



October 24, 2012

Subject: County TT
West Waukesha Bypass
(Rolling Ridge Drive to WIS 59)
Waukesha County
WisDOT Project I.D. 2788-01-00
Public Hearing Notice

Greetings:

This letter is to notify you about the November 13, 2012 public hearing for the West Waukesha Bypass project and is being sent to supplement the legal notice published in area newspapers. The public hearing is an opportunity for interested persons to provide testimony on the location, design and environmental aspects of the project.

Public Hearing

The public hearing will be held on **Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at the Waukesha North High School auditorium, 2222 Michigan Avenue, Waukesha, WI**. The hearing will be conducted from **4 p.m. to 8 p.m. with a presentation and oral testimony beginning at 5 p.m.** Interested persons may attend anytime between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. to review displays and other hearing materials, ask questions, and provide testimony. The meeting facility is wheelchair accessible. Hearing impaired persons needing assistance should contact the Wisconsin Telecommunications Relay System (dial 711). To allow for arranging assistance, please call no later than three working days prior to the public hearing.

All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing and to present oral and/or written testimony concerning the location, design and environmental aspects of the proposed West Waukesha Bypass, including activities requiring authorization from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and whether the proposed improvements are in the public interest and consistent with local and regional planning goals.

Waukesha County staff will be available to explain the proposed improvements and answer questions. Because the project involves displacement of homes, Waukesha County real estate staff will also be available to discuss relocation assistance and the real estate acquisition process. Relocation assistance information may also be obtained by contacting the Waukesha County Department of Public Works office (262) 548-7740.

Information on how to present oral and written testimony will be provided at the public hearing. Written testimony can also be submitted after the hearing and will be included in the hearing transcript if postmarked/received no later than December 10, 2012. Written testimony submitted after the hearing should be sent via U.S. mail or e-mail to the Waukesha County contact person listed below.

Proposed Improvements

Proposed improvements in the County TT corridor include the following:

- Widen County TT from two to four lanes between Rolling Ridge Drive and Sunset Drive
- Build a 4-lane roadway connection between Sunset Drive and WIS 59 on one of three potential routes
 - Widen existing Sunset Drive to four lanes between County TT and County X and using County X to reach WIS 59.

- Build a new four-lane roadway on new alignment between Sunset Drive and WIS 59. Two potential routes referred to as the Pebble Creek West and Pebble Creek Far West Alternatives are under consideration.
- Construct a new bridge over Pebble Creek, Wisconsin & Southern Railroad and the Glacial Drumlin State Trail
- Construct a multi-use trail adjacent to the widened roadway between Summit Avenue and Sunset Drive.
- Add a new signal or roundabout at the County TT/Madison Street intersection.

Additional information about the proposed improvements is available at the Waukesha County Department of Public Works office at the address given below.

Additional Information

A Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS) that discusses the need for the proposed improvements, alternatives considered, environmental effects, has been prepared and filed according to the State and National Environmental Policy Acts. The Draft EIS will be available at the public hearing and is available for inspection and copying at the repositories listed below and on the project website:

<http://waukeshabypass.org/eis>

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Comments concerning the environmental effects of the proposed improvements will be addressed in the Final EIS if postmarked/received no later than December 10, 2012. Written comments on the Draft EIS should be sent via U.S. mail or e-mail to the contact person listed below.

Contact Information

The contact person for the West Waukesha Bypass project is:

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Thank you.



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November 26, 2012

**Public Comment Period Underway
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