

Project: 1050-00-30/60 (WIS 29) Chippewa Falls - Abbotsford Nick Pitsch WisDOT- Project Manager

Updated Project Presentation

Winter 2023-24

Agenda

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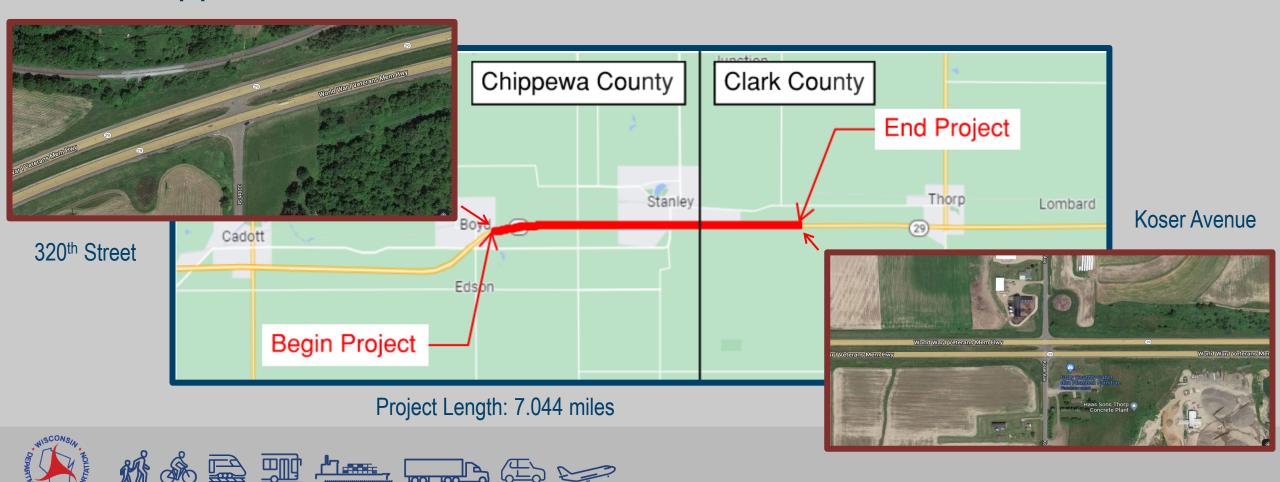






Project Location

Chippewa and Clark counties: 320th Street to Koser Avenue



Purpose and Need

- Purpose of the project
 - Maintain a safe highway system for the traveling public
- Need for the project
 - Deteriorated pavement
 - Substandard guardrail
 - Deteriorated structures

















Purpose and Need

- Deteriorated pavement
- Guardrail that doesn't meet current standards

















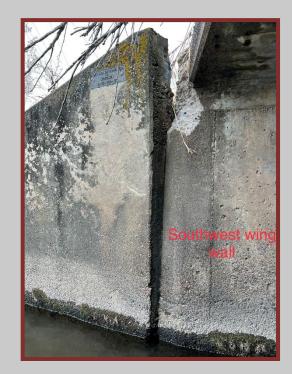






Purpose and Need

 Deteriorating features on structure B-06-0029























Proposed Improvements

• On WIS 29:

- Repairing deteriorated sections of concrete pavement
- Placing a 3.75-inch asphaltic pavement overlay on the highway
- Replacing guardrail, curb and gutter
- Repairing structure B-06-0029
- Cleaning ditches and culverts





















Proposed Improvements

- At the WIS 29/County H interchange in Stanley:
 - Removing 1.25 inches of pavement and placing 2.25 inches of asphaltic pavement on the interchange on-/off-ramps
 - Removing 2.25 inches of pavement and placing 2.25 inches of asphaltic pavement on County H between the west- and eastbound WIS 29 ramps



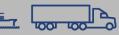










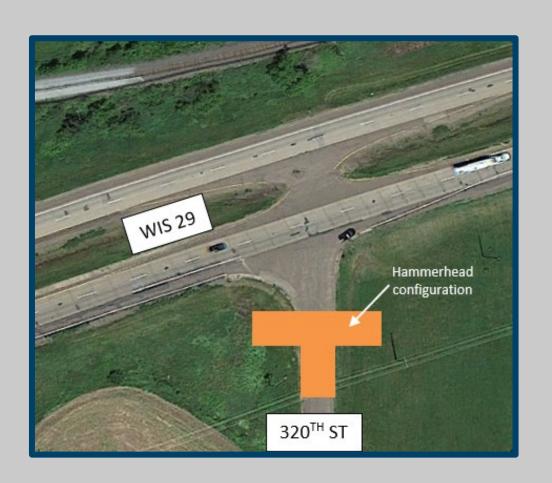






Proposed Improvements – Updated

- Closing and removing access at the 320th Street/WIS 29 intersection per town of Delmar's request:
 - Remove asphalt
 - Construct turnaround for emergency vehicles
 - Modify ditching
 - Place signage
 - Adjust pavement markings















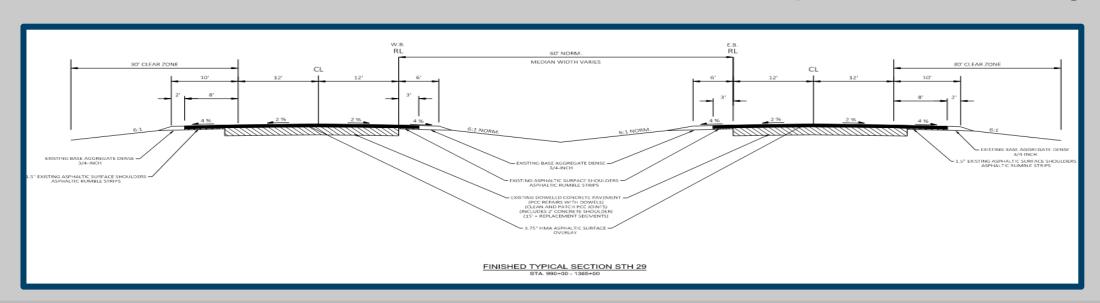




Proposed Design Overview

Typical Proposed Section – WIS 29

- Pavement
 - 3.75-inch asphalt overlay
- Shoulders
 - Inside: 3 feet paved, 3 feet gravel
 - Outside: 8 feet paved and 2 feet gravel

















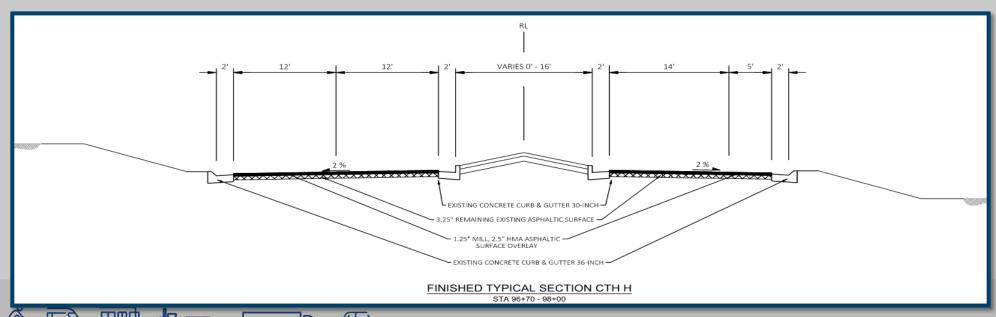




Proposed Design Overview Typical Proposed Section – County H

- Pavement
 - Remove 2.25 inches
 - Place 2.25 inches

- Shoulders
 - Match existing
 - 0 to 5 feet paved













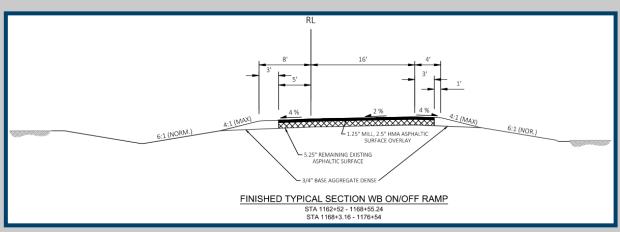


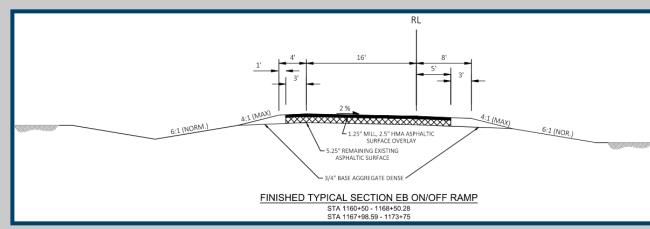


Proposed Design Overview Typical Proposed Section – County H Ramps

- Pavement
 - Remove 1.25 inches
 - Place 2.25 inches

- Shoulders
 - Match existing
 - Paved: 3 to 5 feet
 - Unpaved: 1 to 3 feet

















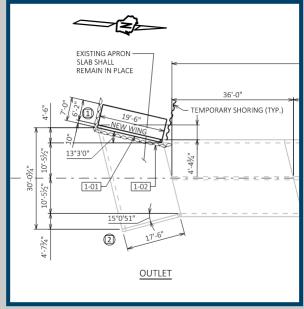


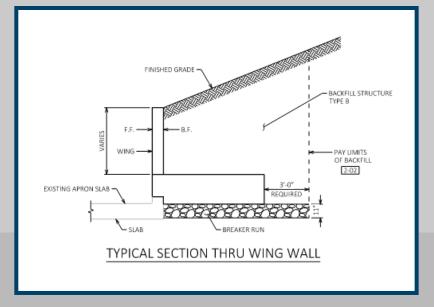


Proposed Design Overview

Structure B-06-0029

- Location
 - 0.2 mile east of 320th Street
- Proposed work:
 - Make concrete surface repairs
 - Replace the southwest wing wall





















Traffic Control

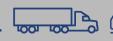
- WIS 29 will remain open to traffic, but motorists will encounter:
 - Single-lane closures
 - Speed limit reduction during roadway improvements
- County H ramps will be closed half at a time.
- County H will remain open, but motorists will encounter lane closures controlled by flagging while work is done.















Schedule

Final plan submittal:

Construction: Currently scheduled

for Summer 2026

August 2025

Preliminary design and environmental process complete:

Preliminary design began:

February 2024

Winter 2022



















Project Contacts - Updated

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Public Comment

- WisDOT is accepting public comments on the proposed project through Jan. 15, 2024, by:
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