



Wisconsin Department of Transportation  
Division of Transportation System Development

# Utility Coordination Newsletter

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## Bipartisan Infrastructure Law

The signing of the BIL will impact the highway improvement program in Wisconsin.

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## 2022-27 Local Program Cycle



Projects have been selected and approved for the Local Program.

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## Norman's Corner

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## 3D Utility Survey Data

The research contract with Jacobs has been completed and the Executive Summary has been published.



## Utility Connections

► Partnership ► People ► Process

### Webinar #3 Recap

The BTS Utility Unit hosted the third in a series of Utility Connections webinars on February 28.

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### Webinar #4 Recap

The most recent webinar hosted by the BTS Utility Unit was held on May 12, 2022.

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## TUMS UPDATES

The Transportation Utility Management System (TUMS) was updated recently to include a new tool to assist in the development of project schedules.

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### WisDOT Guide to Utility Coordination (WGUC)

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## Utility Notifications

Chapters 1 – 4 of the WisDOT Guide to Utility Coordination (WGUC) have recently been updated.

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## Staff Updates

### BTS Central Office

Barry Paye was promoted from Chief Materials Engineer to Bureau of Technical Services Director.

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### North Central Region

Todd Wescott joined WisDOT as a part-time, in-house utility consultant working in the North Central Region.

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