



Virtual Public Involvement & Engagement During COVID-19

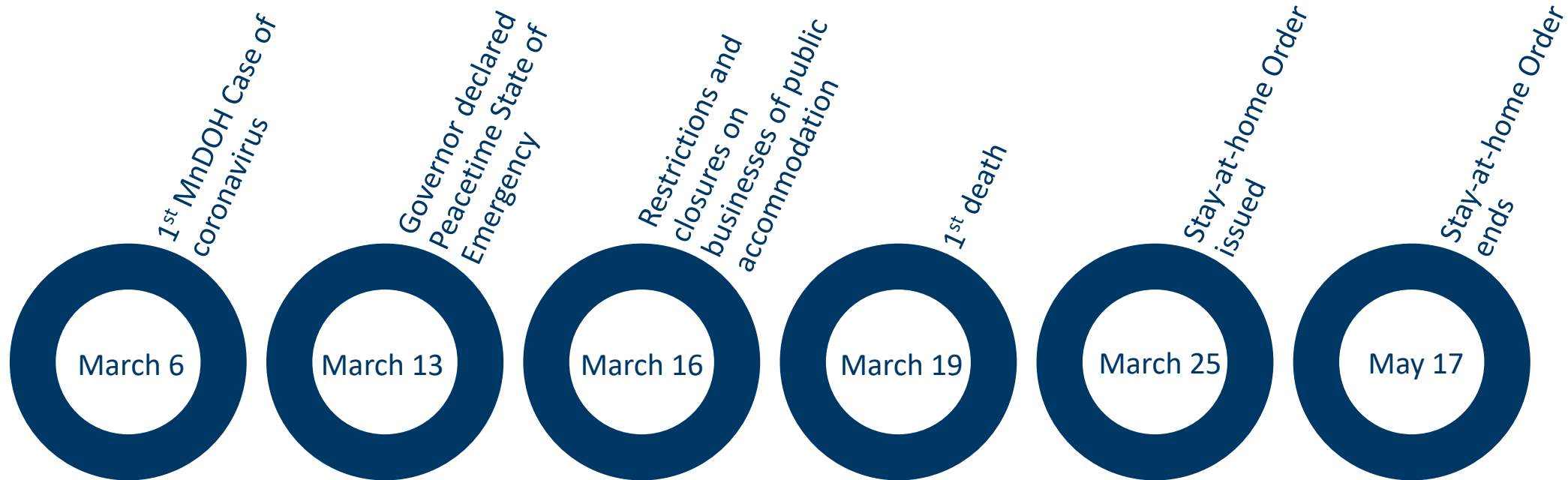
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HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS



Wash hands often



Stay home when sick



Wear a mask

(required in indoor settings)



Stay 6 feet apart

Tips for wearing masks or face coverings

Wearing a mask or face covering helps protect others in case you're infected but don't have symptoms. It is still important to keep 6 feet between people when you are out and to stay home when you are sick.

- Wash your hands before putting on your mask and after taking it off.
- Cover your nose and mouth and try to fit it snugly against the sides of your face.
- Keep the mask on your face the whole time you are out. Don't put the mask around your neck or on your forehead.
- Children younger than 2 years or anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unable to remove the mask without assistance should not wear a mask.
- Wash your mask after each time you wear it.
- Don't buy or wear surgical or N95 masks. Health care workers need to use these types of masks.

Get more information about masks from the [Minnesota Department of Health](https://www.health.state.mn.us/covid19/masks).

Image source from <https://mn.gov/covid19/>

Impacts to Projects

- How has COVID-19 impacted your project schedules?
- What modifications have you had to make?

Limitations / Challenges

- Types of limitations or challenges you've seen or experienced

Learn about:

- ✓ Potential solutions
- ✓ Timeline

- ✓ Project information

Virtual Open House

MnDOT is recommending alternatives to reroute Highway 67 in the area due to unstable roadway conditions. Join us for a virtual open house.

If you are unable to participate in the virtual open house and would like additional information, please contact MnDOT.



July 27–Aug 9, 2020

To learn more visit:

mndot.gov/d8/projects/hwy67granitefallstoecho

Learn about reroute recommendations, timeline and give your feedback.

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HWY 68
BETWEEN MINNEOTA
AND MARSHALL

Virtual Open House

Sept. 18 – Oct. 2, 2020

MnDOT is making improvements to approximately 11 miles of Highway 68 including drainage improvements and shoulder widening.

Learn about construction information, detour routes, project timeline and ask questions.

To participate visit
mndot.gov/d8/projects/hwy68minneotamarshall
on your computer, tablet or phone.



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1 We Want Your Feedback
Learn more about District 3's Freight Plan before you begin.

Welcome

What is This Planning Effort?
The Minnesota Department of Transportation in District 3 is developing a freight plan for Central Minnesota to analyze long-term freight needs of the region's transportation system. This includes highways, roads, railroads and air cargo.

[Click for Map of District 3](#) [Next](#)

2 Comment Map
3 Freight Priorities
4 Freight Issues
5 Wrap Up

District 3 covers central Minnesota, and includes the area within 12 counties: Benton, Cass, Crow Wing, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Sherburne, Stearns, Todd, Wadena, and Wright counties. The District also provides maintenance services in parts of Aitkin and Itasca counties.

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**Highway 23 South Gap
Reconstruction**

Welcome

Project Overview

Project Flythrough

Project Layout

Interactive Map

Comments and Contact

Welcome
MnDOT - Virtual Engagement

Thank you for your participation in our online engagement!
The entire session should take no more than 15 minutes to complete. We look forward to the new and improved features this project will bring to Highway 23.

How to Navigate
Use the navigation bar at the left of your screen to follow along or revisit any part of the meeting.

How to Participate
Click through all pages listed in the left column to learn more about the next steps of the reconstruction project.

PROVIDE COMMENT

Navigating Public Engagement

- What types of users are you engaging with?
- Are there new trends in public you are engaging with?
- How are you engaging with the public?

- Types of opportunities you've seen or experienced
- Are any of these going to be implemented long-term?

Thank You!

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