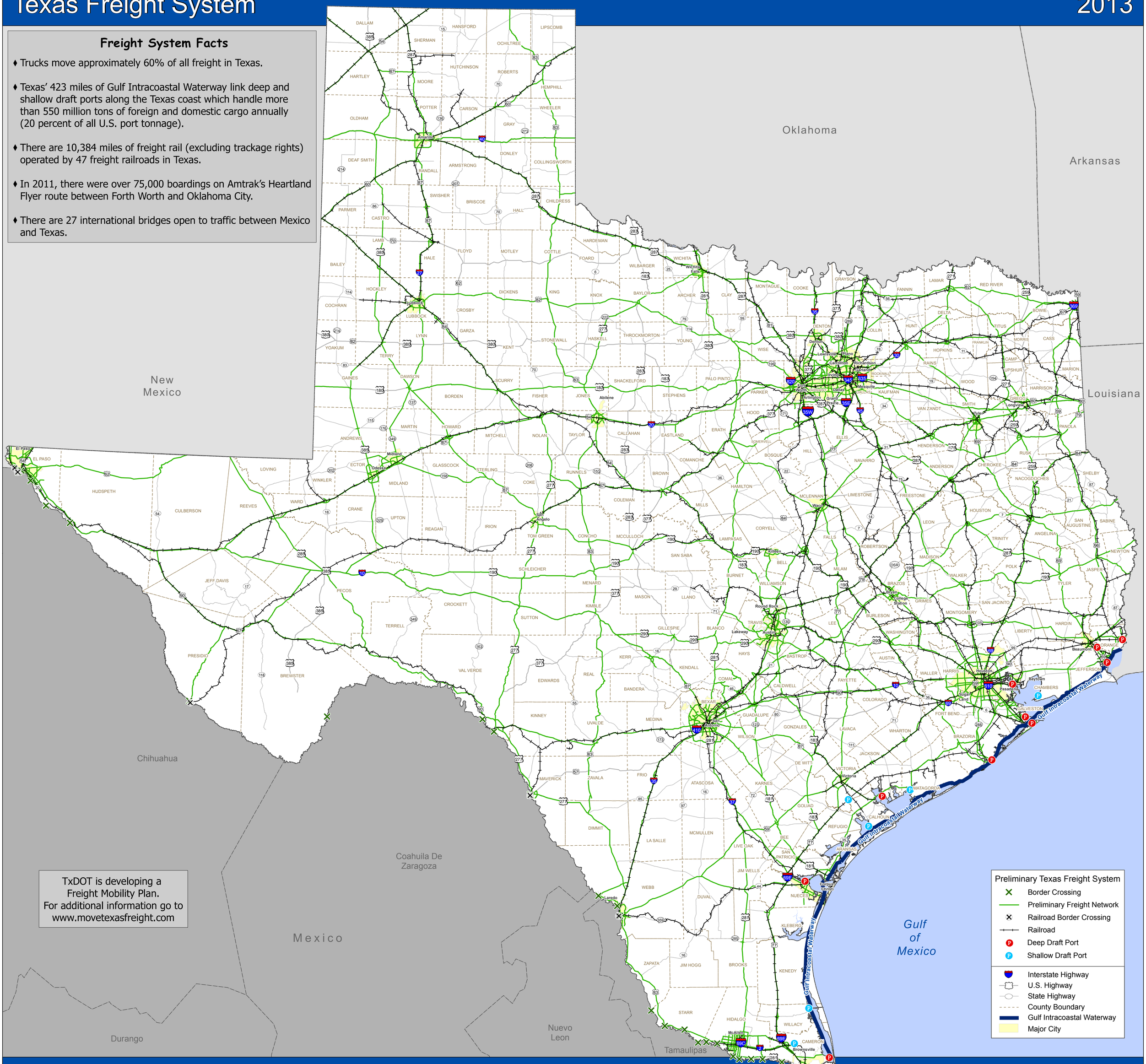
Texas Freight System

2013

Freight System Facts

- Trucks move approximately 60% of all freight in Texas.
- Texas' 423 miles of Gulf Intracoastal Waterway link deep and shallow draft ports along the Texas coast which handle more than 550 million tons of foreign and domestic cargo annually (20 percent of all U.S. port tonnage).
- There are 10,384 miles of freight rail (excluding trackage rights) operated by 47 freight railroads in Texas.
- In 2011, there were over 75,000 boardings on Amtrak's Heartland Flyer route between Forth Worth and Oklahoma City.
- There are 27 international bridges open to traffic between Mexico and Texas.



TxDOT is developing a Freight Mobility Plan. For additional information go to www.movetexasfreight.com

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