

**COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE**  
Inter-office Communication

DATE: 12/27/2024

TO: Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

FROM: Donna Brown-Martin, Director, Department of Transportation

SUBJECT: From the Director, Department of Transportation providing an informational report regarding an update on the Reimagining Wisconsin 175 Project.

FILE TYPE: Informational Report

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**BACKGROUND**

The presentation will provide an update on the Reimagining Wisconsin 175 Project. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is undertaking a feasibility study to reimagine Wisconsin 175 from Wisconsin Avenue to Lisbon Avenue. Staff from Milwaukee County and the City of Milwaukee are working in partnership with WisDOT on this project. The project goals include increasing community connectivity for residents in the area, improve mobility and safety for all users of all transportation modes, address equity, environmental and social just impacts and enhance economic development throughout the corridor.

**ALIGNMENT TO STRATEGIC PLAN**

Describe how the item aligns to the strategic plan:

- 2A: Determine what, where, and how we deliver services to advance health equity.
- 2C: Apply a racial equity lens to all decisions.
- 3A: Invest “upstream” to address root causes of health disparities.
- 3C: Dismantle barriers to diverse and inclusive communities.

**RECOMMENDATION**

For informational purposes only unless otherwise directed.

**FISCAL EFFECT**

There is no fiscal effect.

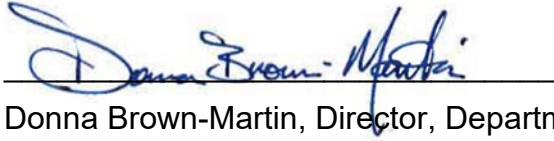
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