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The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is currently developing plans to improve US 45, Church Road to Reinke Road, New London – Clintonville, in Waupaca County. Construction is currently scheduled for 2026, but could occur as early as 2025.

The purpose of the project is to:

- Improve the asphalt pavement
- Replace 12 culvert pipes

Proposed improvements include:

- Remove 3.5-inches of the existing asphalt pavement
- Place 3.5-inches of new asphalt pavement
- Replace 12 deteriorated culvert pipes
- Widen asphalt shoulders from 3-feet to 5-feet
- Install centerline and shoulder rumble strips
- Install new pavement markings

### Traffic impacts

During construction, US 45 will remain open to traffic. Motorists can expect single lane closures and flagging operations.

### Real Estate

No real estate is required for this project.

In addition, a project website has been created and will be kept up to date with regards to the project scope and schedule. The website can be found at the following address:

<https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/nc/us45waupaca/default.aspx>

Your input on the proposed improvements and public impact is requested. To ensure the project stays on schedule, please forward any comments or questions to me at (715) 459-2943 or [korey.boehm@dot.wi.gov](mailto:korey.boehm@dot.wi.gov) by **July 12, 2023**.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Project Map

Project ID: 1140-00-08/78  
Highway: US 45, Church Road to Reinke Road  
County: Waupaca County