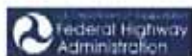


Draft Environmental Impact Statement for

Trunk Highway 23 and U.S. Highway 71

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**DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT
for
TRUNK HIGHWAY 23 and U.S. HIGHWAY 71**

State Project Number: S.P. 3412-70
3.5 Mile combined Trunk and U.S. Highway segments in Dovre Township, northeast of Willmar
County: Kandiyohi, MN

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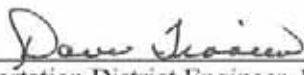
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Abstract:

The proposed action includes the construction of one or more grade-separated bridge crossings of Trunk Highway 23 and U.S. Highway 71. Access management improvements will include street, driveway and median closures. Connecting adjacent frontage road and local roadway improvements will also be constructed as part of the proposed action.

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