

US 51 and WIS 64 Improvements

Wisconsin Department of Transportation
North Central Region

Public Involvement Meeting
Tuesday, October 27, 2015

Lincoln County Service Center, Room 255
801 North Sales Street
Merrill



Overview

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- ▶ Project location
- ▶ Purpose and need for the project
- ▶ Proposed improvements
- ▶ Intersection alternatives
- ▶ Schedule
- ▶ Thank you and questions



Introductions

WisDOT Project Manager

- ▶ Jed Peters

WisDOT Project Development Supervisor

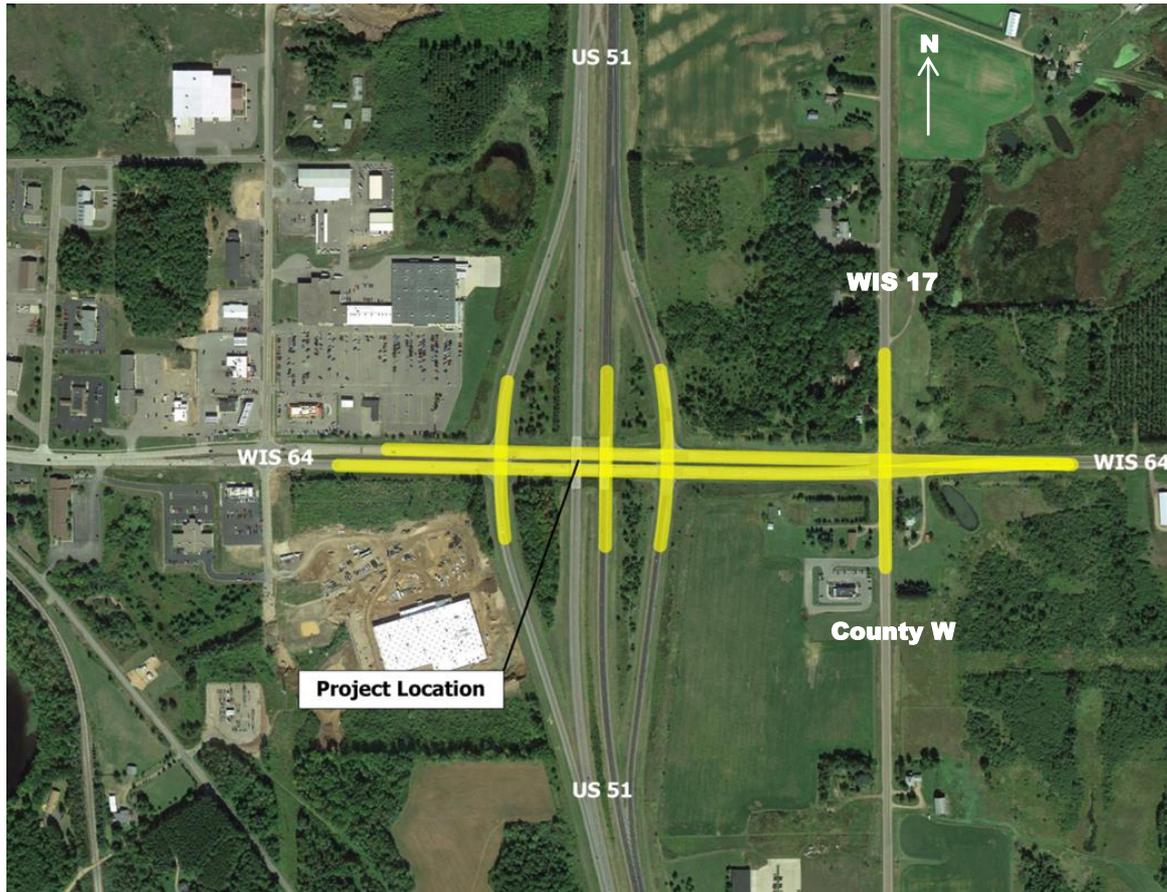
- ▶ Robin Stafford

WisDOT Project Leaders

- ▶ Rielly O'Donnell – GHD



Project Location



Purpose and Need for the Project

- ▶ Pavement
- ▶ Structure Abutment
- ▶ Intersection Operations



Proposed Improvements

- ▶ Replace pavement
- ▶ Repair the US 51 northbound bridge abutment
- ▶ Analyze and reconfigure intersections for improved operations
 - Multiple alternatives/configurations



Intersection Alternatives

US 51 Southbound Ramp Terminal

- ▶ Off-ramp Stop (Current condition)
- ▶ Traffic Signals
- ▶ Roundabout



Intersection Alternatives

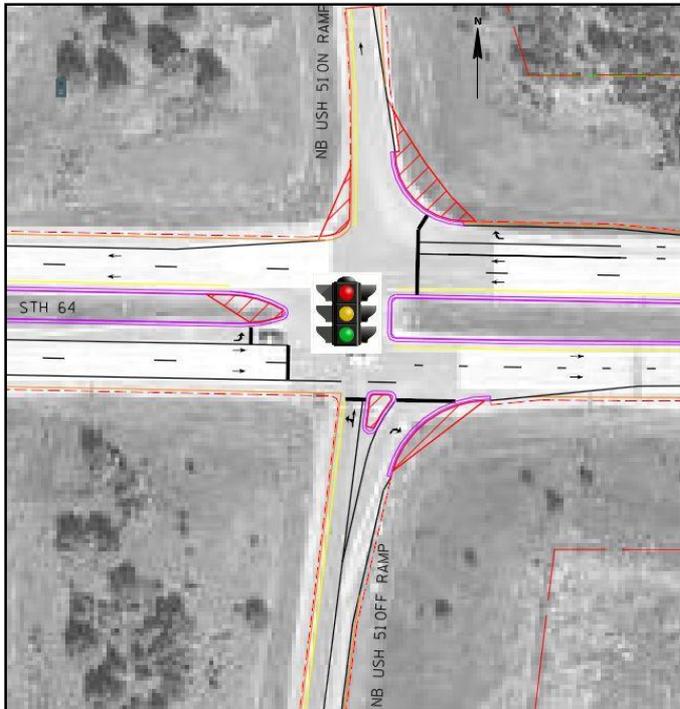
US 51 Northbound Ramp Terminal

- ▶ Traffic Signal
- ▶ Roundabout

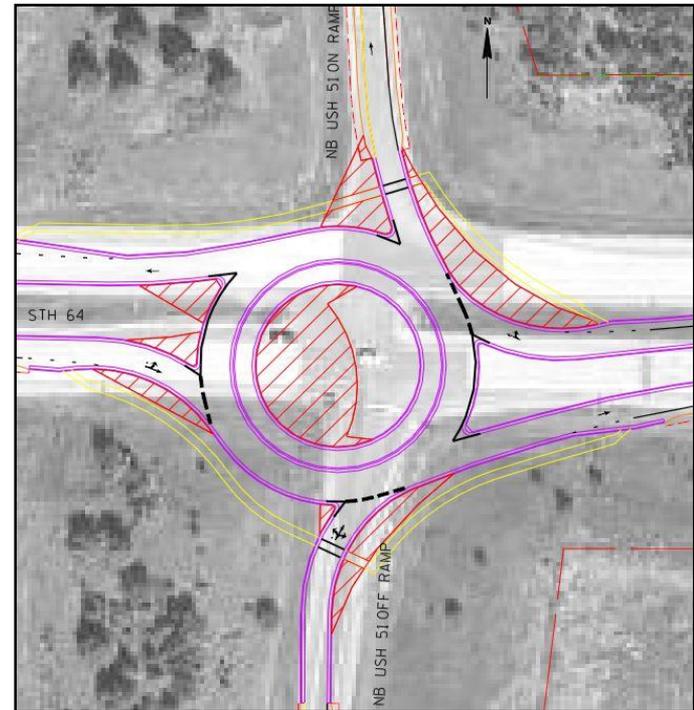


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Traffic Signal



Roundabout

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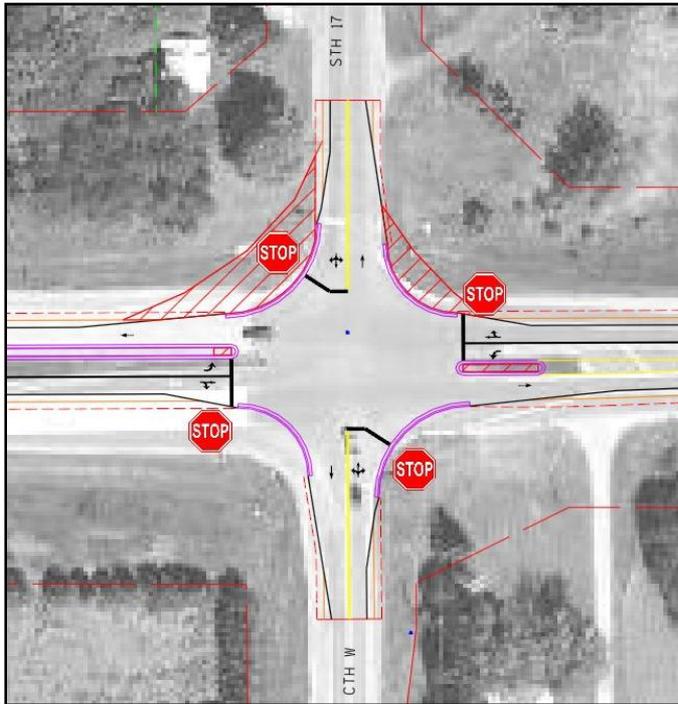
WIS 64/WIS 17/County W

- ▶ Two-Way Stop (Current condition)
- ▶ Four-Way Stop
- ▶ Roundabout

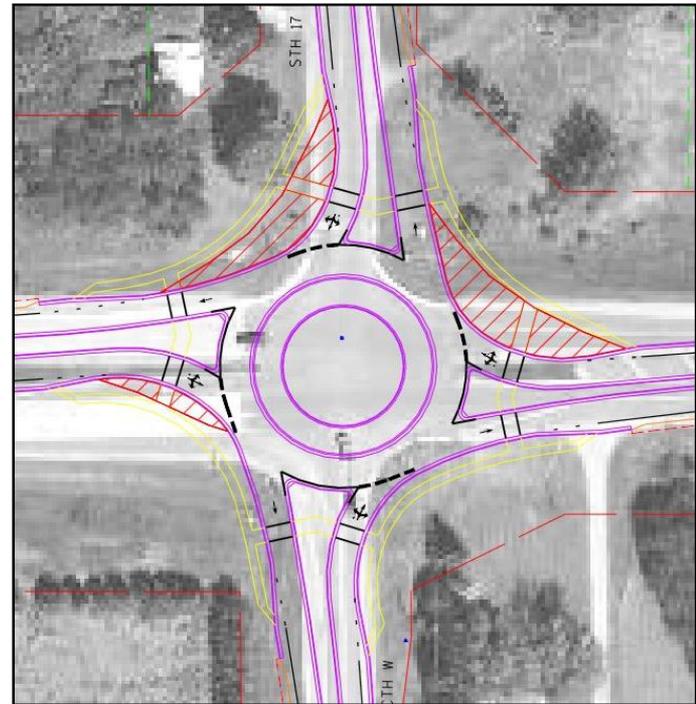


Intersection Alternatives

WIS 64 / WIS 17 / County Road W



All-Way Stop



Roundabout

Project Schedule

- ▶ Local Officials Meeting #1 May 20, 2014
- ▶ Local Officials Meeting #2 October 14, 2015
- ▶ Public Informational Meeting #1 October 27, 2015
- ▶ Preliminary Plans Complete April 2016
- ▶ Environmental Documentation April 2016
- ▶ Local Officials Meeting #3 and Late 2016 or Early 2017
- ▶ Public Involvement Meeting #2 Late 2016 or Early 2017
- ▶ Real Estate Acquisition (if required) 2017-2018
- ▶ Construction Currently scheduled in 2020**

** Construction could occur as early as 2019



Thank You

Questions and Comments

