Construction Update - May 15, 2024



Highway and project ID STH 33 (5090-05-61,61,71 & 72)

Project limits, location Reedsburg - Baraboo

W Mulberry St to E V Limits C Baraboo, Eighth Street W City Limit to Lincoln Avenue

Project length 2.466 miles

Overall schedule Sept 18, 2023 – Nov 15, 2024

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Note: Updates are shown in red below.

<u>Project Description</u>: The work under this contract shall consist of grading, storm sewer, water main, base aggregates, HMA pavement, concrete curb and gutter, concrete sidewalk, MGS guardrail, traffic and pedestrian signals, standard lighting, erosion control, sign structure, pavement marking, permanent signing, traffic control, minor retaining walls and all incidental items necessary to complete the work as shown on the plans and included in the proposal and contract.

<u>Overall traffic impacts/holiday work restrictions</u>: STH 33 will be closed to through traffic. There is an official signed detour for the project that used IH 90/94 and USH 12. Emergency access will always be maintained through the work zone for the duration of the project. The are several provisions regarding the maintenance of local and pedestrian traffic through the construction zone during the duration of the project.

The following holiday and special event work restrictions are contained in the contract. No work will occur during the following dates/times that will impede the free flow of traffic:

- From noon Friday, May 24, 2024 to 6:00 AM Tuesday, May 28, 2024 for Memorial Day;
- From noon Wednesday, July 3, 2024 to 6:00 AM Monday, July 8, 2024 for Independence Day;
- From noon Friday, August 30, 2024 to 6:00 AM Tuesday, September 3, 2024 for Labor Day;
- From noon Wednesday, November 27, 2024 to 6:00 AM Monday, December 2, 2024 for Thanksgiving Day;

Work completed since last update:

In West Baraboo, the contractors poured most of the curb & gutter for this segment and will begin working on the flatwork. The contractors worked on installing new bases for the light

poles and will continue this work. The contractors also worked on placing topsoil behind the curb & gutter in areas.

In the middle segment (Baraboo), the contractors finished installing the new bases for the light poles and stood up the new light poles. The contractors finished placing topsoil between the curb and the sidewalk. The contractors worked on rough shaping the gravel.

In the east segment (Baraboo), the contractors finished the fine grading of the BAD and paved the asphaltic surface in this segment.

Anticipated work schedule for next week:

In West Baraboo, the contractors will continue to pour the flatwork (sidewalk, ramps, driveway aprons) in this segment until all this work is completed. The contractors will work on placing topsoil where they can. The contractors will be working on rough grading the BAD.

In the middle segment in Baraboo, the contractors will be working on fine grading the BAD and will be paving the asphalt for this segment. The contractors will be working on installing the new signs and performing the restoration work on the topsoil.

In the east segment, the contractors will be working on placing concrete around the manhole covers. The contractors will also be working on painting the new pavement markings for the finished roadway. Finally, the contractors will remove the traffic control and fully open STH 33 from Lincoln Ave to Jefferson Street.

The three segments that will be under construction from 2/26/24 through early June are: The west segment is in the Village of West Baraboo from just west of Mulberry Street to a few hundred feet west of Draper Street. The middle segment in Baraboo starts just east of Broadway and ends just west of Elizabeth Street. The east segment in Baraboo begins just west of Jefferson Street and ends just west of Lincoln Ave. The contractors will be working in all three of these areas at the same time.

Note that once the current east segment is opened next week, the new east segment will be from just west of Jefferson Street to Elizabeth Street. Work will begin in this segment once the current east segment is completed and open to traffic.

STH 33 is closed to through traffic in the work zones and will remain this way for most of the 2024 construction. There is a signed detour in place for the 2024 construction season.