

I-94, US 53 - Mallard Road

Eau Claire - Osseo, Eau Claire County

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation is proposing to resurface the I-94 / US 53 interchange, replace concrete pavement on I-94 from the Otter Creek bridges to Mallard Road and replace the existing bridges on I-94 over County J and County D in Eau Claire County beginning in 2023.

Project Information

The resurfacing work will involve:

- Resurfacing US 53 approaching the US 53 / I-94 interchange along with the interchange ramps
- Resurfacing the shoulders and completing concrete pavement repair on I-94 and the collector roads from the western project limits to Otter Creek

The pavement replacement work will involve:

- Removing and replacing the existing concrete pavement on I-94 from Otter Creek to Mallard Road
- Adding temporary crossovers and a bridge and widening
- Permanent widening of the Otter Creek eastbound bridge

The bridge replacement projects will involve:

- Temporary widening of existing eastbound structures
- Replacing the existing County J and County D bridges along with an existing box culvert near the County D bridges with new structures that meet current standards and future needs

Traffic Impacts

US 53 interchange ramp resurfacing work will be performed during ramp closures during off-peak traffic periods/hours. Work on I-94 under the interchange will be performed under traffic utilizing mainline lane closures and loop ramp closures with detour and/or temporary diamond interchange ramp configuration. Temporary diamond interchange work on US 53 will be performed under traffic utilizing lane closures.

During all stages of construction, two lanes of I-94 traffic in each direction will be maintained, except for temporary single-lane closures permitted during specific periods of low traffic volumes.

The required bridge replacements for I-94 over the crossroads of County J and County D will require periods of low vertical clearance and road closures during construction operations. This work will be scheduled to minimize the disruption to local traffic by restricting the timing of adjacent road closures.

See project location map on back of handout

Project Schedule:

Fall 2022: Project Letting

Spring 2023: Construction Start

Fall 2024: Construction Complete

For additional information about the project, contact:

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Project Location Map

