WCPA 2020
Concrete Pavement Conference

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Partnering with the industry

• Collaborating to deliver modern, high-quality infrastructure systems
  ▪ 3.7 million square yards of concrete poured in 2019
    ▪ 5-year average: 2.9 million
    ▪ I-39 and I-94 N/S projects contributed to higher totals
    ▪ Improved 474 miles of state highway as well as 395 state and local bridges
  ▪ Research to enhance quality
  ▪ Improving paving methods
Budget briefing

• $465 million
Modernizing for the 21st century

• Zoo Interchange
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• I-43 rebuild
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- I-41 expansion
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• WIS 15 restart
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- WIS 23 back on track
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• US 51 Stoughton to McFarland study restart
Looking ahead
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Growing demand

- 6.9 million registered vehicles
- 65.8 billion miles traveled
- Since 1975
  - Roadway miles grew less than 10 percent but...
  - Vehicle registrations up 115 percent
  - Vehicle miles traveled up 124 percent
Looking ahead
Solutions
WisDOT priorities

- Focus on efficiency and accountability
- Support public safety
- Connect with stakeholders and community
Thank you!