

City of Superior Truck Routes

The Citizens of Northwest Wisconsin Request

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation conduct necessary traffic studies and research to designate an appropriate posted truck route north and south on US-2 for heavy truck through traffic in Superior, Wisconsin.

Background

Presently, a significant volume of heavy truck traffic is carried on Belknap Avenue and the Bong Bridge. This traffic has helped to speed up the deterioration of Belknap Street. With Belknap Street slated for a rebuilding and streetscape project over the 2017 and 2018 construction seasons, this presents an opportunity to designate and sign a new truck route for heavy truck traffic that will be using the Bong Bridge.

We Propose

- North (Minnesota) Bound traffic travels north on 2nd street, connects to downtown Superior on 3rd street before the ramp to the Blatnik Bridge, follows 3rd Street to Tower Avenue, travels west on Winter Street, follows to Susquehana Ave, and then enters the Bong Bridge from the approach off of Susquehana Ave.



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- South (Wisconsin) Bound traffic upon entering Wisconsin from the Bong Bridge takes the second roundabout exit to Garfield Avenue, travels Garfield Avenue to Winter Street, then proceeds east (right turn) to Tower Avenue, follows Tower Avenue north to 3rd Street, and travels 3rd street to 2nd Street / US-2.



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