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**STATEMENT OF WAUKESHA COUNTY EXECUTIVE DAN VRAKAS IN RESPONSE
TO THE PARTIAL CLOSURE OF ZOO INTERCHANGE**

WAUKESHA, Wis. – Waukesha County Executive Dan Vrakas issued the following statement in response to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation’s announcement today that the northbound bridge through the Zoo Interchange will be closed until Memorial Day.

“Today’s announcement that a portion of the Zoo Interchange will be closed until Memorial Day could have been prevented. It is outrageous that it has come to this point. This decision from Governor Doyle’s Administration is the result of politics, raiding of the state’s transportation fund, and the lack of priority given to the busiest interchange in the state. As County Executive, I will continue to be a strong advocate for the reconstruction of this interchange that connects people to jobs and is a major contributor to economic growth in our region.”

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