

Project Information

Milwaukee Street (WIS 59) Construction

Walworth County

I.D. 3110-02-71/3110-06-70/3110-06-71

Project Description

The WIS 59 project is located in Walworth County within the City of Whitewater. The project has limits on Milwaukee Street (WIS 59) at US 12 on the eastern end and at S. Easterly Street on the west end. Additionally, construction on Newcomb Street has limits at Milwaukee Street on the southern end and at E. Main Street on the northern end. The total length of the WIS 59 project is about 1.3 miles. See map handouts for additional information.

Construction Schedule

2019												
	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov			
Stage 1												
Stage 2												
2020												
Stage 3												

* Liquidated Damages applicable to the completion of each Stage

Stage 1: Newcomb and Milwaukee Street Intersection Reconstruction

Stage 2: Milwaukee Street Reconstruction from Newcomb Street to Bluff Road Roundabout

Stage 3: WIS 59 Reconstruction from Bluff Road Roundabout to US 12

Planned Improvements

- Newcomb Street to Clay Street – Concrete Reconstruction with parking
 - New concrete pavement, 5' sidewalks, on-road bike acc. (combined with parking)
 - Replace storm sewer, sanitary and water
 - Upgrade railroad crossing
- Clay Street to Sunrise Lane – Concrete Reconstruction , NO Parking
 - New concrete pavement, 5' sidewalks, on-road bike acc. (5' lane)
 - Remove parking
- Sunrise Lane to Old County P – Concrete Reconstruction, NO Parking
 - Convert rural x-sect to Urban with curb and gutter and sidewalk
 - New concrete pavement, 5' sidewalk, on-road bike acc. (8' lane)
 - Storm water quality improvements – catch basins and grassed swale with rock ditch check
- Old County P to US 12 – Resurface
 - Mill 1", pave 5" new asphalt
 - On-road bike acc. – widen paved shoulder to 6'

Access during Construction

Businesses along the project can coordinate with the contractor and WisDOT for placement of direction signing when access is limited during construction. To minimize traffic impacts, we will construction the project in stages. Short detours will be posted for non-local traffic. Access for local traffic to and from residences and businesses within the construction zone will remain open at all times.

The project team, in coordination with the prime contractor will conduct project update meetings with businesses and residences.

Tools available to assist businesses during construction include:

- Webpage projects.511wi.gov/
- Business signage along project limits
- Weekly updates of construction progress and upcoming closures via email distribution
- Face to face business coordination

Contact Information

If at any time during the construction project you have any questions or would like more information about this project please contact:

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