

Raccoon River Bridges Study Kick-Off Meeting Minutes

September 24, 2024

2pm -3:30 pm

Attendees:

Jason Schlickbernd, Brian Hemesath, and Tom Hadden with City of West Des Moines, and Eva Moritz and Brad Hopkey with Foth Infrastructure & Environment

- Provided Tom H with an overview of the scope contained in our PSA.
- Tom's questions focused on where the potential development will likely happen south of Raccoon River
 - Brian anticipates that the most likely area to develop first will be about ½ mile north of Veteran's Pkway up to the river.
 - Brian's comments are based on previous inquiries from potential developers
- Brief discussion on logical termini locations for any potential alignment alternatives.
 - North limits will be Grand Ave both west & east of I-35.
 - South limits will be Maffitt Lake Rd west of I-35 and Army Post Rd east of I-35.
- City asked us to consider the development of a cost matrix as potential alignment alternatives are developed.