

Major

Recommendations

Catalytic Projects: Valley Connections

Objective: Create a new series of multi-modal connections that further weaves the Valley into the urban grid and its adjacent neighborhoods. New and improved connections activate previously under-utilized Valley areas.

Strategies & Recommendations:

- Construct a bike and pedestrian span linking the grounds of the Harley-Davidson Museum with the grounds south of the MMSD and effectively joining the Reed Street Yards and Walker's Point with the Harley-Davidson Museum campus and the Valley's proposed east end manufacturing and FaB cluster.
- A new Mt. Vernon right-of-way will activate underserved acreage at 260 N. 12th and Petit Point and create a new market for desirable industrial space between St. Paul Avenue and the Menomonee River.
- A similar street can be established around the We Energies Valley plant creating easy Canal Street access for three redevelopment areas west, south, and east of the Valley plant.
- Use the future I-94 East-West reconstruction project to connect the 27th Street viaduct to Canal Street via an extension off of the viaduct down to the Canal and 25th Street roundabout.
- A riverwalk can be constructed along the northern and southern span of the Menomonee River from Petit Point west to the Canal Street roundabout to link up to the existing Hank Aaron State Trail.



Rendering of potential Menomonee Valley connections between the 6th and 16th Street viaducts



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