

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Area leaders seek interchange funding support

To the Editor:

As representatives of Dayton, Hassan Township and Rogers, we have been working together, along with many others, to develop and build an interchange at Brockton Lane at I-94.

We are extremely disappointed that the legislation to create a Dayton/Hassan Tax Increment Finance (TIF) district to fund the Brockton Interchange was not passed in this legislative session, even though the language was included in both the House and Senate tax bills, and was supported by the Governor.

However, we strongly believe that our residents and communities will greatly benefit from an interchange at Brockton Lane and I-94, and

are committed to moving forward with the project. This project will undoubtedly decrease traffic congestion, improve safety, and spur significant economic development opportunities in our region. We continue to support the Brockton Interchange and feel it will improve the quality of life for the citizens in our communities.

We appreciate the partnership our communities have developed with The Beard Group and Stone's Throw Development, the I-94 Chamber of Commerce and so many other supportive business and individuals, and we want everyone to know that we are committed to finding a way to make this critical project happen.

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Hassan