2007 North Central Conference
Map Supplement

This document is meant to serve as an explanation of the map documents enclosed in Mailer II.

Gates Tennis Center Map

Trailer parking shall be supplied by MTU just west of Gates Tennis Center. MTU asks that trailers be parked here, rather than at the hotel to decrease congestion of the hotel parking lot. Parking will be available for the duration of the competition in Houghton.

Two entry doors are available at the Gates Tennis Center, both indicated by green arrows on the map. The south entry is a 12’ overhead garage door. The east entry is a typical double door with the center post removed. MTU strongly recommends that all canoes enter through the south entry as it will be easier and closer to the canoe display area.

On Sunday morning, only one trailer may occupy the drive on the south end of the building at a time. Trailer unloading shall be orchestrated in the following fashion:

- Trailers will leave the designated parking lot following the red arrows to the Gates Tennis Center.
- Once unloaded, empty trailers will follow the blue arrows in the map away from the Gates Tennis Center and back to the designated parking lot.

Campus Map

Houghton is a small city that was not designed with trailer-driving comfort in mind. On the west end of the downtown district is the “Yooper Loop.” It is advised that trailers avoid this area for both ease of travel and safety.

Recommended directions once you have arrived in Houghton via US-41 are marked out in small red arrows in this map.

Note that Fisher Hall has been marked out on this map. This will be the location of all Concrete Canoe technical presentations. On-campus parking is readily available and because it is the weekend, parking meters are not enforced. Please respect all traffic signs and posted laws on the MTU campus.
City of Houghton Map

This map has been added to help provide some sense of direction when traveling around the city of Houghton. Important things to note on this map include:

- Country Inn & Suites has been marked with a yellow star. This is the hotel for all participants.
- Sharon Ave is the easiest way to get from the hotel to the Gates Tennis Center.
- The “Yooper Loop” has been marked on the map. This is a very congested area of town with quite a few stop signs, yield signs, right of ways, and lane changes over a short distance. Please use caution when traveling through this area.