I-43 NORTH-SOUTH RECONSTRUCTION

PROJECT NEWSLETTER

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Highland Road

ABOUT THE PROJECT

The I-43 North-South **Reconstruction Project spans** 14 miles from Silver Spring Drive north to WIS 60, in Milwaukee and Ozaukee counties. WisDOT is reconstructing I-43 to modern design standards and adding a lane in each direction. Additionally, five interchanges along the corridor will be reconstructed:

- Good Hope Road
- Brown Deer Road constructing a new Diverging **Diamond Interchange**
- County Line Road constructing a new full-access interchange
- Mequon Road
- Pioneer Road (County C)

The project also includes:

- Construction of a brand-new interchange at Highland Road
- Replacement of the Union Pacific Railroad bridge over I-43 in Glendale
- Expansion of Port Washington Road in Glendale between Bender and Daphne roads

Rendering of new Highland Road Interchange

A LOOK AHEAD INTO THE NEW YEAR AND BEYOND

As we ring in the New Year, we also move into the first year of major construction activities for the I-43 North-South Reconstruction Project. Design teams have finalized all plans for the North End (Highland Road to WIS 60) and County Line Road/Port Washington Road Interchange Segments, with construction scheduled to begin early 2022 (2022 construction details can be found on page 3).

2023-2025 PROJECT SEGMENT OUTLOOK

With 2022 construction on the horizon, design engineers are putting final touches on the design plans for the following segments, which are scheduled to begin construction in 2023:

- Port Washington Road Segment, between Bender and Daphne roads
- South End Segment: I-43, between Bender and Brown Deer roads, as well as the Union Pacific Railroad bridge over Jean Nicolet Road, I-43, and Port Washington Road
- Meguon Road Interchange Segment: I-43, between Donges Bay and Highland roads



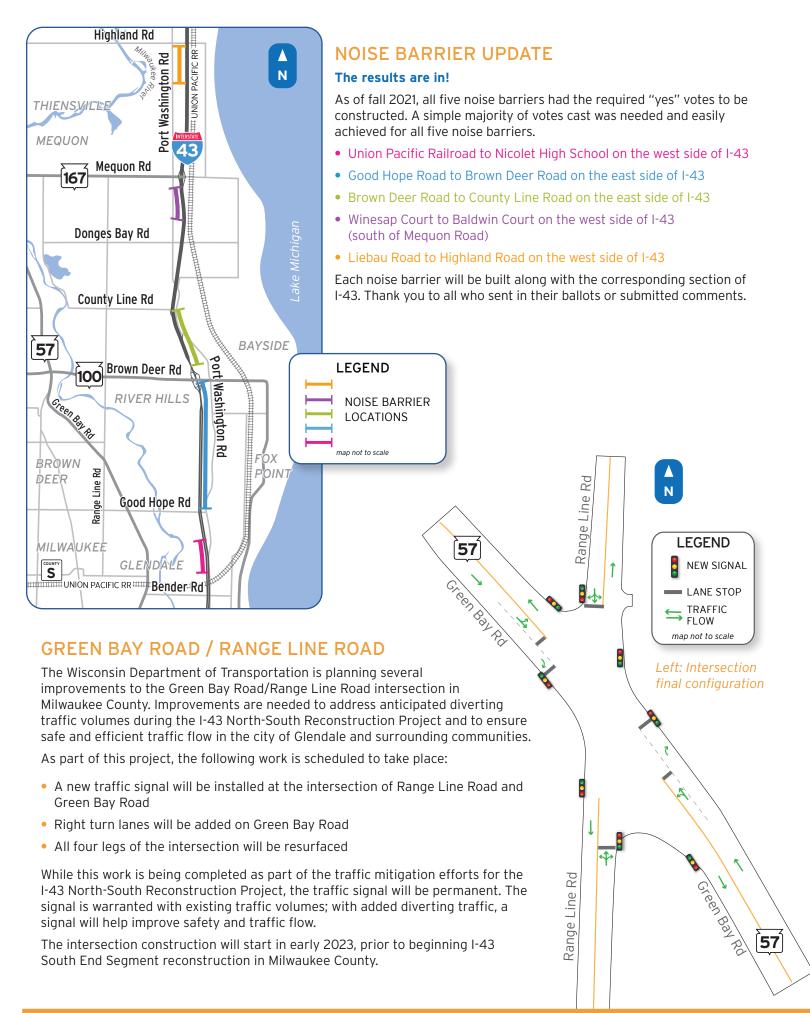
DESIGN PLAN:

To learn more about I-43 North-South design plans, please visit our design website at: wisconsindot.gov/43corridor

CONSTRUCTION:

To learn more about I-43 North-South construction, please visit our construction website at:

https://projects.511wi.gov/43north-south/



2022 CONSTRUCTION OUTLOOK

Construction in 2022 will focus on expansion and improvements within the North End Segment and the County Line Road/Port Washington Road Interchange Segment.



North End Segment

- I-43, between Highland Road and WIS 60, is scheduled to begin temporary widening in order to accomodate northbound traffic while crews perform various paving operations.
- Highland Road, between County W (Port Washington Road) and Lake Shore Drive, is scheduled to close early 2022 through early fall, for bridge and interchange construction
- Lakefield Road, under I-43, is scheduled to close summer 2022, for overhead temporary bridge reconstruction
- Falls Road, over I-43, is scheduled to close early 2022 through fall, for bridge reconstruction
- County C (Pioneer Road), between just east of I-43 and Lake Shore Drive, is scheduled to close early fall through late winter, for reconstruction, additional closures are scheduled to take place in 2023. *County C (Pioneer Road) closures are not schedled to be concurrent with the Highland Road bridge closure*

I-43 North-South is scheduled to remain open to two lanes, in each direction, during peak travel times.

Access to businesses and residences will be maintained.

Left: North End Segment project limits

County Line Road/Port Washington Road Interchange Segment

- County Line Road entrance ramp to I-43 SOUTH remains closed through mid-2023
- I-43 NORTH exit to County W (Port Washington Road) remains closed through mid-2023
- County W (Port Washington Road), between Port Washington Lane and County Line Road, is scheduled to close early 2022 through fall, for bridge, roadway, and ramp construction. County W (Port Washington Road) will remain accessible to Katherine Drive until late summer
- Donges Bay Road, between County W (Port Washington Road) and Lake Shore Drive, is scheduled to close early 2022 through late summer, while the bridge over I-43 is reconstructed
- Katherine Drive, between Zedler Lane and County W (Port Washington Road), is scheduled to close late summer through fall, for box culvert, roadway, and ramp construction. The Katherine Drive closure is not scheduled to be concurrent with the Donges Bay Road bridge closure



Above: County Line Road/ Port Washington Road Interchange Segment project limits

