

Public Involvement

**WIS 13/Apache Avenue Intersection
Adams-Wisconsin Rapids
Adams County**

Project ID: 6140-02-02/72



**June 16, 2025
5 pm
Rome Municipal Building
1156 Alpine Drive
Nekoosa, WI 54457**

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Purpose of the meeting

The purpose of this project is to maintain a safe and efficient roadway transportation facility along WIS 13 and to address the high crash rates at the Apache Avenue intersection. Heavy southbound right turning movement and eastbound left turning movement contribute to a majority of the crashes at this location.

A local officials meeting was held on May 15, 2025 to discuss the project.

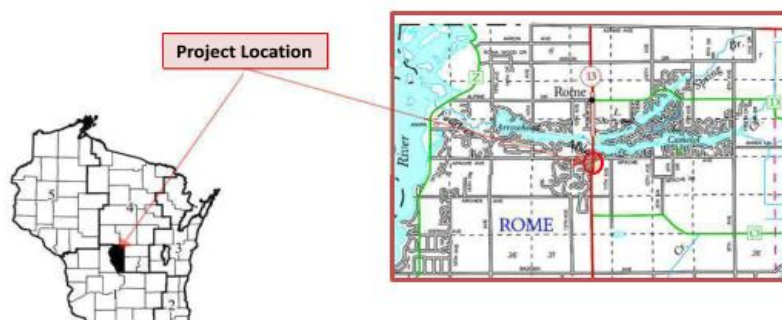
This meeting will consist of a presentation, followed by an open house to discuss the project and answer any questions.

Project information

WisDOT is proposing to improve 0.162 miles of WIS 13. Proposed improvements include installing a southbound offset right turn lane at Apache Avenue intersection. Other project work would include installing curb and gutter, ditching to improve drainage, and installing pavement marking. These improvements will help to increase the safety of the intersection with a goal of decreasing the number of traffic accidents.

Screening for impacts to archaeological and historic resources was completed. The proposed action met the requirements for the Section 106 screening list on Sept. 23, 2024.

WIS 13/Apache Avenue Intersection location/detour map



Proposed traffic impacts

Construction is scheduled to begin in late spring of 2027.

During construction, the proposed work will be performed while traffic is maintained on WIS 13. The construction zone will maintain two lanes (one lane in each direction) utilizing the northbound lane shoulder. Access to residents, businesses, and emergency vehicles will be maintained during construction.

Construction is currently scheduled for completion in summer of 2027.

Real estate

Additional right of way is not anticipated for this project.

Project update/next steps

A local officials meeting was held on 5/15/2025.

The current proposed schedule for the project is shown below:

Environmental Document	July 2025
Design Study Report	November 2025
90% Plan	March 2026
Final PS&E	May 2026
Bid Letting	October 2026
Begin Construction	Spring/Summer 2027

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 July 16, 2025:

1. Fill out the comment form attached to this handout and mail it to WisDOT
2. Complete the fillable online survey on the project website
<https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/nc/wis13adams/default.aspx>
3. Email comments or questions to the contact(s) listed below

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For more information, please contact:

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Public Involvement Meeting Comment Form

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Address: _____

Daytime Phone Number (optional): _____

Email Address (optional): _____

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