# **Public Involvement**

T Phelps, County A WIS 17 to Eagle Farm Road Vilas County Project ID: 9493-00-00 (70)



February 22, 2023 to March 15, 2023

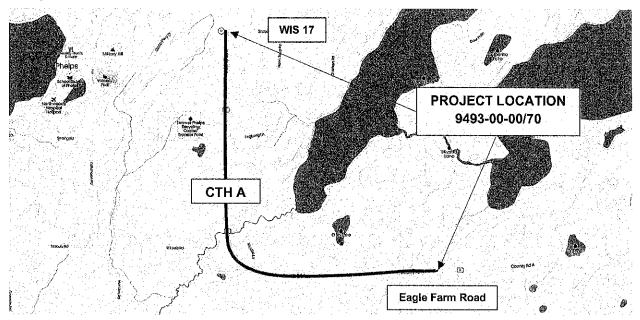
#### **Purpose**

Our objective is to update you on the project scope and schedule and to obtain your input on the identified needs, proposed improvements, and traffic impacts along County A between WIS 17 and Eagle Farm Road, located in the town of Phelps, Vilas County.

The purpose of the proposed action is to improve maintainability, drainage, and accessibility for motorized and non-motorized users along an important roadway within the local transportation system by addressing the following needs:

- The County A asphalt pavement is deteriorating.
- Culverts throughout the corridor are showing signs of deterioration, which if not improved – could lead to premature failure.

### **Project Location**



## **Project Information**

We are proposing to improve 4.0 miles of County A.

Proposed improvements include:

- Pulverizing the existing pavement and overlaying with new asphalt.
- Culvert pipe replacements.
- Paving roadway shoulders.
- Install new pavement markings.
- Replacing roadway signs.

#### **Proposed traffic impacts**

Construction is currently scheduled for the summer of 2024 and is estimated to take four months to complete.

During construction, County A will be closed to through traffic for the replacement of the Deerskin River culvert. The roadway and small pipe culvert replacements will be constructed under flagging operations or temporary lane shifts. A detour will not be posted.

Access on County A will be maintained during construction for first responders, for property owners, and to recreational facilities. Brief interruptions in access may occur temporarily at driveways when crews are pulverizing and paving. The contractor will be required to notify homeowners and businesses prior to construction.

#### Real estate

Right-of-way needs are currently being evaluated. No real estate impacts are anticipated.

#### Project update/next steps

Operational Planning Meeting	November 3, 2022 (completed)	
Public involvement	February 2023 – March 2023	
Preliminary plans	December 2022 (completed)	
Environmental document	March 2023	
Final plans	November 2023	
Construction currently scheduled	Summer 2024	
Construction may occur	Summer 2025	

#### **Public input/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. Your input is welcome and appreciated throughout the design process.

There are several ways to submit your input by March 15, 2023:

- 1. Fill out the comment form attached to this handout and mail it to MSA Professional Services, Inc.
- 2. Email comments or questions to the contact(s) listed below

Deaf, hard-of-hearing, deaf-blind, and speech-disabled persons should contact the Wisconsin Relay Service by dialing 711.

For more information, please contact:

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#### **Public Involvement Comment Form**

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