide guidance as to the relative hazards for structural conditions and deficiencies identified. This report is mandatory for all fracture critical bridges and is completed by the MnDOT Bridge Office upon receipt of the 7 Day FC Report; however, it is an OPTIONAL tool for agencies to utilize at their discretion for all other inspection types.

BRIDGE NO.: 93624	BRIDGE OWNER: County Highway Agency
DATE INSPECTED: 10/16/2015	STRUCTURE TYPE: Concrete Culvert (includes frame culverts)
FACILITY CARRIED: CSAH 68(MCKNIGHT)	FEATURES INTERSECTED: BATTLE CREEK
TYPE OF INSPECTION: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROUTINE <input type="checkbox"/> FRACTURE CRITICAL <input type="checkbox"/> PINNED ASSEMBLY: <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL: <input type="checkbox"/> DAMAGE: <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:	
<u>Check all that apply:</u>	
Redundancy: <input type="checkbox"/> Load Path <input type="checkbox"/> Structural <input type="checkbox"/> Internal	Connection Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Riveted <input type="checkbox"/> Bolted <input type="checkbox"/> Welded <input type="checkbox"/> Other:

- Was a critical finding identified during this inspection or upon structural review?  Yes  No  
  - If selected "Yes" above, state briefly the finding(s):
- If a critical finding was identified, what is the current status?  Pending  
 Resolved  
 N/A  
  - Briefly state actions taken:
- Does the condition of any bridge component indicate impaired function? Examples of bridge components with impaired function include elements that are: frozen or immovable, out-of-plumb or misaligned, distorted or structurally deformed, excessively deteriorated, cracked, broken, eroded or scoured.  Yes  No

a) If selected "Yes" above, state briefly the component(s) and condition(s):

4. Does the overall condition of the bridge, or any of its components mentioned in Question 3, suggest the need for detailed structural analysis and/or a revised load rating?  Yes  No

a) If selected "Yes", state the reason for this recommendation and indicate a proposed timeframe in accordance with State of Minnesota Rule 8810.9500 (Subpart 2):

5. Based on the structural assessment of these findings, recommendations include:

- Repair/Maintenance       Monitoring Plan  
 Other       Increased Inspection Frequency

Explain recommended actions:

6. Other comments:

**Bridge Office Reviewer**