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Increased Safety Measures Coming to Highway 23

Madison... Today State Representative Jon Plumer (R-Lodi) announced that there will officially be additional safety measures put in place on State Highway 23 near Briggsville encouraging drivers to be more cautious and slow down as they enter into a “reduced speed” area. This change comes after a constituent reached out about safety concerns he had related to the bend on State Highway 23 near Briggsville. Rep. Plumer reached out to the Department of Transportation (DOT) and encouraged them to implement additional safety measures to encourage drivers to be more cautious.

Rep. Plumer is pleased to announce that this advocacy has resulted in tangible change. The DOT will be installing flags on the Reduced Speed Ahead signs as well as signs on the left side of the road in both the eastbound and westbound directions outside Briggsville. The North Central Region will also look into getting these locations on the list for having a trailer mounted speed board set up for a period of time in the future.

Rep. Plumer released the following statement: *“It was brought to my attention this winter that there was a legitimate safety concern on Highway 23. After reaching out to DOT and local law enforcement, it became clear that something must be done. For the citizens who live and work in Marquette and Green Lake Counties, this is a main thoroughfare that is used on a daily basis. People driving to work and bringing their children to school, along with the residents of the Briggsville area expect a safe road with quality signage. Installing these critical additional safety measures will help protect fellow citizens, pedestrians, and drivers in this area. I am grateful for the concerned citizens who brought this to my attention and am pleased that we could do something to help.”*

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