



Notice of Public Meeting

Committee: Economic Development
Date: Thursday, April 14, 2022
Time: 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Location: Town of Buffalo, Town Hall - W387 South 35/54, Fountain City, WI 54629
Remote Access:

The meeting is open to the public, but portions of the meeting may be closed if this notice indicates that the committee may convene in closed session. The following matters may be considered and acted upon at the meeting, but deviations from the order shown may occur:

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call of Members
3. Public Comment Regarding Posted Agenda Items
4. Review/Discussion ~ Great River State Trail project updates
5. Adjournment.

Date: April 7, 2022

Max Weiss, Chair

By: Roxann M. Halverson, County Clerk

Board Members: If unable to attend, please contact the Chair. If the Chair is unavailable, please contact the County Clerk's Office at 608-685-6209. If the Chair and the County Clerk are not available, please call the Administrative Coordinator at 608-685-6234.

Persons with Disabilities: Buffalo County shall attempt to provide reasonable accommodations to the public for access to its public meetings, provided reasonable notice of special need is given. If you require special accommodations to attend this meeting, please contact the County Clerk's Office at 608-685-6209.

Public Access to the Courthouse: The South Entrance will be the only access to the building after 4:30 p.m.

Persons who are members of another governmental body, but who are not members of this committee, may attend this meeting. Their attendance could result in a quorum of another governmental body being present. Such a quorum is unintended, and they are not meeting to exercise the authority, duties, or responsibilities of any other governmental body.



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PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT MEETING NOTICE

RE: I.D. 7224-00-03
Town of Buffalo
Great River State Trail Extension
Winona Connector Phase II
Buffalo County

SEH No.: BUFFC163204

Project Manager: Tara L. Krista, PE

Date of Notice: 3/22/2022

The Buffalo County Economic Development Subcommittee, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, in conjunction with The Flyway Trail Board and Short Elliott Hendrickson, Inc., will hold a public involvement meeting at the date and time listed below. This project will extend the current terminus of the Great River State Trail and extend to the Town of Buffalo Park where it will link up with a section of trail that accesses the city of Winona, Minnesota.

The meeting will have an informal open house format. The informational meeting is meant to provide current project status and schedule information and provide the public an opportunity to review and comment on the proposed project. A short presentation will begin at 5:00 PM. Representatives from Short Elliott Hendrickson Inc and Buffalo County will be available to answer questions about the proposed scope of work.

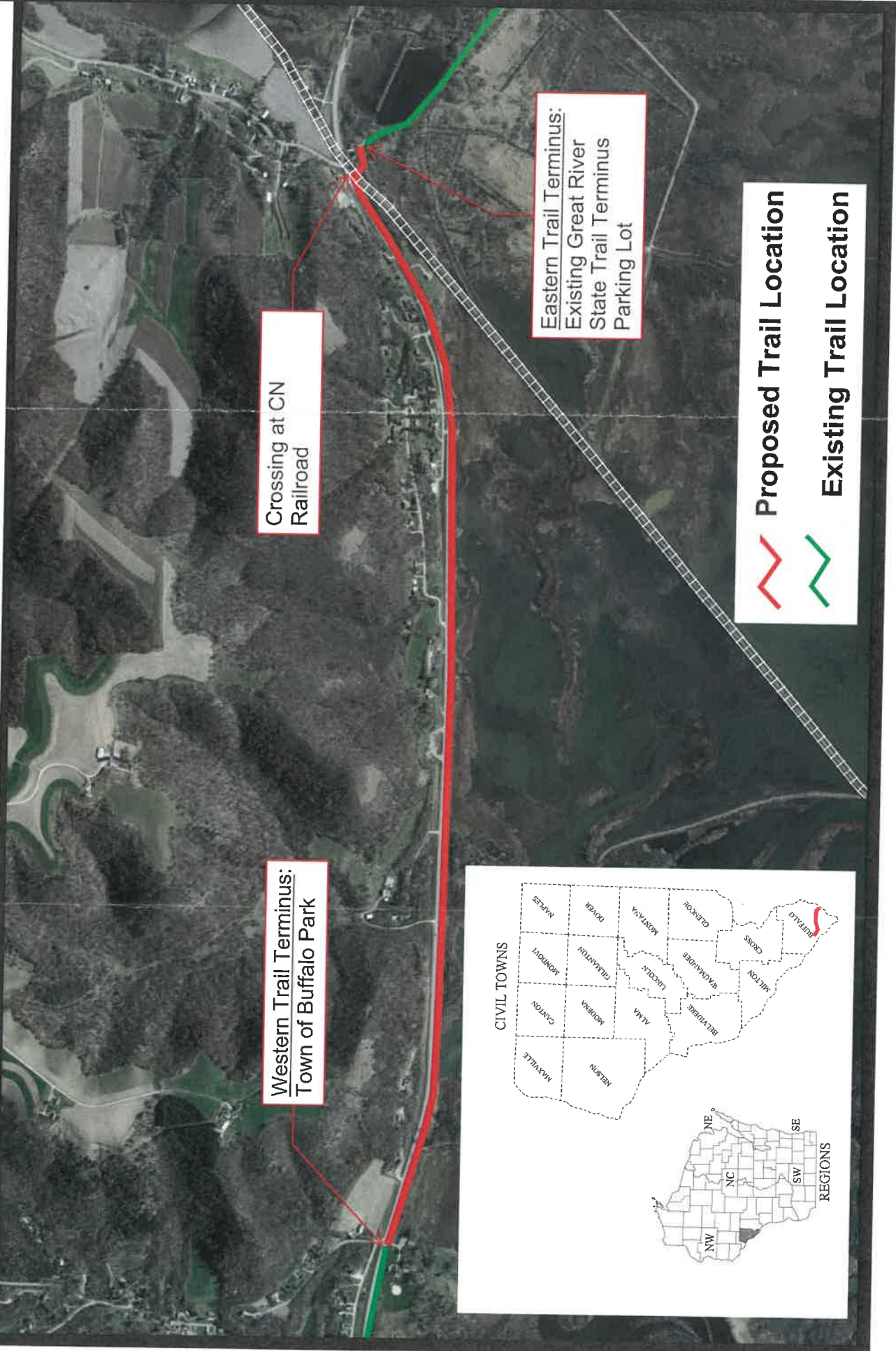
The project will impact lands within the Trempealeau National Wildlife Refuge and the Buffalo Town Park, both important public resources. Drawings and information will be available which describe the proposed impacts to these resources. Approximately 0.9 acres of Wildlife Refuge real-estate easement impacts are expected to be needed for trail construction, with temporary impacts to the Town Park also expected. The public is encouraged to attend and provide comment on the proposed trail design and its impacts.

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Your input is sincerely desired and we hope you are able to attend. For more information about the project or the informational meeting, please call the Project Manager, Tara Krista, at 715.577.3689 or email tkrista@sehinc.com. If unable to attend the meeting, please fill out the attached comment form. There is also an attached project location map for project reference.

All interested members of the public are invited to attend. The meeting site is handicapped accessible. Hearing impaired individuals may request special accommodations by calling Wisconsin Telecommunication Relay System (TTY) at 1.800.947.3529.

Great River State Trail Extension - Winona Connector Phase II Location Map



Crossing at CN
Railroad

Western Trail Terminus:
Town of Buffalo Park

Eastern Trail Terminus:
Existing Great River
State Trail Terminus
Parking Lot

Proposed Trail Location
Existing Trail Location

