



Project Overview

The City of Red Wing is working to construct a new Sturgeon Lake Road overpass over the Canadian Pacific Railway to eliminate an existing at-grade railroad crossing. This project also will construct a new roadway underpass, Island Connection Road (ICR), to improve access to Treasure Island Resort & Casino and nearby tribal lands. These improvements will enhance safety, travel efficiency, and access to Prairie Island. Construction will begin in May 2024 and is anticipated to be complete by the end of 2025.

IMPROVEMENTS

- Grade-separated railroad crossing
- Underpass access for tribal roadway via ICR
- New stormwater infrastructure

PROJECT BENEFITS

- Improved safety by elimination of an at-grade railroad crossing
- Enhanced reliability and resiliency of access to and from Prairie Island
- Better traffic flow during normal operations and events
- Increased floodplain storage



STURGEON LAKE ROAD

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE – MAY 2024

SCHEDULE

The project is anticipated to be completed in four phases beginning in May 2024:

Phase 1

- Reconstruction of Island Lake Blvd
- Realignment of Xcel access road

Phase 2

- Construction of new stormwater infrastructure
- Construction of new Sturgeon Lake Road
- Construction of new ICR

Phase 3

- Completion of new Sturgeon Lake Road

Phase 4

- Completion of new cul-de-sac and Treasure Island Resort & Casino event parking access
- Anticipated project completion by the end of 2025

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Throughout construction, expect lane closures, road closures, and temporary detours as we work to complete these improvements. Access to all businesses and residences will be maintained throughout construction. We appreciate your patience while we work to complete these improvements, be sure to slow down when approaching the work zone and give yourself additional time to reach your destination.

Event Traffic

Our project team is working closely with the Prairie Island Community and Treasure Island Resort & Casino to strategize managing event traffic throughout construction while minimizing disruptions and maintaining access for all residents.

MORE INFORMATION

This is the first of a series of newsletters we will produce during construction to keep you updated on the latest construction impacts. **For more information and the latest up-to-date information about the project, visit the project website at: www.red-wing.org/161/Sturgeon-Lake-Road-Project-Overview**

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