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Bob Bartelt  
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Dear Mr. Bartelt:

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) has completed its review of the Bike/Pedestrian/Non-Motorized Vehicle Crossing along US 41 in Brown County. WisDOT is pleased to announce its support for the design and construction of the Bike/Pedestrian/Non-Motorized Vehicle Crossings, pending local participation.

Three locations for the overpasses were considered:

- US 41 Overpass between Bond Street and Woodman Drive, located in the Village of Howard
- STH 172 Overpass between Pioneer Park/School and North Road, located in the Village of Ashwaubenon
- US 41 Overpass between De Pere's Preserve Trail and Mid Valley Drive, located in the City of Pere and the Town of Lawrence

All three locations have been approved pending local participation. At each overpass local participation would include:

- 25% of the construction costs from touchdown point to touchdown point, including structure, grading and paving
- 100% of the path connection from touchdown point to existing facilities
- 100% real estate and acquisition
- Maintenance of the path – including snow removal

WisDOT participation at each overpass would include:

- 75% of the construction costs from touchdown point to touchdown point, including structure, grading and paving
- Maintenance of the overpass structure

A kick-off meeting for the planning and development of the overpasses will be scheduled in the near future with the Villages, City, Town and County. WisDOT is pleased to participate in the development of the Bike/Pedestrian/Non-Motorized Vehicle Crossings along US 41 in Brown County – the addition of these structures will minimize potential barriers created by US 41 for non-motorized travel, provide important links between travelers and community services, and enhance the growth of the surrounding areas.

Sincerely,

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