Project 5145-00-01/71 WIS 78 to US 12 WIS 19 Dane County

Public Hearing

December 10th, 2019



Welcome and Opening Remarks

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Welcome and Opening Remarks

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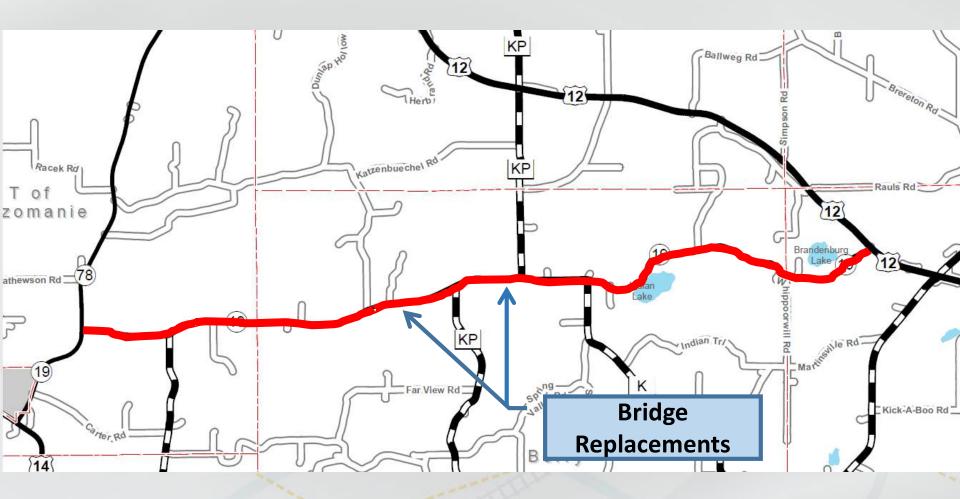
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Agenda

- Project Location
- Purpose, Project Statement, and Needs
- Recent Activities
- Design Overview
- Upcoming Schedule
- Questions

Project Location



Purpose & Project Statement

Address the existing roadway deficiencies and safety issues as well as address bridge structures that have exceeded their service life

- Safety Concerns
 - Blind curves
 - Narrow shoulder width
 - Ditches are too steep
- Drainage Concerns
 - Several locations where the roadway overtops
 - Ditches that are not sized appropriately
- Deteriorating Pavement
- Bridges in need of replacement

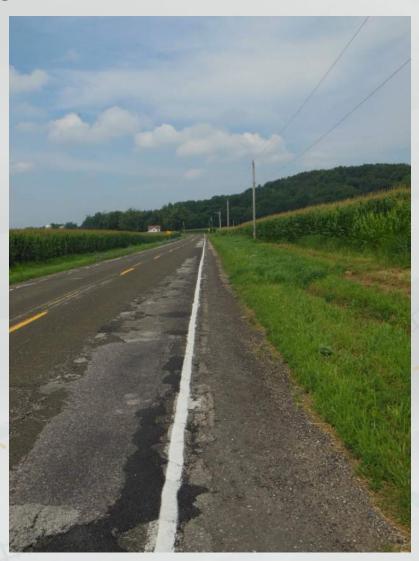
Safety Concerns



Drainage Concerns



Deteriorating Pavement



Recent Activity

- Archaeology investigation completed
- Several different surveys completed such as drainage, soil, and utilities
- Held a public involvement meeting
- Based on surveys and public comments we made design refinements
- 2019
 - With the design refinements we shared this information with:
 - Department of Agriculture Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP)
 - Agricultural Impact Statement (AIS)
 - Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)

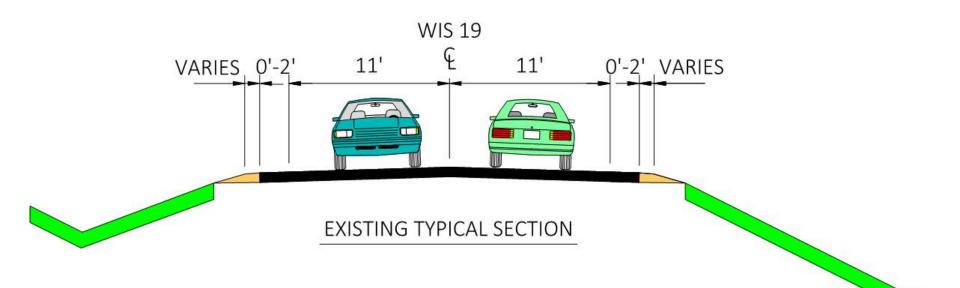
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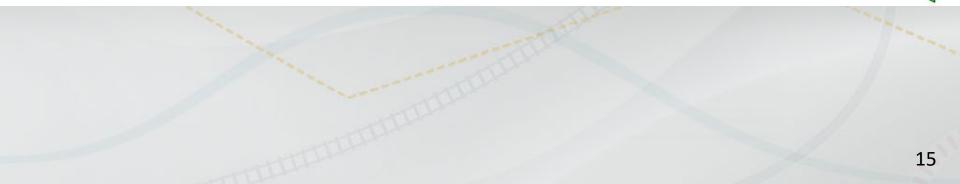
- 2019 (continued)
 - Section 106 review of Archeological/Historical information was approved by State Historical Preservation Officer
 - 25 archaeology sites
 - 6 properties eligible or registered on the national register of historic places
 - Signed Draft Environmental Report
 - Preliminary drainage analysis completed
 - Preliminary bridge design completed
 - Ongoing coordination with property owners who have reached out with questions or concerns design
 - Ongoing plan development

- Rehabilitation Project
 - 40% Reconstruction
 - Targeted most deficient locations
 - Safety
 - Drainage
 - 60% Resurfacing
 - These segments still include widened shoulders and improved side slopes

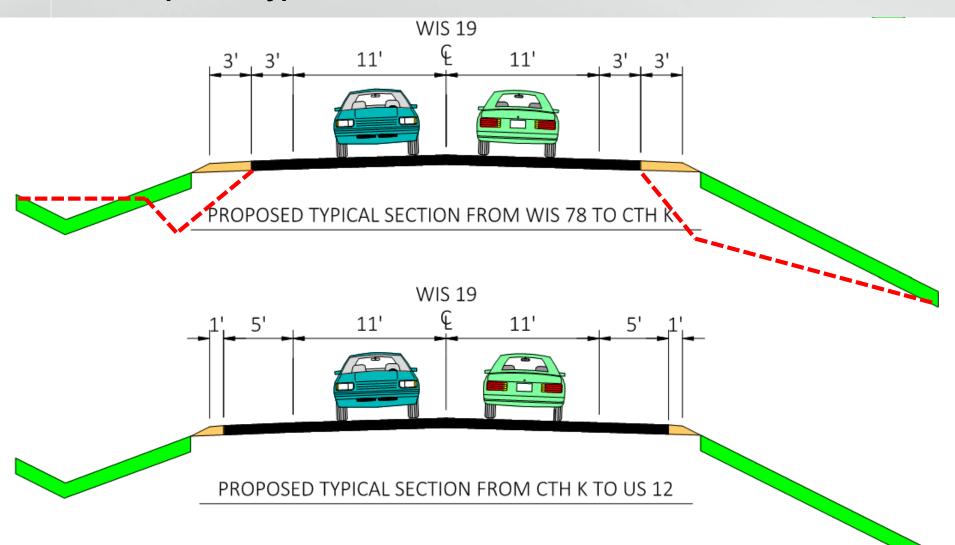
- Benefits of Wider Shoulders
 - Provides more space for farm equipment and other oversized loads
 - Increased safety for those deciding to pass these vehicles
 - Increased safety for cars turning left or right
 - Increased safety for bicyclists, and motorists
 - Provides a safe area for broken down cars to pull over
 - Provides a safe area for police to pull over speeding motorists

Existing Typical Section





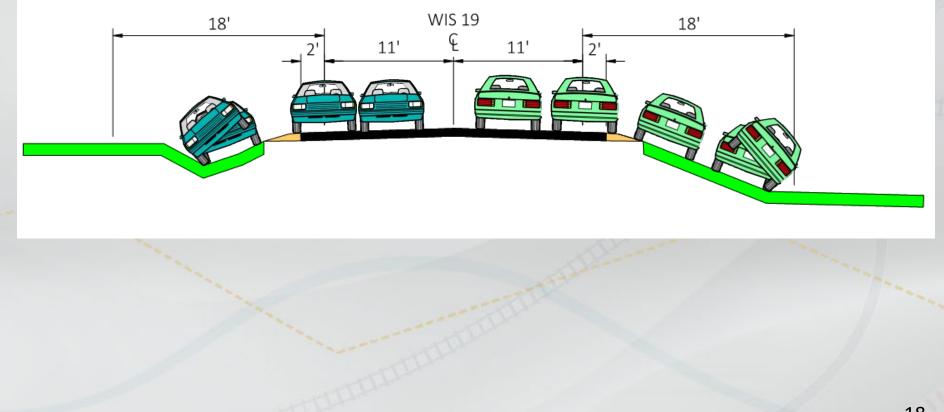
Proposed Typical Section



- Side Slope Safety
 - Definition of Clear Zone:
 - Area where a vehicle leaving the road can travel without conflict
 - Examples of conflicts include steep slopes or objects such as trees
 - Relocate objects, make them breakaway, or shield them with guardrail or barrier wall
 - Proposed Clear Zone of 18-feet

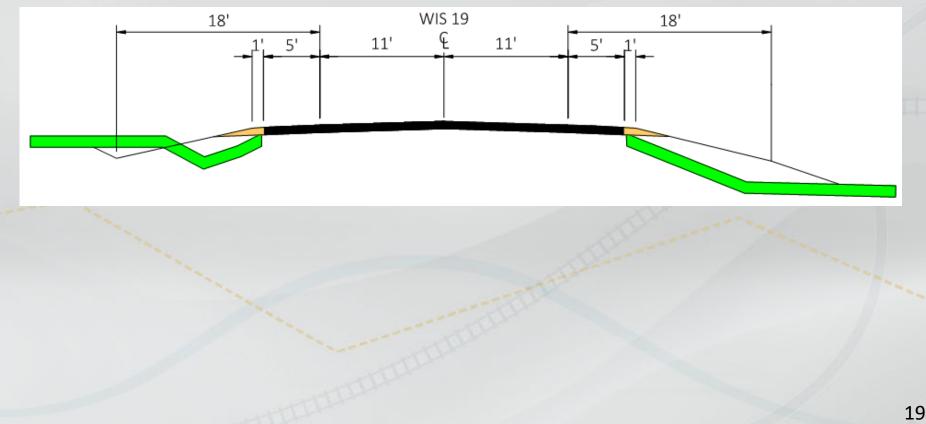
Side Slope Safety

Existing Roadway Example



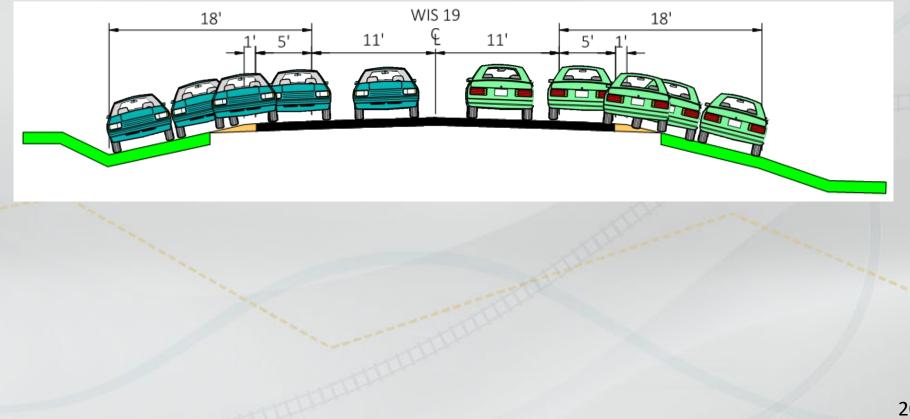
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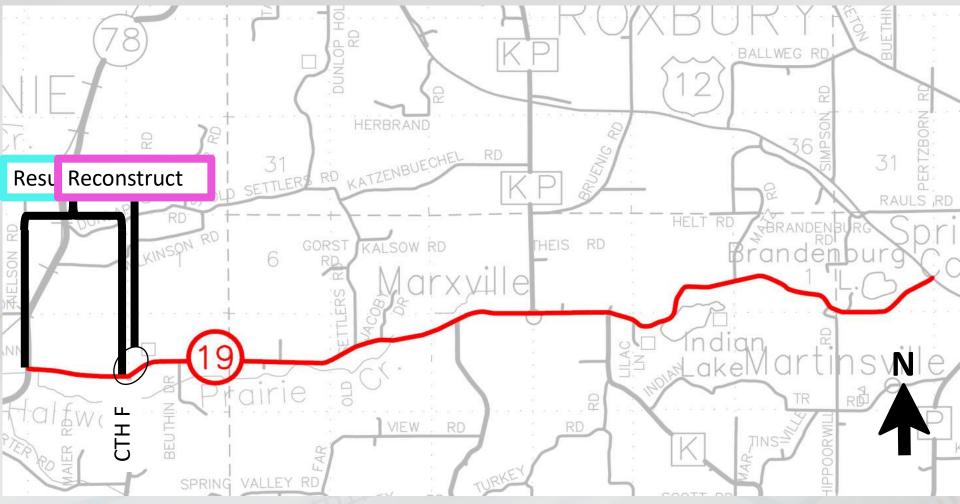


Side Slope Safety

Proposed Roadway Example



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(C) Possible

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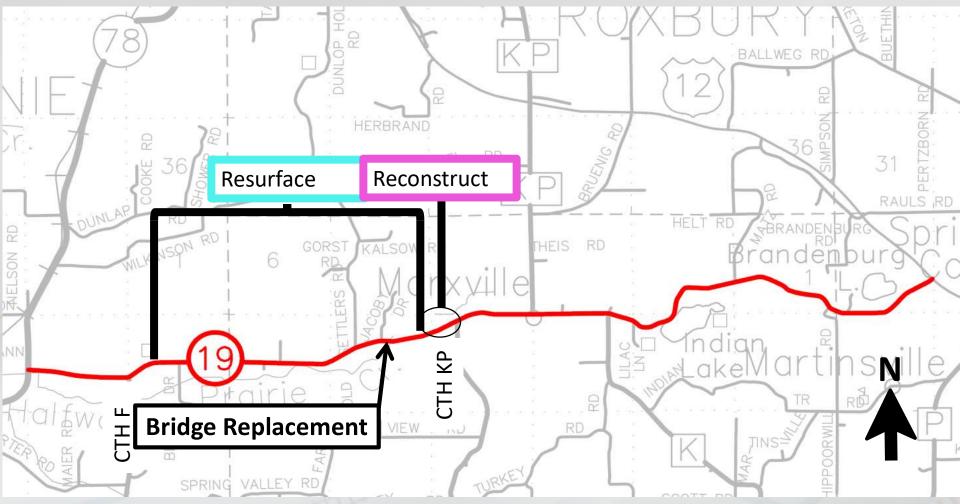
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36-Inch Barrier Wall (250-Feet Long)



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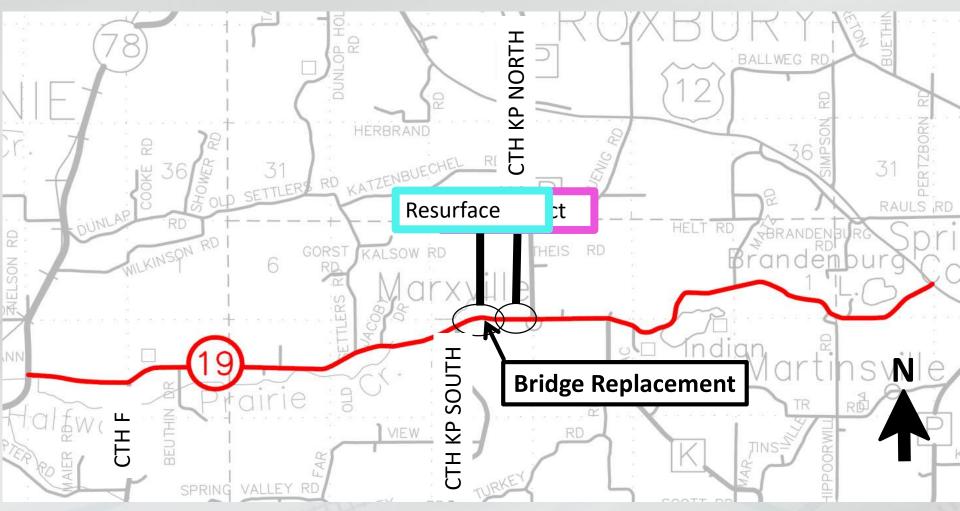
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- Drainage
 - Improve existing drainage with storm sewer system that will collect water from WIS 19 and discharge west of Marxville into Halfway Prairie Creek





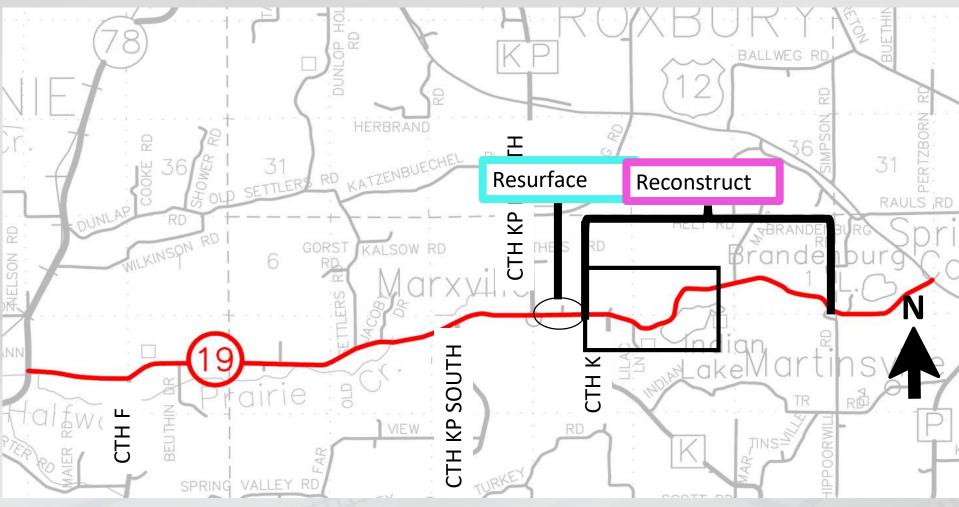








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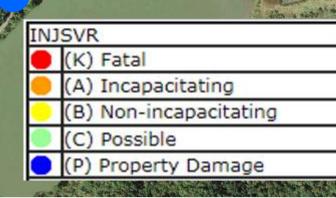
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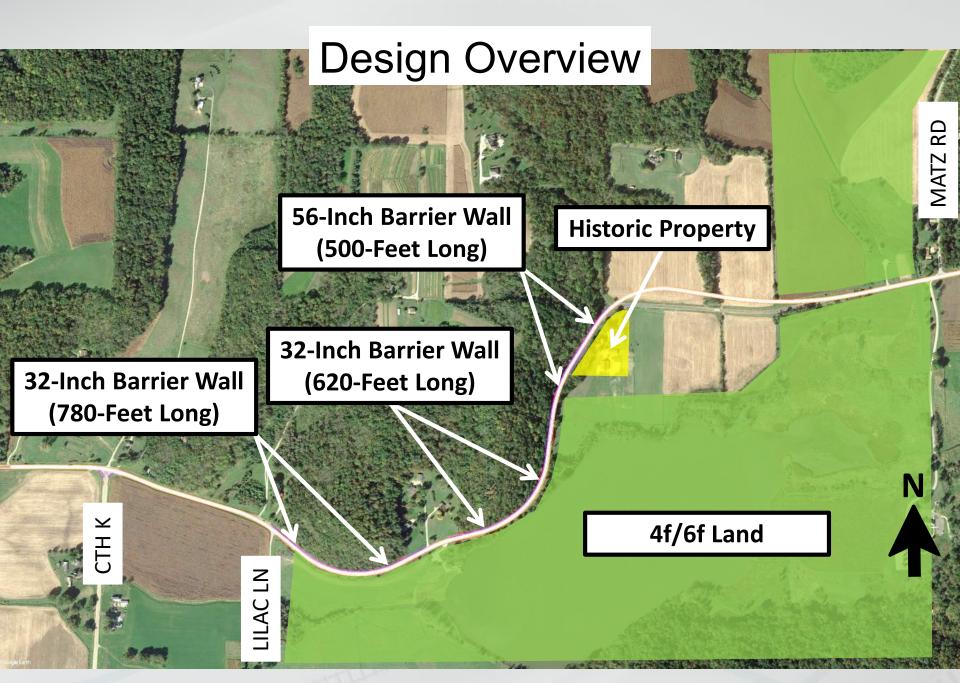
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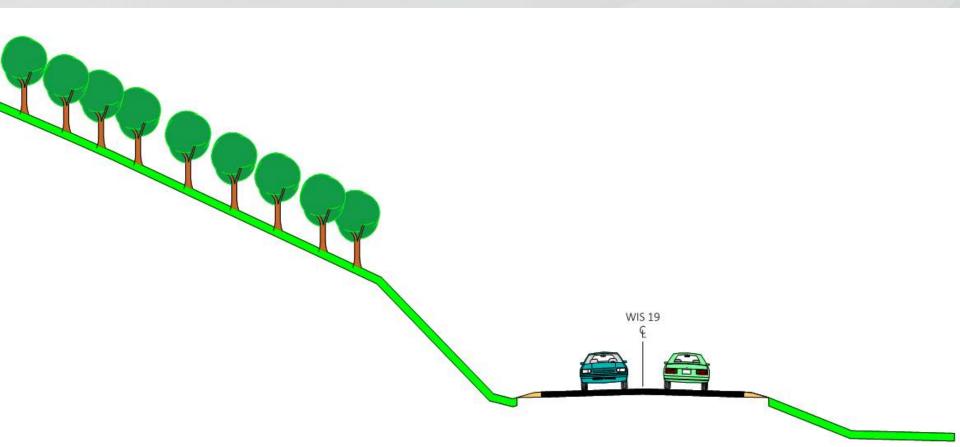
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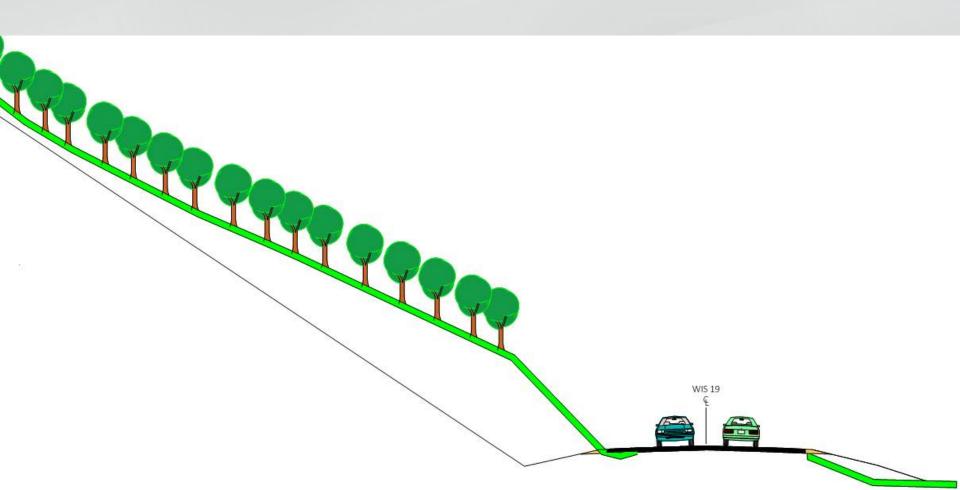
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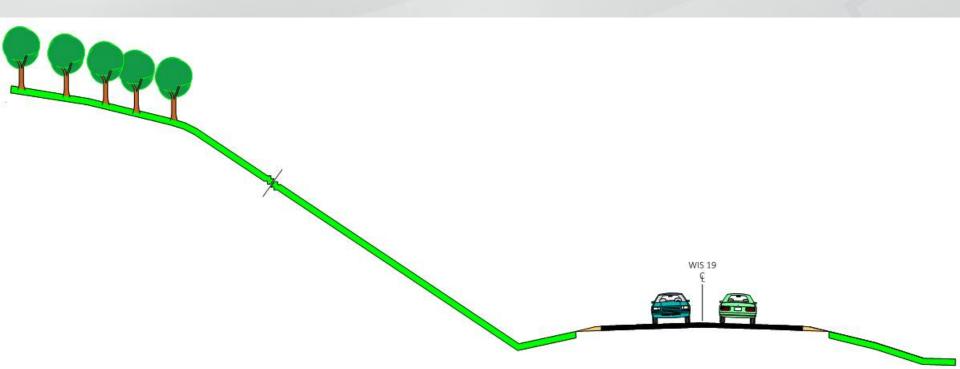
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 - Existing



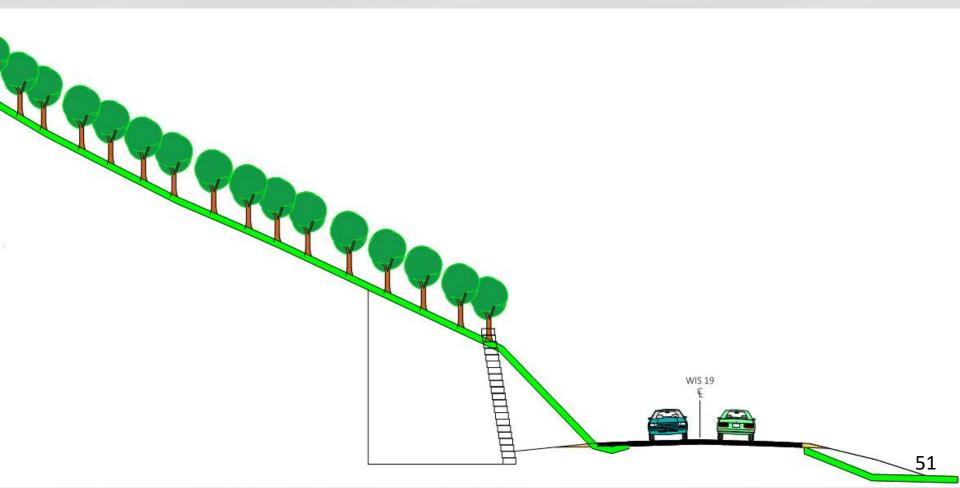
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 - Retaining Wall

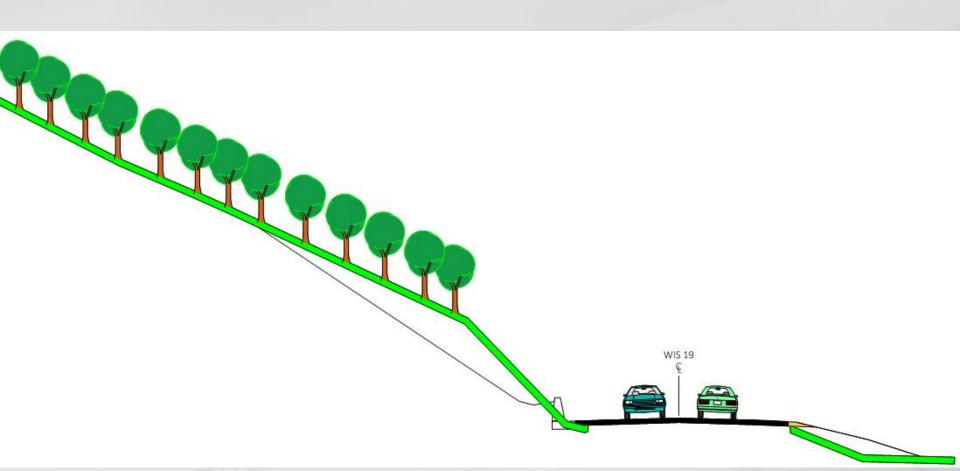


- Alternatives Considered Along Bluffs
 - Retaining wall
 - Similar amount of real estate required compared to barrier wall
 - Estimated 3-5X the cost of barrier wall

Soil Reinforcement

WIS 19

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 - Barrier Wall



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 - Barrier Wall
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Historic Property





WisDOT's Preferred Alternative:

- Improves the design speed of the curve
- No Impacts to the Historic Property
- Minimizes impacts along the bluffs

Historic Property

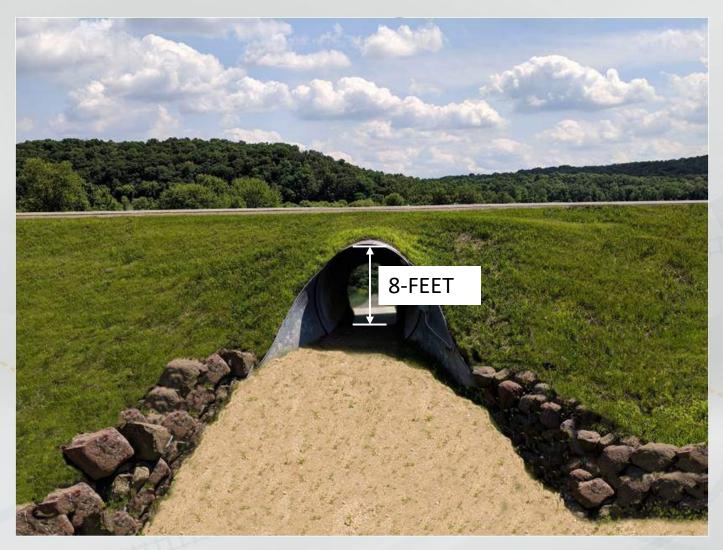
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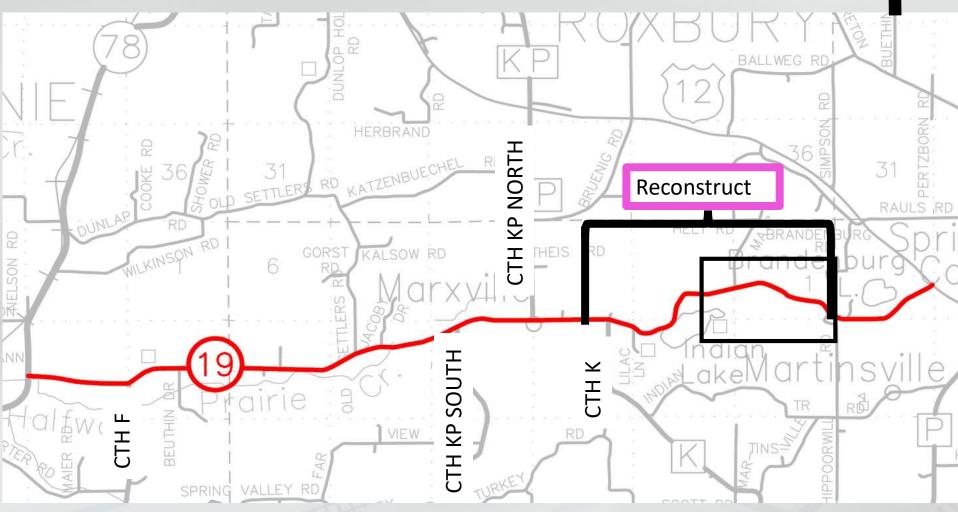
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Pedestrian Underpass



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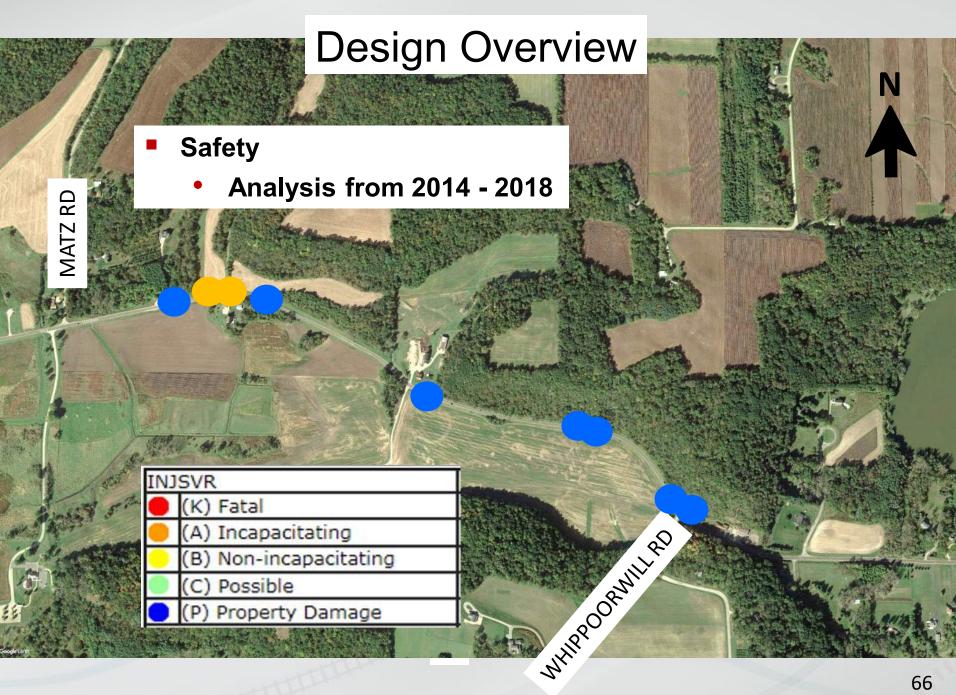
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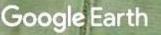
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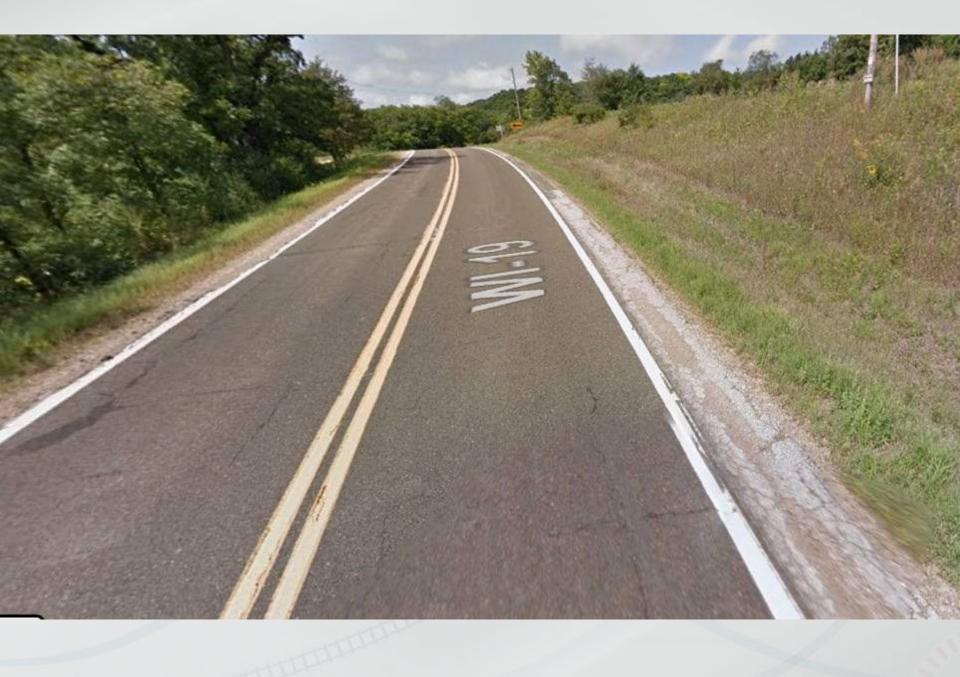
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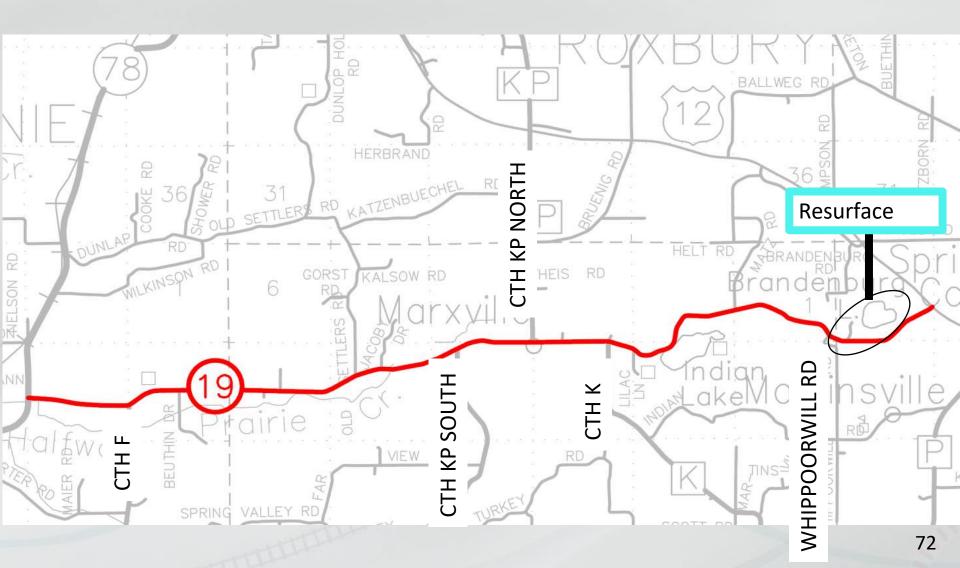
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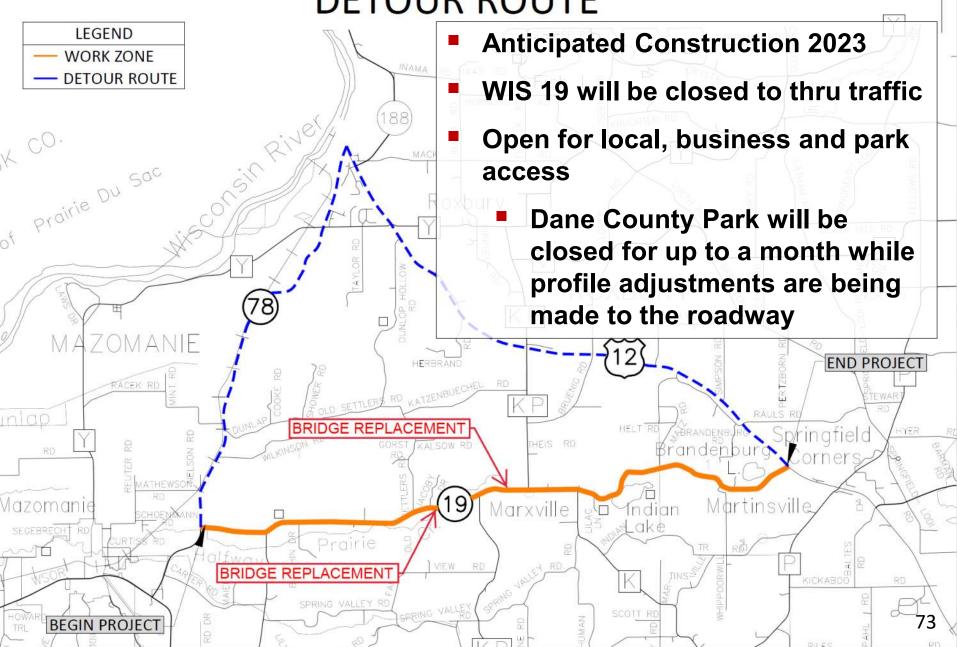
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WHIPPOOR WILL RD

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5145-00-01/71 WIS 19 (WIS 78 TO US 12) DETOUR ROUTE



Upcoming Schedule

- Signed Final Environmental Report **March 2020** Signed Final Plat May 2020 Real Estate Acquisition
- Final Plans
- Construction

Summer 2020

May 2022

Spring 2023

Input Requested

- Drain Tile Locations
- Septic Tank Locations
- Drainage Issues
- Sensitive Installations, Trees, or Heirlooms

Thank you for your time

This Question/Answer portion is for the purpose of assisting those who chose to prepare formal testimony. This portion will not be part of the official public hearing record.

Remaining Schedule

- Public Verbal Testimony
- Private Verbal Testimony
 - Review Exhibits and visit with project staff
- 8:30 PM Public Hearing Ends
- Written (email or mail) testimony must be sent by December 15, 2019