Public Involvement Handout

US 12

First Trestle Creek B-18-0245; Diamond Valley Creek B-18-0246 Eau Claire County

> Design Project ID: 7080-00-06; 7080-00-07 Construction Project ID: 7080-00-76; 7080-00-77



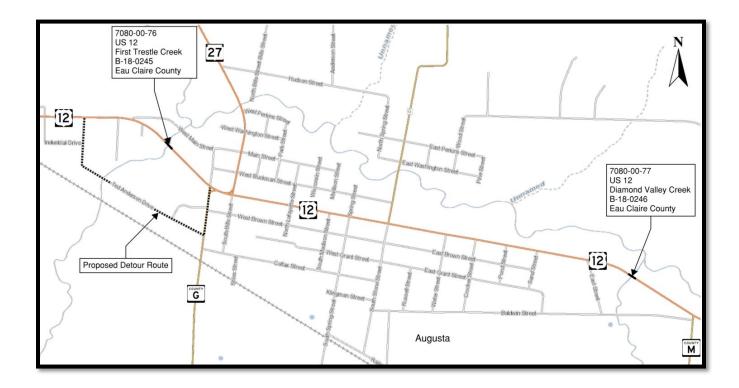
Fall 2024

Purpose

The purpose of this outreach is to gather public input regarding the proposed improvements and traffic management strategies during the replacement of two sets of culverts on US 12 in Augusta. Construction ID 7080-00-76 will replace structure B-18-0073 on US 12 over First Trestle Creek with structure B-18-0245, and Construction ID 7080-00-77 will replace structure B-18-0074 on US 12 over Diamond Valley Creek with structure B-18-0246.

Project Information

Improvements for Construction ID 7080-00-76 are proposed along 0.047 mile of US 12, and improvements for Construction ID 7080-00-77 are proposed along 0.016 mile of US 12.



The purpose of the proposed project is to preserve the function, operation and safety of US 12 over First Trestle and Diamond Valley creeks.

The proposed project is needed to address the structural deficiencies in the two sets of culverts. Built in 1988, culverts at both locations are approaching the end of their service lives.

Proposed improvements at both locations include:

- Replacing culvert pipes with two-cell concrete box culverts.
- Reconstructing approximately 100 feet of roadway approach.
- Grading approach slopes.
- Removing guardrail.
- Marking pavement.

Environmental studies at both locations are underway.

Proposed Traffic Impacts

During construction:

Project ID 7080-00-76

US 12 would be closed to traffic and detoured. The proposed detour route would follow Ted Anderson and Bush Brothers drives.

Project ID 7080-00-77

US 12/WIS 27 would remain open to through traffic utilizing single-lane closures controlled by temporary traffic signals.

At each construction site, access for businesses, emergency services and residents would be maintained during construction.

Real Estate

Project ID 7080-00-76 and Project ID 7080-00-77

Permanent right-of-way acquisition is needed for construction of the new structures at both locations.

Project Update/Next Steps

Environmental document	November 2024
Final plans	August 2027
Currently Scheduled construction	2028

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.

Please submit comments to WisDOT Project Manager Tyson Pelkofer by Nov. 22, 2024, by:

Email: <u>tyson.pelkofer@dot.wi.gov</u>

• Mail: Wisconsin Department of Transportation

718 W. Clairemont Ave. Eau Claire, WI 54701 Attn.: Tyson Pelkofer

• Phone: (715) 340-9495

• Deaf, hard-of-hearing, deaf-blind and speech-disabled persons should contact the Wisconsin Relay Service by dialing 711.

Public Involvement Comment Form

Project ID 7080-00-06/07
Eau Claire - Fairchild
First Trestle Creek B-19-0245; Diamond Valley Creek B-18-0246
US 12
Eau Claire County

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Address:
Phone Number (optional):
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Please Print Comments (attach additional sheets if necessary):

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