



# **Yellow River Bridge Rehabilitation Project**

## **Public Involvement Meeting**

US 63, Washburn County

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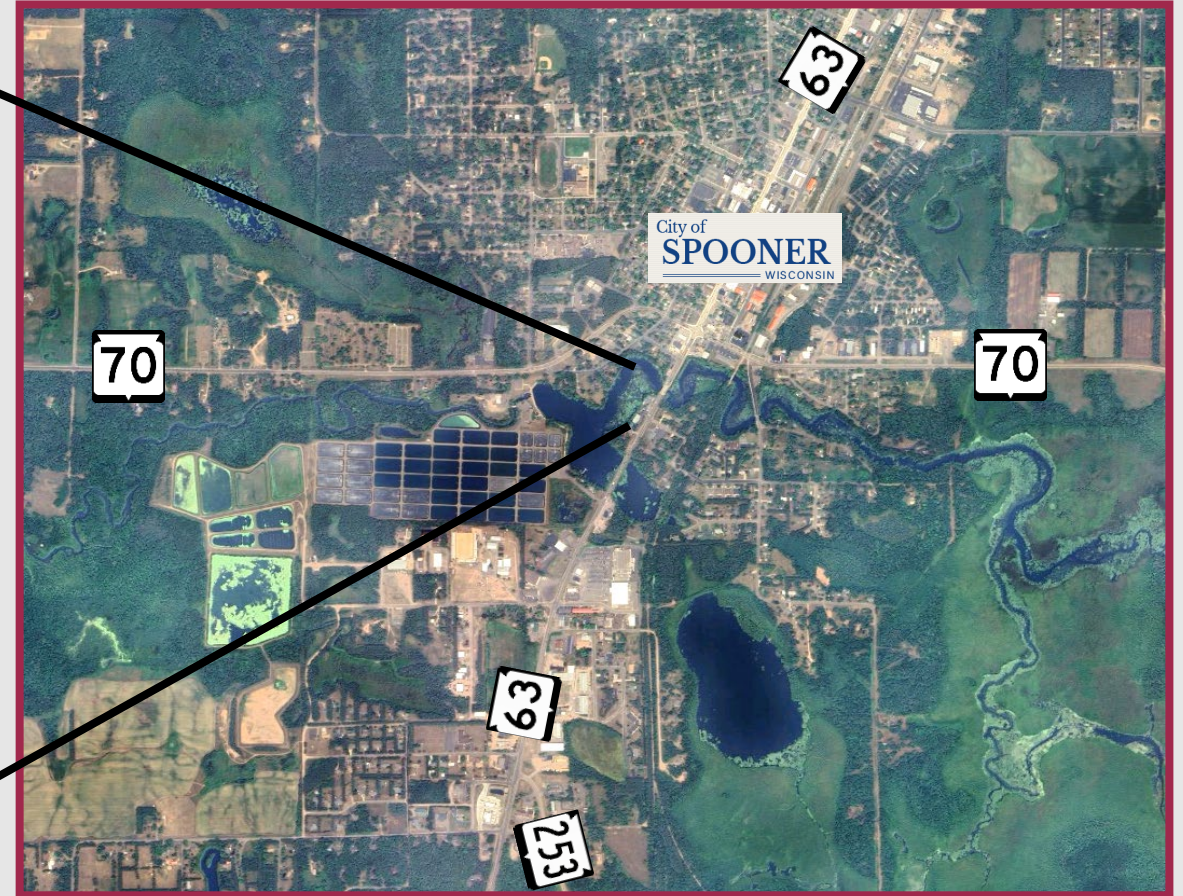
# Agenda

- Project Location
- Purpose and Need
- Proposed Improvements
- Traffic Impacts
- Upcoming Schedule
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# Project Location



# Purpose and Need

- Purpose:
  - To extend the service life of the Yellow River Bridge and provide a safe crossing for motorists for years to come
- Need:
  - Bridge elements, including the deck, are showing signs of deterioration.
  - Existing guardrail on the bridge approaches doesn't meet current standards.

# Proposed Improvements

- Overlay the bridge deck with concrete
- Make concrete surface repairs to bridge abutments and parapet
- Replace concrete approach slabs
- Pave the roadway with asphalt on both sides of the structure
- Complete work to improve drainage adjacent to the bridge
- Replace guardrail on the west side of US 63
- Replace pavement markings





# Traffic Impacts

- US 63 to remain open to traffic
- Construction to be completed in two stages
  - During one stage, traffic will be restricted to a single lane on the west side of the bridge controlled by temporary traffic signals. During the other, one lane of traffic will be maintained in both directions on the east side of the structure.



# Schedule

- Final plan submittal: Feb. 1, 2027
- Bid solicitation: Sept. 14, 2027
- Construction: 2028
  - To be completed in 65 days





# Public Involvement

- WisDOT is seeking public input through Feb. 19, by:
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- For updates, visit the project's design website
  - <https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/nw/us63yellowriverbridge/default.aspx>

