

Good morning Russell,

I am glad to hear that you and John Goeman are leading the charge to improve SD HWY 34 east of Madison to I-29 to a four lane road.

This is the highest traveled road leading to Madison we receive nearly all of our gasoline, diesel fuel, propane, fertilizer, crop protection products, seed and tires from HWY 34 east of Madison.

We run our trucks on 34 east going to the country and have found ourselves looking for alternative routes because the traffic is so heavy. Safety is our number one concern when traveling a farm to market route, as Don Woldt a Wentworth area farmer had a life damaging accident on HWY 34 east of Madison, high truck traffic was an issue.

I support the charge to improve 34 to a four lane from the Safety issue and I would be glad to assist you.

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