



US 2 Belknap Street Project

November 2016

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is preparing to reconstruct US 2, Belknap Street, in the City of Superior. The 1.4 mile project would begin just west of the Banks Avenue and Belknap Street intersection, continue east on Belknap Street, and end just past the intersection of Hill Avenue.









Project Background

The project would replace deteriorated pavement and install a new storm sewer system including underground roadway drainage. Reconstruction of the roadway includes improved roadway safety and access, improvements to utilities, parking, sidewalk, street lighting and partial bike accommodations. This project also includes improvements on most of the connecting side streets, back to the respective alleys north and south of US 2, Belknap Street.

WisDOT, in coordination with City of Superior and the Business Improvement District, has planned community aesthetic features on US 2, Belknap Street to fit within state and federal roadway standards.

Traffic Impact

US 2, Belknap Street is both a principal arterial and an over-size/overweight truck route.

-  Roadway constructed over a two year period.
-  Roadway is planned to be constructed “half-at-a-time” with additional short duration, intermittent, roadway closures.
-  A detour route for truck and through traffic will be utilized to reduce congestion and increase work zone safety during construction.
-  US 2, Belknap Street would be open to local traffic with one lane in each direction. Alternating cross streets would be open when feasible.
-  Short duration, intermittent intersection closures may be needed due to installations of new utilities crossing US 2, Belknap Street
-  US 2, Belknap Street will have no on-street parking during construction.
-  The work zone could extend essentially from building front to building front.
-  Bus routes to be temporarily detoured to 16th Street in 2018.



Current Construction Project schedule:

April 2017 & 2018 Construction Begins

Late Fall 2017 and Late Fall 2018:

Tentative Completion date and Roadway Open to Traffic

Spring 2019: Full Project Completion

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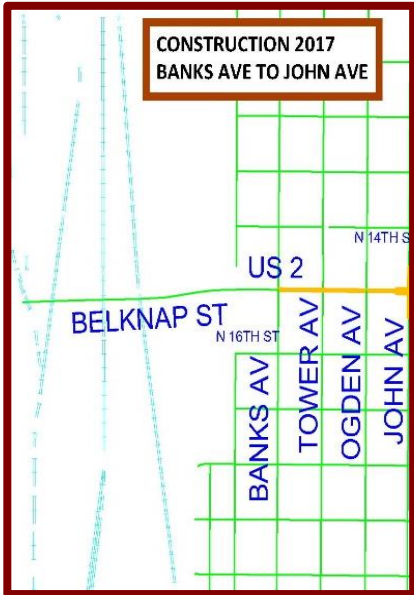
Construction expected to start April 2017 and 2018

Each Fall roadway re-opens

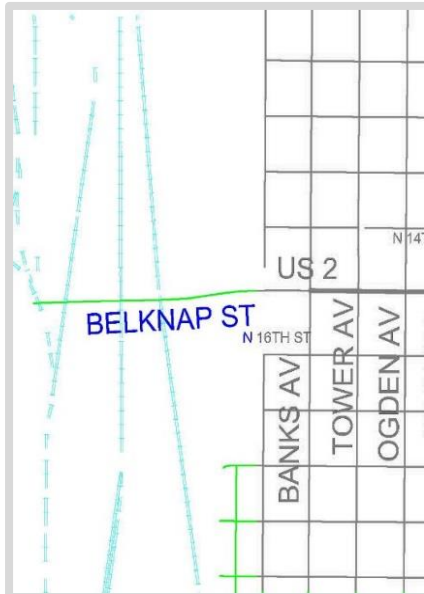


Tentative Completion date for construction late Fall 2017 & 2018

2017



2018



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<http://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/nw/us2belknap/default.aspx>

