



# PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT MEETING

VILLAGE OF MILLTOWN, TIGER STREET & 4<sup>TH</sup>  
AVENUE

TEA PROJECT

POLK COUNTY

PROJECT ID: 8416-00-70

Public Involvement Period: May 10 – June 7, 2023



# Project Team

- Larry Kuske – Village President
  - Village of Milltown
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- Roselynn Bittorf
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# Objectives

- Project Location
- Existing Facilities
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# Project Location

- The proposed project involves the reconstruction of Tiger Street and the construction of 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW between Industrial Ave and 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue SW.
- This segment of Tiger Street is located on the southwest edge of the Village of Milltown in central Polk County.



Project Location (Polk County GIS)

# Existing Facilities

- Tiger Street – previously constructed
  - The existing roadway (Industrial Ave, east approximately 500 ft.) is a west-east, two-lane urban roadway with 2 16-ft. asphalt travel lanes, concrete curb and gutter, storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and water utility
- Tiger Street – unconstructed
  - The existing roadway (from 500 ft. east of Industrial Ave to 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW) is a west-east, one-lane gravel roadway with storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and water utility
- 60-ft. right-of-way (30 feet left and right of centerline)
- 25 mph posted speed limit
- Land use in the vicinity of the roadway is currently agricultural, commercial, municipal, and residential.

# Project Purpose and Need

- The purpose of the proposed project is to facilitate the development of an industrial park in the Village of Milltown by improving and constructing local infrastructure and access roads.
- The need of this project is to improve the existing roadway and develop additional transportation facilities to enable access to the proposed industrial park.
  - The majority of Tiger Street is currently a single gravel travel lane which is not wide enough for two-way traffic.
  - There is no internal road network to provide access within the proposed industrial park, precluding development of the area.

# Current Deficiencies

- Single-lane gravel road



Tiger Street, looking east



Looking west

# Proposed Improvements

- Tiger Street Reconstruction
  - Extend Tiger Street 1,300 ft., east to 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW.
  - 2 16-ft. asphalt travel lanes, 30-in. concrete curb and gutter.
  - Match existing constructed portion of the roadway.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Ave SW Construction
  - New road on new alignment – approximately 330 ft. south of Tiger Street
  - 2 16-ft. asphalt travel lanes, 30-in. concrete curb and gutter.
  - Temporary cul-de-sac at the southern extent
- Stormwater Retention Pond
  - At the southwest corner of Tiger Street and 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW.



# Proposed Improvements

- Construction is anticipated for 2023 and 2024.
- During construction, the project area would be closed to through traffic.
  - Access will be maintained to properties along the project area
- Posted speed limit of 25 mph on both roadways.
- No right-of-way acquisition required along Tiger Street.
- 66 ft. right-of-way would be distinguished along 4<sup>th</sup> Ave SW.
  - Village-owned property

# Costs

- Funding for this project is provided by the Village of Milltown and the WisDOT Transportation Economic Assistance (TEA) Program.
- The State will contribute a portion of the eligible costs up to a max of \$232,360. The balance of the project is 100% funded by the Village of Milltown.
- Total project cost including construction and design is approximately \$1.0-1.1 million.
- The Village of Milltown is responsible for 100% of the storm sewer, sanitary sewer, and watermain installation, as well as a portion of the stormwater retention pond.

# Project Schedule

- Public Involvement – May 10<sup>th</sup> – June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023
- Preliminary Plans – May 2023
- Environmental Document – July 2023
- Final Plans – August 2023
- Construction is currently scheduled to begin in fall 2023.

# Questions?

*Comments are welcomed. If you have any concerns, or would like to request additional information, please contact the following individuals:*

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Comments can be sent by mail, email, or phone to either of the above individuals. A comment form is provided on the same webpage as this presentation

(<http://milltownvillage.com/>)

Comments regarding this project may be submitted until: June 7, 2023