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**West Becher Street Bridge Over the Kinnickinnic River Scheduled
For Rehabilitation Beginning May 4, 2015**
Project to continue until November 2015

The City of Milwaukee Department of Public Works (DPW) announces traffic restrictions on the Becher Street Bridge over the Kinnickinnic River between South 1st and South 4th streets beginning May 4, 2015. Bridge work is expected to be completed by November 2015, weather permitting.

One lane of traffic will remain open in each direction over the bridge during construction. The bridge will continue to be the major detour route for Milwaukee County Transit System “Flyers” #40, #43, and #46 from the south side to Downtown Milwaukee until the Hoan Bridge project is complete.

Work on the Becher Street bridge includes replacing the existing bridge deck with a new concrete deck, replacing the existing steel railing with a new aluminum railing, replacing the bearing assemblies for the steel girders, and sandblasting and painting the bridge.

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