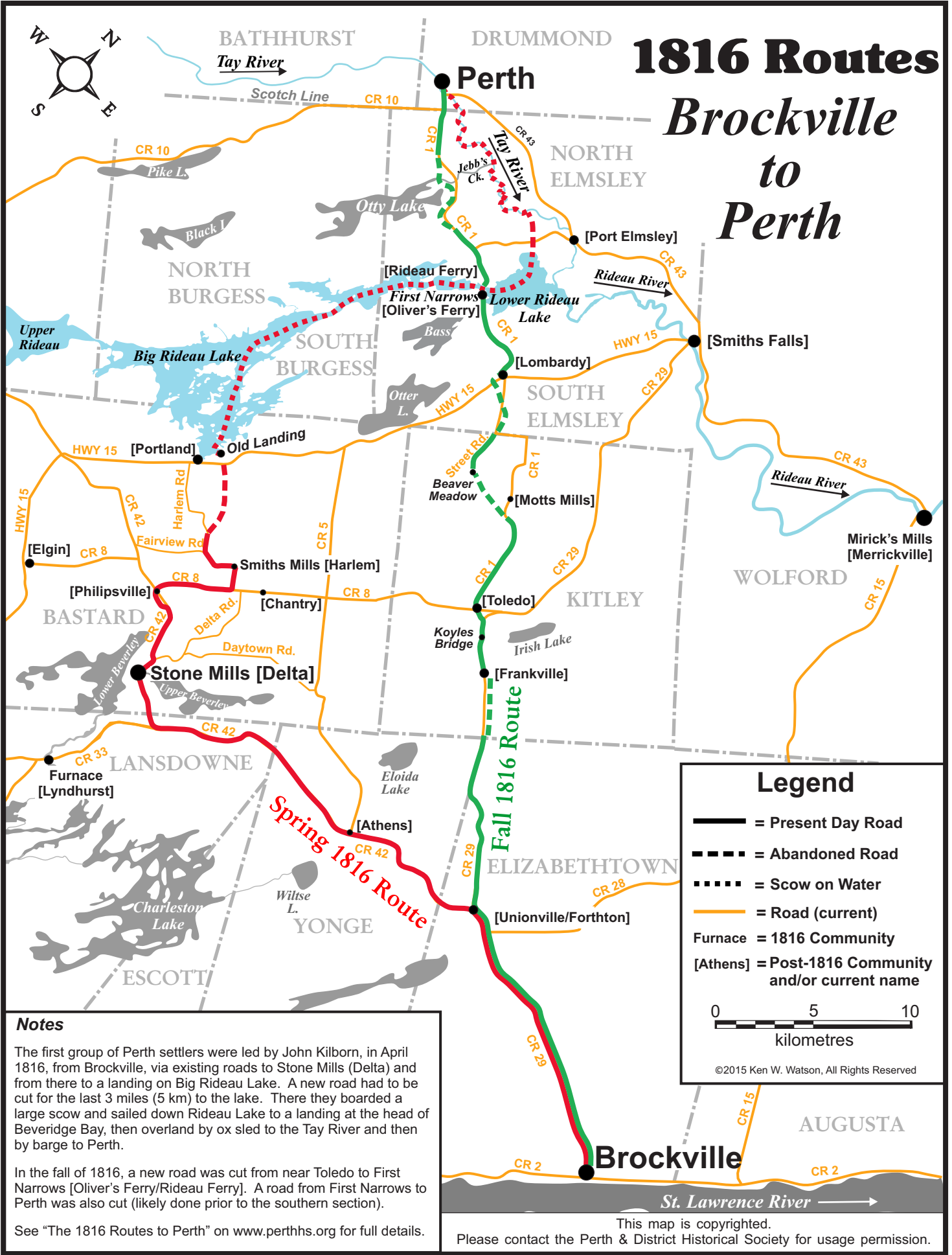


1816 Routes Brockville to Perth



Legend

- = Present Day Road
- = Abandoned Road
- = Scow on Water
- = Road (current)
- Furnace = 1816 Community
- [Athens] = Post-1816 Community and/or current name

0 5 10
kilometres

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Notes

The first group of Perth settlers were led by John Kilborn, in April 1816, from Brockville, via existing roads to Stone Mills (Delta) and from there to a landing on Big Rideau Lake. A new road had to be cut for the last 3 miles (5 km) to the lake. There they boarded a large scow and sailed down Rideau Lake to a landing at the head of Beveridge Bay, then overland by ox sled to the Tay River and then by barge to Perth.

In the fall of 1816, a new road was cut from near Toledo to First Narrows [Oliver's Ferry/Rideau Ferry]. A road from First Narrows to Perth was also cut (likely done prior to the southern section).

See "The 1816 Routes to Perth" on www.perthhs.org for full details.

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