

Good afternoon,

On Monday (August 21), please do not have an *ECLIPSE* in judgement. As the solar eclipse occurs midday, please stay focused on the road, and turn on your headlights so you can see and be seen by fellow drivers. Here are some other safety tips:

- Never take photos while driving.
- Never stop along the Interstate or park on a highway shoulder. Always find a safe place to park before viewing an eclipse.
- While it's advisable to wear "eclipse glasses" to view the eclipse, it is not advisable to wear them while driving.
- Watch out for pedestrians and remember some might wander a bit too close to the road.

As a reminder, we are hosting a public meeting on Tuesday (August 22) in Janesville to discuss the reconstruction and expansion of a 12-mile stretch of I-39/90 between Beloit and Janesville. [Learn more about that project and the meeting details.](#)

Read the below update about the upcoming construction work, lane and ramp closures, and traffic impacts related to the I-39/90 Expansion Project. You can also forward this email to family, friends and co-workers and encourage them to [register for I-39/90 project email updates.](#)

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Weekly Construction Update: August 21-25

All lane restrictions and work operations are weather dependent and subject to change.

Two lanes remain open to traffic on I-39/90 (in each direction) during daytime hours.

NOTE: Next week Monday through Friday (8 p.m. to 5 a.m.) and Friday to Saturday (10 p.m. to 7 a.m.), nightly single lane closures are planned on I-39/90 northbound and southbound in the following work zones, unless noted otherwise. Minor delays may occur during these lane closures.

County AB bridge replacement over I-39/90, south of Madison

- **Updated:** [View County AB bridge operations.](#)
 - Some noise from activities is expected throughout the week.
- County AB over I-39/90 CLOSED to all traffic until early September 2017.
 - Alternate routes are required. Signed detour route: US 12/18, County N and County MN.

Temporary widening on I-39/90 southbound, Madison to Edgerton

County AB to East Church Road, north of US 51 interchange
County MN, Drotning Road, County W and County B underpasses

- **Updated:** [View temporary widening activities.](#)
- **Updated:** County MN under I-39/90 is scheduled to be CLOSED on Monday, August 28 (weather dependent) until late October 2017.
 - NOTE: County MN will not close until the County AB bridge project is complete and open to traffic.
- Drotning Road under I-39/90 is CLOSED until early October 2017. Alternate local routes are required.
- **Updated:** County W under I-39/90 is anticipated to OPEN on Monday morning (August 21).
- **Updated:** County B under I-39/90 is scheduled to be CLOSED starting Monday (August 21) until mid-October 2017. Alternate routes are required; follow the posted detour.
 - NOTE: County B will not close until County W is open to traffic.

I-39/90 and County N interchange (Exit 147), north of Stoughton

- **Updated:** Nighttime girder setting for new County N bridge over I-39/90. Interstate traffic to use ramps to bypass operations.
 - 10 p.m. – 5 a.m. Monday night (August 21); **I-39/90 southbound** traffic detoured on ramps.
 - Plan ahead to avoid potential delays during the overnight hours.
- **Updated:** [View County N interchange operations.](#)
 - Flagging operations will occur periodically on County N near the Interstate. Drive with caution through this area.
 - **Updated:** Temporary County N ramps open to/from I-39/90 southbound. Permanent County N ramps open to/from I-39/90 northbound; yield to traffic on your left before entering the partial roundabout.
 - Traffic shifts on County N, between Koshkonong Road and I-39/90. One lane remains open in each direction; be alert for these lane shifts!
- County N is CLOSED to all traffic, between the I-39/90 northbound ramps and Rinden Road, near the township of Pleasant Springs.
 - Alternate local routes are required. Signed detour route: I-39/90, US 12/18 and County N.
 - This section of highway is anticipated to reopen in fall 2017.
- The County N and Rinden Road intersection is OPEN.

I-39/90 (Dane/Rock County line to E. Church Road) and US 51 interchange, east of Stoughton

- **Updated:** No nighttime ramp closures anticipated at the WIS 73/US 51 interchange (Exit 160).
- **Updated:** [View construction operations.](#)
- All I-39/90 traffic shifted onto southbound side of Interstate, between the Dane/Rock County line to East Church Road, north of the US 51 interchange (Stoughton Exit 156).
 - Two lanes remain open in each direction, separated by a median barrier wall. Be alert for crossovers in this area, and please stay in your lane!
 - Reduced speed limit of 65 mph on I-39/90 northbound in this area.
 - I-39/90 northbound ramp to US 51 (Stoughton Exit 156) is OPEN.
 - [US 51 ramp to I-39/90 northbound ramp CLOSED until mid-November 2017.](#)
 - The southbound Interstate on and off ramps at Stoughton Exit 156 remain open during construction with periodic nighttime ramp closures.
- Local roads under I-39/90 to be CLOSED until mid-November 2017.
 - Lake Drive Road under Interstate 39/90 near Edgerton, and East Church Road under I-39/90, near the town of Christiana.
 - Emergency access to be provided to police, fire and EMS.

I-39/90 and WIS 59 interchange and Rock River bridges, near Edgerton and Newville

- All I-39/90 traffic shifted onto northbound side and bridge over the Rock River. Be alert for crossovers in this area, and please stay in your lane!
 - Two lanes remain open in each direction on I-39/90, separated by a median barrier wall.
 - Reduced speed limit of 65 mph on I-39/90 northbound in this area.
 - Southbound Interstate access to the WIS 59 interchange (Exit 163) use temporary off/on ramp connections.
- **Updated:** View [Interstate and Rock River bridge operations.](#)
 - Download the [Rock River Bridge, Boater Navigation Guide!](#)
 - Navigational buoys are placed in the river under I-39/90. Boaters should slow down (this area is no wake), and be alert for construction crews and work taking place.
- **Updated:** Ellendale Road under I-39/90 along the Rock River remains OPEN to traffic.
 - Flagging operations will occur periodically on Ellendale Road as crews unload trucks and reach material stored along the road.
- View [WIS 59 interchange activities.](#) Be alert for crews and equipment in the interchange area.

- Access remains open to area businesses and neighborhoods. Please continue to patronize the businesses in the project area!

Manogue Road bridge replacement over I-39/90, north of Janesville

- **Updated:** [View Manogue Road bridge operations.](#)
 - Minor noise from activities is expected throughout the week.
- Manogue Road over I-39/90 CLOSED to all traffic until early September 2017.
 - Alternate local routes are required.

Temporary widening of I-39/90 southbound, near Beloit

Between the County S (Shopiere Road) interchange and the Illinois state line

- **Updated:** [View temporary widening activities, near Beloit.](#)
- Traffic shifted on I-39/90 southbound from the County S interchange to the Illinois state line. Please be alert and stay in your lane!

Stateline Road bridge replacement over I-39/90, near Beloit

- **Updated:** [View Stateline Road bridge operations.](#)
 - Traffic shifts in place at the Wisconsin/Illinois state line. Be alert for lane changes in this area!
- Stateline Road over I-39/90 CLOSED to all traffic until late August 2017. Alternate local routes are required.