



Project BRIEF

S. 27th Street (Milwaukee County) Project Information

About The Project

The project stretches approx 2.3 miles from south of W. Drexel Ave. to north of W. College Ave., in the cities of Franklin and Oak Creek in Milwaukee County.

Construction began in spring 2015 and is scheduled to be completed in late fall 2016.

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is scheduled to resume construction of WIS 241 (S. 27th Street), from south of W. Drexel Avenue to north of W. College Avenue, with scheduled completion late fall 2016.

Construction on the project scheduled for this year is outlined below:

- Reconstruction of the concrete pavement.
- Modifying median openings to improve safety.
- Adding bicycle and pedestrian accommodations.
- Improving intersections, adding and extending right and left turn lanes and updating traffic signals.

Construction to be completed during 2016 is scheduled to take place in two major phases.

Phase One (early spring to mid-summer)

- Complete storm sewer work within the project limits.
- Install temporary pavement on WIS 241 northbound to accommodate southbound traffic.
- Complete cross culvert installations.
- WIS 241 southbound traffic will be shifted to the newly constructed northbound lanes while crews reconstruct the WIS 241 southbound lanes.
- Two lanes of traffic in each direction will remain open from Minnesota Drive north to College Avenue. One lane of traffic in each direction will remain open from Villa Drive north to Minnesota Avenue.
- Complete reconstruction of side roads within the project limits.

Phase Two (mid-summer to late fall)

- Switch traffic back to their respective lanes while crews complete median work.
- Complete new signal and lighting installation.
- Project restoration.

Periodic overnight lane closures will take place on WIS 241 northbound during 2016 construction. Notifications will be posted prior.

Visit the project website at <http://projects.511wi.gov/wis241franklin/> to view the latest project information, sign up for periodic email updates or leave a comment for the project team.



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