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Ports & Harbors Failing Infrastructure: Freshwater Accelerated Corrosion

- 1. Problem Observed in 1990's in Port of Duluth/Superior
- 2. Full Extent & Cause/s Unknown
- 3. Assembled Team of Experts
- 4. Guided and Supported Research into Causes and Repair Methods
- 5. Now Observed in Other Lake Superior Harbors!









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- Beginning to Understand MIC as One Mechanism
- Supporting Research for Repair & Rehabilitation Methods
- 3. Coatings and Encapsulation Methods Promising
- 4. Providing Study Results via Papers, Web & Application Extension







