

USH 151
Beaver Dam – Fond Du Lac
STH 49 Interchange
Dodge & Fond Du Lac County

Project ID: 1112-06-04/74

PROJECT INFORMATION

WisDOT is proposing to improve approximately 3/4 mile of US151, which was last surfaced in 2016 and to improve 1.7 miles of WIS 49 within and East of the interchange. The existing pavement on US 151 is exhibiting signs of transverse and longitudinal cracking due to failing concrete joints beneath the asphalt surface. The existing pavement on WIS 49 is experiencing rutting and cracking of the surface.

Proposed improvements for US 151 include:

- 1) Extending the service life of the asphaltic pavement
 - i) Mill approximately 2" of the existing asphaltic surface,
 - ii) Sawcut and remove asphalt & concrete pavement from failing joints
 - iii) Pour new concrete base pavement
 - iv) Overlay both lanes with 2" of HMA pavement
- 2) Remove and replace concrete approach slabs to bridges over WIS 49
- 3) Upgrade curbs ramps at intersection of Gateway and Shaler to ADA standards

Proposed improvements for WIS 49 include:

- 1) Extend the surface life of the asphaltic pavement with a 2" Mill and Overlay.
- 2) Relay two pipe culverts that are starting to separate at the joints.

Environmental Considerations: *Please see the attached project location map*

- 1) Cross Culvert- 760 Ft. East of interchange (to be re-laid) – the WDNR noted in-water construction restrictions between Mar. 1st and Jun. 15th.

PROPOSED TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Construction is currently scheduled to take place in 2022.

During construction, US 151 will have crossover lanes constructed in the median during the 1st stage of construction. In the 2nd stage, traffic will be reduced to one lane on each side and NB traffic will be switched over to the SB lanes to have one lane of traffic in each direction. The NB traffic lanes will be closed to traffic including the on/off ramps on the East side of the interchange. Once NB work is complete, then the stage 3 traffic pattern will switch traffic to the NB lanes similar to the stage 2 pattern. The SB lanes will be closed to traffic, including the on/off ramps on the West side of the interchange. Stages 2 & 3 are anticipated to take 3 weeks each to complete, for a total of 6 weeks. WIS 49 will be milled and overlaid under flagging operations for stage 4. Temporary driveway closures will be necessary during parts of the construction process. Construction staff will contact homeowners and businesses in advance before closing a driveway.

If you have special access needs during construction please let us know so these can be considered as much as possible, and if needed included in the bidding documents.

REAL ESTATE

No real estate/right of way will be required for this project.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE

Environmental Review Complete:	August 2020
Preliminary Design Complete:	September 2020
Final Design Complete:	May 2021
Bid Date:	August 2021
Construction:	Spring/Summer 2022

PUBLIC INPUT/COMMENTS

We encourage you to fill out the attached comment form to provide your comments. Your comments assist us in developing a project that will serve the needs of the traveling public as well as the needs of the local community. If you have further questions and would like to set up a virtual meeting with the project staff, please contact us by email or phone at contact information below. Your input is welcome and appreciated throughout the design process.

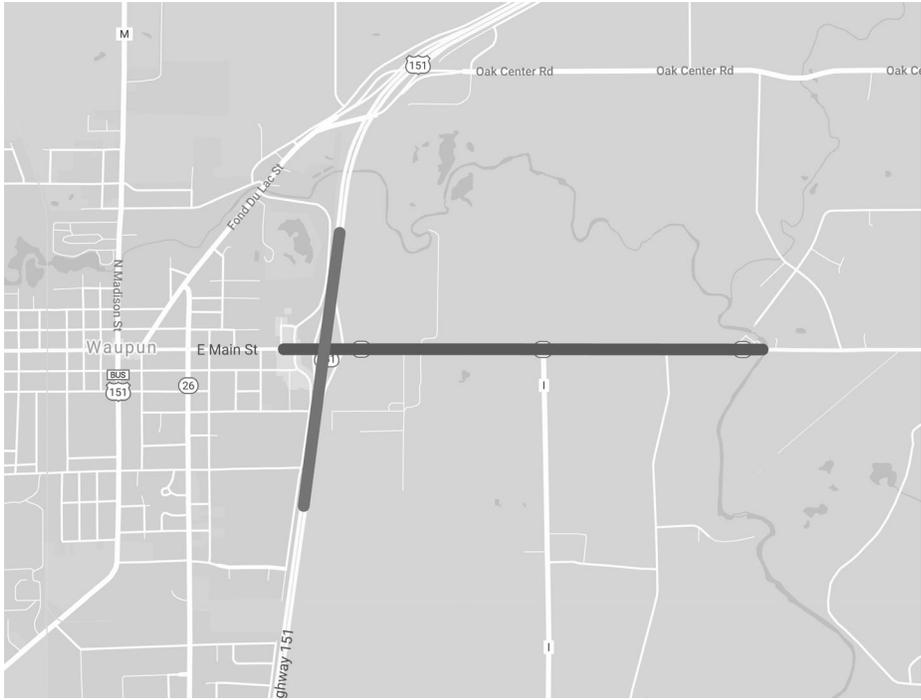
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Construction limits for US 151 and WIS 49