Hello Everyone,

We will be paving the last layer of the asphalt pavement starting on Wednesday September 19th. Our schedule for paving is going to be two weeks, weather permitting.

This next section is important so please read carefully. The last and final layer of asphalt will be the riding surface that we will on for many years to come and therefore the placement of it will require more time to place and roll it. Afterward, it will need to cool enough so that traffic does not mar it and put ruts into it. This material is placed between 200 to 300 degrees and doesn't cool in 2-3 minutes. This is going to mean that traffic is going to have to wait longer, <u>possibly 10 minutes or more</u>, than they did on the lower layer. We ask businesses that have other means of access other than WI 67 to have employees and customers to use them during this time. For businesses that only have WI 67 as a means of access were are looking at ways to lessen the time that we are restricting access. We will be paving from Morrisey to the north end of the project (IH 43) on Saturday September 22^{md} starting early in the morning. This date is weather dependent and subject to change, but I will notify by email if it does. Once we get closer, I will be sending out daily emails with a proposed schedule of paving. The message boards are out there to remind everyone of the paving and delays / stopping and waiting. If people get to the flaggers, they will be instructed to use the other access as appropriate. If people coming and going to your businesses know ahead of time it may save everyone time and frustration. This may be a few days per area depending on length between side roads and other conditions.

This will be followed by a number of crews that will be working on the driveways, shoulders, paint lines, new signs and other safety measures.

If there is anyone that could benefit from this email please forward it to them or send me there email address if they wish.

If you have any questions please contact me. The best way is by email matthew.smith@dot.wi.gov .

Thank You,

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