



# WELCOME to the WIS 441 TRI-COUNTY PROJECT

## *Appleton Road Interchange*

### Pre-Closure Business Meeting

Tuesday, March 17, 2015 | 7:30–9:30 a.m.

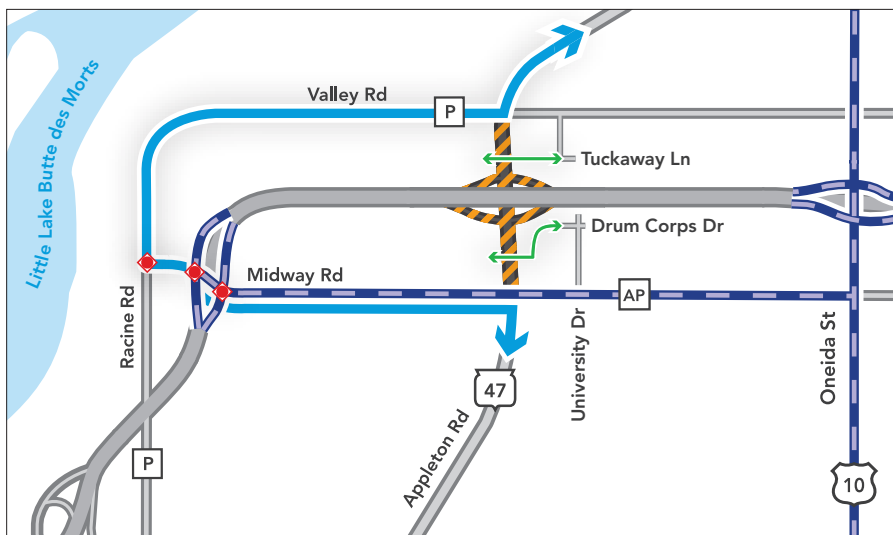
#### Meeting purpose

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is hosting a business meeting for the WIS 441 Tri-County Project. The meeting will provide businesses with up-to-date information about the following:

- Upcoming 75-day full CLOSURE of WIS 47 (Appleton Road) between Midway Road and Valley Road.
- Temporary signing opportunities and other resources for businesses.
- Detour route during the closure.

WisDOT is committed to providing timely information to businesses during the reconstruction of the Appleton Road interchange. See Page 4 for information about how to stay connected and receive construction updates.

#### Appleton Road interchange closure



#### CLOSED for construction

Appleton Road between Valley Road and Midway Road, along with the US 10/WIS 441 ramps, will be CLOSED for 75 days between mid-April and early July 2015 for construction.

#### Detour route

WIS 47 to County P  
(Valley Road/Racine Road);  
to County AP (Midway Road).

#### Alternate routes

Drivers can use Midway Road and Oneida Street interchanges as alternate routes.

#### Temporary traffic signals

To manage traffic during construction, WisDOT is installing temporary traffic signals at the Midway Road interchange.

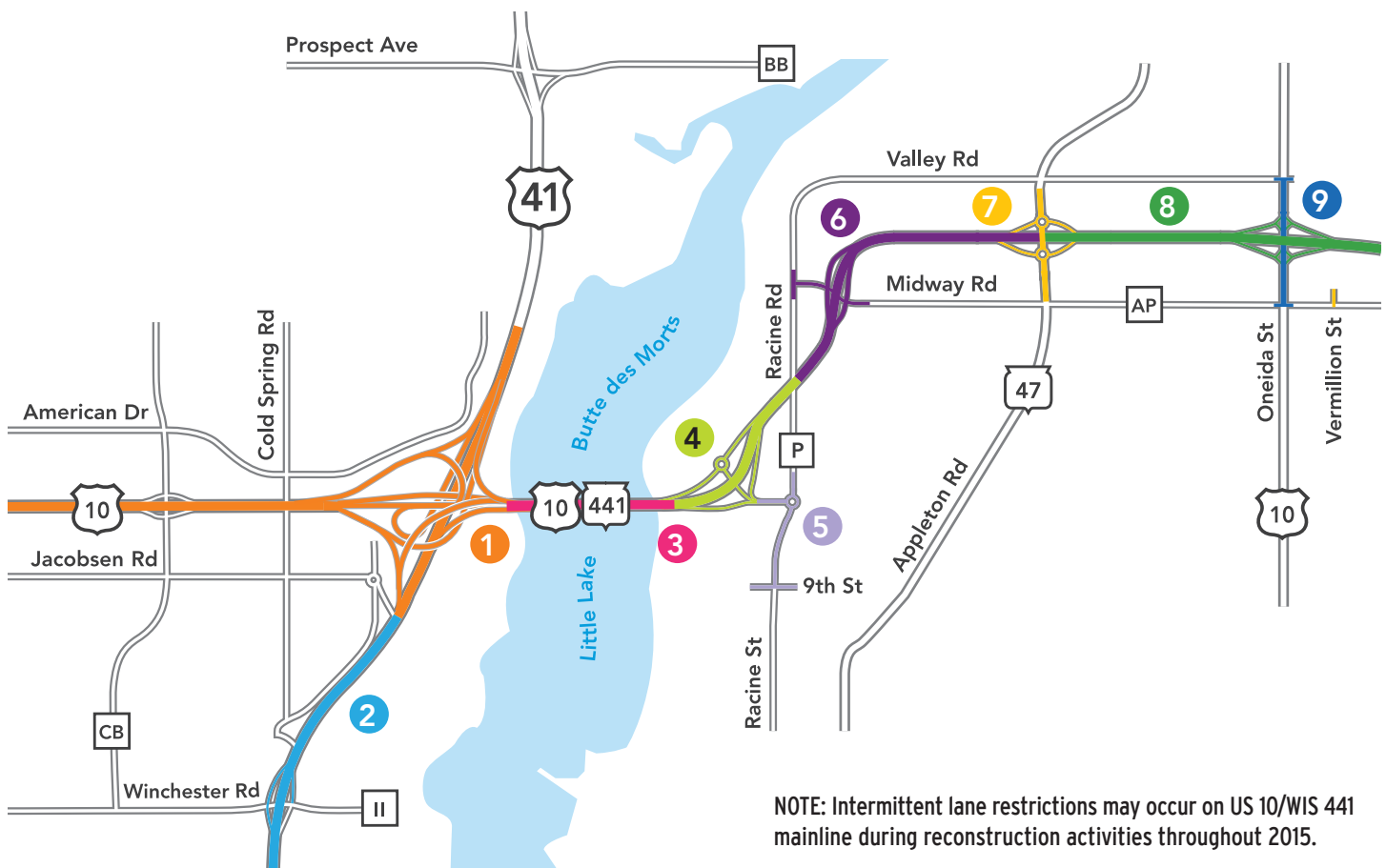
#### Access during construction

Access will be maintained across Appleton Road at Tuckaway Lane and Drum Corps Drive.

## 2015 design and construction updates

- 1 US 41 interchange**  
**2014-2018: *Interchange construction***
  - Restore missing ramp movements.**2015: *CLOSURES***
  - Cold Spring Road will CLOSE for 60 days beginning in late spring/early summer 2015.
  - Southbound US 41 to westbound US 10 ramp will CLOSE for 30 days beginning in late spring/early summer 2015.
  - US 10, WIS 441 and US 41 will have intermittent shoulder, lane and ramp CLOSURES.
- 2 US 41 mainline**  
**2018: *Mainline construction***
  - Add auxiliary lanes on US 41 to County II interchange.
- 3 Little Lake Butte des Morts crossing**  
**2014-2016: *New bridge construction***  
**2016-2018: *Existing bridge rehab***
  - Add a new parallel bridge south of the existing structure.
  - Recondition the existing bridge.
  - Both bridges will have four lanes and full-width shoulders.
- 4 Racine Road (County P) interchange**  
**Spring 2015-summer 2016: *Construction***
  - Realign US 10/WIS 441 to flatten horizontal curvature.
  - Construct additional lanes to add mainline capacity.
  - Construct roundabout at ramp terminal.**2015: *Long-term ramp CLOSURES beginning***
  - Westbound US 10/southbound WIS 441 entrance ramp will CLOSE between summer 2015 and spring 2018.
- 4 [CONTINUED] Racine Road (County P) interchange**  
**2015: *Long-term ramp CLOSURES beginning***
  - Westbound US 10/southbound WIS 441 exit ramp to Racine Road will CLOSE between summer 2015 and fall 2016.
  - Eastbound US 10/northbound WIS 441 entrance ramp from Racine Road will CLOSE between fall 2015 and fall 2016.
- 5 Racine Road (County P) and 12th Street intersection**  
**2016: *Construction***
  - Improve alignment to minimize curves along Racine Road.
  - Allow full access to 12th Street.
  - Construct roundabout.**2015: *Design update***
  - Improved alignment that minimizes curves and enhances vehicle sight distance along County P.
  - Increased weave distance for eastbound and westbound traffic between the roundabout and the WIS 441 ramps.
- 6 County AP (Midway Road) interchange and WIS 441 mainline (Racine Road to Appleton Road)**  
**2018-2019: *Construction***
  - Realign US 10/WIS 441 to flatten horizontal curvature.
  - Construct additional lanes to add capacity along US 10/WIS 441.**2015: *Installation of temporary signals during reconstruction***
  - Temporary traffic signals will be installed at the Midway Road interchange (spring 2015-summer 2018) to manage traffic during the Racine Road and Appleton Road interchange ramp closures.

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### 7 WIS 47 (Appleton Road) interchange and Vermillion Street

2015: *Construction*

- Reconstruct WIS 47 from Valley Road to Midway Road.
- Construct roundabouts at ramp terminals.
- Extend Vermillion Street to Midway Road.

2015: *CLOSURE*

- The Appleton Road interchange will be CLOSED for 75 days between mid-April and early July 2015.
- Includes Appleton Road between Valley Road and Midway Road.
- Detour: WIS 47 to County P (Valley Road/Racine Road) to County AP (Midway Road).

### 8 US 10 (Oneida Street) interchange ramps and WIS 441 mainline (Appleton Road to Oneida Street)

2018-2019: *Construction*

- Transition from a six-lane roadway to the existing four-lane roadway east of the Oneida Street interchange.
- Widen US 10/WIS 441 bridges over Oneida Street.

### 9 US 10 (Oneida Street)

2019: *Construction*

- Construct a diverging diamond interchange to handle large volumes of US 10 ramp traffic.
- Reconstruct Oneida Street from Valley Road to Midway Road.

## Business resources

WisDOT recognizes that businesses located in the work zones have special needs. It is critical to maintain access for both customers and suppliers. WisDOT is offering the following resources to businesses along the WIS 441 Project corridor:

- “In This Together” workbook
- WIS 441 Tri-County Expansion mini communications guide
- Temporary Business Sign Application
- Supplier letter

WIS 441 Project business resources are available at [www.us41wisconsin.gov/wis441/business-resources](http://www.us41wisconsin.gov/wis441/business-resources).

## ‘In This Together’

WisDOT’s “In This Together” workbook is an idea source for businesses that are preparing for road construction in their areas. It includes tips for handling traffic and keeping customers informed during construction, and it features case studies about techniques used successfully in communities throughout Wisconsin. The “In This Together” workbook is available at [www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/engrserv/itt](http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/engrserv/itt).

## Highway business signing

With WIS 441 construction under way, businesses should continue coordinating business signs with other area businesses. To simplify the signing process for businesses, WisDOT’s project construction leader will be the primary point of contact and will facilitate business signing coordination with municipalities. Businesses can contact the WIS 441 Project construction office for project construction leader contact information.

## WIS 441 Project construction office

A newly opened WIS 441 Project construction office will be used for workspace and public meetings, and as a central point-of-contact for public information regarding construction on the project. The office is located at W6214 Aerotech Drive in Appleton, and can be reached by telephone at (920) 832-1777.

## Join the email contact list

If you would like to receive project updates and notices of future meetings via email, please provide your email address on the sign-in sheet for today’s meeting or submit your email address to Melissa Kok at [Melissa.Kok@dot.wi.gov](mailto:Melissa.Kok@dot.wi.gov).

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