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The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is currently developing plans to improve WIS 23, between County A and the Fond du Lac County line, in the city of Green Lake and town of Brooklyn in Green Lake County. Construction is currently scheduled for 2027 but could occur as early as 2026.

The existing pavement on WIS 23 is exhibiting signs of distress, primarily in the form of low-level longitudinal and transverse cracking. These cracks may deteriorate further and contribute to continued accelerated pavement deterioration by allowing water to seep beneath the roadway surface. The purpose of this project is to address the existing roadway deficiencies, enhance safety and ensure the preservation of the roadway.

Proposed improvements include:

- Resurfacing 4.7 miles of WIS 23 by milling the existing asphalt and overlaying it with a new layer of asphalt to improve road quality.
- Reconstructing pedestrian curb ramps within the project limits that do not meet American Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.
- Replacing the guardrail at the bridge over the Puchyan River.
- Upgrading the traffic signal equipment at the intersection of WIS 23 and WIS 49/County A to include a protected left turn only phase for all directions.

Traffic impacts

WIS 23 will remain open during construction using single lane closures with flagging operations. Temporary pedestrian curb ramps will be installed to maintain pedestrian access to the shared use path. Access to businesses and residences will be maintained during construction.

Real Estate

This project will not have any real estate acquisitions for the work to occur.

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/wis23greenlakectya/default.aspx>

We are seeking your input on the identified needs, proposed improvements and any other information pertinent to the project. To ensure the project stays on schedule, please forward any comments or questions to me at 715-365-5764 or Zachary.Gruling@dot.wi.gov by **February 18, 2024**.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: Project Map, Public Involvement Comment Form

Project ID:1430-08-12 (82)
Highway: WIS 23
County: Green Lake