Greenfield Avenue - bridge and ramps

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) reconstructed Greenfield Avenue from 106th Street to 97th Street, including the bridge over I-894, as part of the Zoo Interchange project.

BACKGROUND

To move traffic more efficiently, the new Greenfield Avenue bridge over I-894 is wider than the old bridge with dual left turn lanes at the northbound and southbound freeway entrances and two through lanes in each direction. There are wider sidewalks on both sides of the new bridge to accommodate pedestrian and bike traffic.

Design elements incorporated into the bridge ensure that it coordinates with architectural features of the surrounding area and other freeway bridges.

WHAT’S NEXT?

Major utility work along the east side of I-894, north and south of Greenfield Avenue, is on-going. This utility work will require limited closures of the freeway.

The earthen berm southeast of the interchange will be landscaped later this year and a decorative wall built in 2016 or 2017.

Noise barriers north and south of Greenfield Avenue, on each side of I-894, will be built in 2016-17.

There will be additional impacts to Greenfield Avenue interchange during the reconstruction of the mainline freeway in 2016-17.

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