



Waukesha County Department of Parks and Land Use

Exterior Signage Upgrades at Waukesha County Government Center Frequently Asked Questions

Fast Facts About the Project

Waukesha County will be upgrading the exterior identification and directional signage around the Government Center campus. The project includes twenty-six new signs around the Administration Center, the Courthouse, the Jail/Law Enforcement Center, the Health and Human Services Center, the Mental Health Center, and the Juvenile Center. The signs will replace outdated signs that were originally installed in the mid 1990's.

Why does the County need to upgrade the signs?

Many of the existing signs on the Government Center campus are in a state of disrepair and are difficult and expensive to maintain. Much of the text on the signs is outdated and no longer accurate due to facility changes and new building construction. The new sign style is complimentary of recent building additions and landscaping upgrades around the Government Center.

What materials will the signs be made from?

The signs will be constructed of durable heavy-gauge aluminum. All text will be created with routed aluminum and push-through acrylic. The bases on the larger monument signs will have a locally-sourced lannon stone veneer that compliments the architecture on several of the existing Government Center buildings.

Will the signs be illuminated?

All of the signs that function as directional or identification signage for buildings or facilities that serve the public after dark will be illuminated with interior LED lighting technology. This technology provides a low maintenance and cost effective lighting solution.

When will the signs be installed?

The schedule calls for all of the signs to be installed by early fall of 2013.

How will the signs be paid for?

County operational funds have been budgeted for the project.

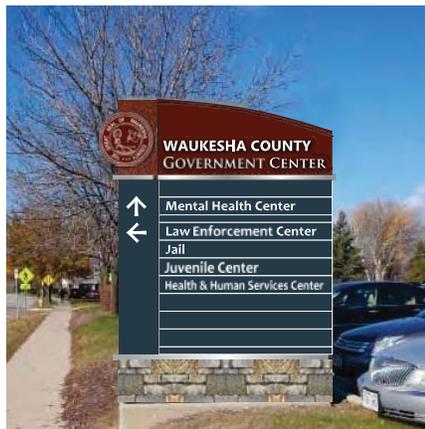
Will the signs be easily updated?

The majority of the signs include removable text panels that can be replaced and updated as necessary without the need to change the entire sign.

Current Sign



New Sign



Where can I find more information about this project?

Updates will be posted on the Waukesha County Parks and Land Use website at www.waukeshacountyparks.com. For questions or comments, you can call Waukesha County Park System at **(262) 548-7803**.