

**Use these maps to answer the questions below.**

“Good Roads Everywhere,” 1916

<https://sddigitalarchives.contentdm.oclc.org/digital/collection/p15914coll3/id/170/rec/277>

Official State Highway Map (Medium Resolution)

[https://dot.sd.gov/media/documents/CADD-Mapping/State/SD-Map\\_medium.pdf](https://dot.sd.gov/media/documents/CADD-Mapping/State/SD-Map_medium.pdf)

1. What states surround South Dakota?
2. What causes the eastern edge of South Dakota to have a curvy boundary?
3. Compare the names of the counties on these maps. Which county names do we not have today?
4. Find where you live on both maps.
  - a. Is your town listed on both maps?
  - b. Is your town still in the same county as it was in 1916?
  - c. Has the size of your county changed? Is it bigger or smaller now?
5. Names of our towns can come from many sources. Take a look at some of the town names.
  - a. Find two towns named after a landscape feature.
  - b. Find two towns named after a person.
  - c. Find two towns named after other cities or towns.
6. Why do you think they called the 1916 map “Good Roads Everywhere”? What is the purpose of this map?