



**Eau Claire – Fairchild  
First Trestle Creek B-18-0245  
Diamond Valley Creek B-18-0246  
US 12, Eau Claire County**

**Wisconsin Department of Transportation**

Public Involvement Presentation

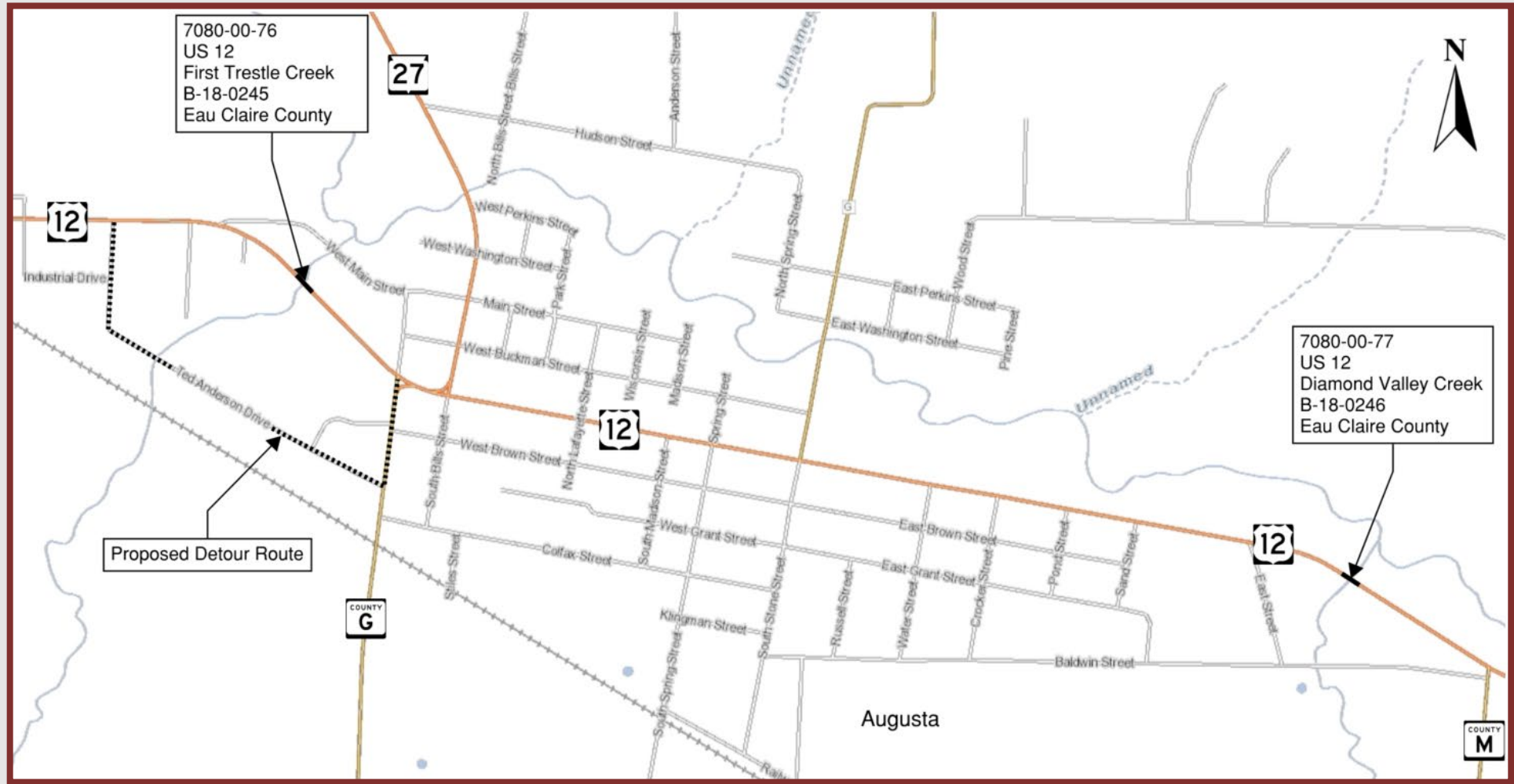
**Fall 2024**

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# Project Location



# Purpose and Need

- Culvert pipes at both locations are exhibiting signs of deterioration.
  - Corrosion
  - Perforations
  - Tears
- Guardrail does not meet current safety standards.



First Trestle Creek



Diamond Valley Creek



# Proposed Improvements

- Replace culverts at both locations with two-cell concrete box culverts
- Remove guardrail
- Reconstruct about 100 feet of roadway approach
- Grade approach slopes



First Trestle Creek



Diamond Valley Creek

# Traffic Control

- First Trestle Creek:
  - US 12 will be closed.
  - Traffic will be detoured via Ted Anderson and Bush Brothers drives.
- Diamond Valley Creek:
  - US 12/WIS 27 will remain open to traffic.
  - Traffic will be maintained via a single lane controlled by temporary traffic signals.
- Access for businesses, emergency services and residents will be maintained at both locations.



# Project Schedule

- Preliminary design start: Spring 2022
- Public comment solicitation: Fall 2024
- Plans, specifications and estimate submittal: August 2027
- Bid letting: Nov. 9, 2027
- Construction: 2028



# Project Contacts

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# Public Comment

- WisDOT is accepting public comments on the proposed project through Nov. 22, 2024, by:
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