Step 1: Risk Identification							Step 2: Risk Assessment						Step 3: Risk Response			Step 4: Monitor & Control		
							Rank			Cost Impact (\$M) Schedule Impact								
#	Category	Phase	Opportunity / Threat	Risk Name	Detailed Description	Probability (1 - 5)	Consequence (1-5)	Severity (Priority)	Probability (%)	Most Likely Cost (\$M)	Most Likely (no. of weeks)	(H/5)*K*M	Response Category	Response	Risk Owner	Status	Date Last Updated	I racking Comments
7	Cultural Resources	Design	Threat	Veterans Memorial	Placement of the Veterans Memorial conflicts with the roundabout at Rice Lake Rd/Martin Rd.	1	4	4	0%	\$0	3	\$0	Avoid	Site is under construction which will allow the county to determine actual impacts and design trail and roads to avoid conflict. Install fencing around monument to avoid damage.	County - Vic	Retired (Complete)	12/12/23	Veteran's built and placed outside of existing and new road ROW
16	Environmental	Design	Threat	Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW)	It is determined that the project must prepare an EAW.	1	3	3	100%	\$200,000	0	\$40,000	Accept	Communicating with MnDOT EO and FHWA to discuss the scope of project and necessary environmental reviews. Complete necessary environmental during project design and engineering	County - Carol	Active (Ongoing)	04/18/24	Met with Derek Fredrickson, MnDOT and went through the decision tree. MnDOT reviewed decision tree with FHWA ands received email assessment based on project scope is Non-Programmatic CATEX Long Form. Decision tree attached to RAISE grant. Long form to be completed in next phase. Functional work group set up with standing meetings with the State Aide Office. With project receiving federal funds for the trails, the threatened and endangered species and cultural resources review can begin.
45	Environmental	Design	Threat	Endanger or Threatened	Discovery of endangered or threatened species causes delay during construction or adjustment of methods	1	1	1	50%	\$50,000	4	\$5,000	Avoid	Conduct review of known endangered or threatened species during project planning; inform contractor of necessary avoidance measures.	County - Carol	Active (Ongoing)	04/18/24	Reviewed database and not endangered or threatened species identified. Will do more work in next phase. With project receiving federal funds for the trails, the threatened and endangered species review can begin. County also considering doing a bat survey.
11	Environmental	Design	Threat	Impact to Section 4(f) Lands	The new Veteran's Memorial Park be classified as a Section 4(f) land that cannot be disturbed by the project.	1	5	5	10%	\$25,000	26	\$500	Avoid	Check with FHWA on their position; plan to avoid property acquisition or disturbing the site during construction. Part of the MnDOT, FHWA meeting in fall 2023	County - Carol	Retired (Complete	04/18/24	Built on private land and believed to not be a 4(f) site. Steve indicates his assessment is that it is not 4(f) resource. With project receiving federal funds for the trails, the cultural resources review can begin to confirm initial assessment. Can discuss at next State Aide consultation meeting.
4	n Funding	Design	Threat	Project Funding Level	Project obtains less than 80% of the project cost in Federal funding (underfunded) or none of the project funding	1	5	5	50%	\$1,000,000	52	\$100,000	Mitigate	Break the project up into several phase. County continues to pursue other funding sources. County defers other projects	County - Vic	Active (Ongoing)	04/18/24	County actively working to develop a robust and competitive application. RAISE Grant application submitted. County received first federal funding for the project for the trails component. This will assist in leveraging additional funds
8	Geotechn ical/Mater ials	Design	Threat	City Street Connector	Additional unsuitable soils discovered at the preferred location of the city street connecting West Calvary Rd and Martin Rd. (assuming discovery at design)	4	5	20	50%	\$200,000	0	\$80,000	Avoid	Perform geotechnical review during design.	County - Vic	Active (Ongoing)	12/12/23	Engineering team aware of poor soils, \$1.2M built into project budget for muck removal.
5	Organizati onal	Design	Threat	City Ownership of New Streets	City of Rice Lake does not take over ownership of new city streets constructed as part of the project.	1	3	3	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Avoid	Negotiate and execute cooperative agreement prior to construction	County - Vic City - Toni	Dormant (Not Started)		
46	Organizational	Design	Threat	Tax Forfeiture Land	Inability to sell or dispose of the Tax Forfeiture land (for legal, policy, state legislature inaction etc) means the area isn't planned and developed	1	4	4	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Accept	Issue won't be resolved prior to RAISE application, however it is expected that at some point the land will be sold or transferred for development; assume development as guided/zoned by the current city plans. If the road isn't built, it would decrease project cost but not necessarily impact future development	County - Vic	Dormant (Not Started)	12/12/23	Study area include developable land; of which is in tax forfieted area. There is plenty of land within the study area that is already receiving interest that will be available to develop aside from the tax forfeiture land to give the county and city time to develop a plan for future development
21	Public	Design	Both	Context sensitive solutions	Local Community (stakeholders or general public) may advocate strongly for a change in design to match their community goals, habits, or comfortability.	1	2	2	10%	\$40,000	4	\$800	Avoid	Community engagement and communications well before construction so people are informed about the project, goals, timelines etc	ounty - Vic	Active Ongoing)	12/12/23	Robust engagement in 2023 documented including efforts and public comments and concerns. We'll continue to engage the public, especially adjacent
10	Public	Design	Threat	City Municipal Consent	St. Louis County is not able to obtain municipal consent or public support for the project.	1	5	5	10%	\$50,000	12	\$1,000	Avoid	Community engagement and communications well before construction so people are informed about the project, goals, timelines etc	County - Vic Cou	Dormant A (Not (Or	04/18/24	property owners during design and engineering.  Not actively negotiating an agreement but engaging the city on design and long term plans. Received joint resolutions of support from the city of Rice Lake as a partner on the project.
26	Public	Design	Threat	Low response to outreach efforts	The RAISE grant application depends heavily on public participation. If, depite our efforts, we are unsuccessful at garnering public input, the application may score poorly.	2	2	4	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Avoid	Community engagement and communications well before construction so people are informed about the project, goals, timelines etcDocument	County -	Retired Complete)	12/12/23	Robust engagement in 2023 documented including efforts and public comments and concerns.
43	Public	Design	Threat	Property owner or group sues	Property owner, business or community group sues to stop the project over concerns about impact	1	3	3	0%	\$100,000	52	\$0	Avoid	engagement we are doing  Community engagement and communications well before construction so people are informed about the project, goals, timelines etc; Proactively reach out to affected property owners early in the process to identify potential issues and resolve prior to construction.	County - Vic	Not Started (C	12/12/23	Robust engagement of property owners, businesses and developers indicates that they are generally supportive of the project.
1	R/W-Utilities- RR	Design	Threat	Condemnation to Acquire Right-of-Way	Property owners refuse to sell ROW/easements or title issues for trail, utulities or roadway resulting in the need to file for condemnation Condemnation proceedings required to acquire right-of-way due to disagreement which will increase the time required to prepare the There are many underground utilities on the corner of	5	4	20	75%	\$100,000	26	\$75,000	Avoid	Start due diligence on the properties during project planning to identify any potential issues and develop a mitigation strategy. Build schedule and ROW budget to include funds to address issues.	- County - Lance	Not Started	12/23/23	\$750,000 ROW budget includes
31	R/W- Utilities- RR	n Design	Threat	Underground utilities	Rice Lake and Martin Rds. This intersection also has a lot of ledge rock thus hindering the ability to move utilities out of the ROW	3	4	12	30%	\$100,000	0	\$18,000	Avoid	Conduct utility locate as well as soil samples as part of final design; redesign if necessary before going to bid	County -	Not d Started		
15	Regulat	Design	Threat	Airport Restrictions	Airport restrictions impact construction phasing.	1	2	2	0%	\$0	4	\$0	Avoid	Address through the design process	Vic County Vic	Not 3) Started		
28	Traffic	Design	Threat	Private access to road	Eliminating current accesses to properties may frustrate property owners and the public but new accesses can open new development opportunities	3	1	3	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Avoid	Community engagement and communications well before construction so people are informed about the project, goals, timelines etc	County - V	Active (Ongoing)		Robust engagement of property owners, businesses and developers indicates that they are generally supportive of the project.
24	Organizatio nal	Design	y Threat	Unprepared at application deadline	If we do not budget time properly, and collaborators do not make their individual deadlines, we could be underprepared at the RAISE Grant Application Deadline or miss it completely.	1	4	4	0%	\$75,000	52	\$0	Avoid	Maintain collaboration between county and consultant.  Issue won't be resolved prior to RAISE	ren County - C	Retired (Complete)	04/18/24	Actively managing grant application requirements and deliverables. Masterial prepared and final draft submitted 2/26/24.
23	Organizations	on Design	y Opportunity	Ability to reference Tax- Forfeit Lands	If County Land & Minerals department determines how Tax-Forfeit Lands may be used, we could include plans for them in the grant application to bolster it.	1	-2	-2	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Accept	Issue won't be resolved prior to RAISE application, however it is expected that at some point the land will be sold or transferred for development; assume development as guided/zoned by the current city plans	County - Darre	Retired (Complete)	12/12/23	development to occur while the county and city develop plans for the tax forfeited land.  Construction cost estimate includes floating trail
37	tion Bridge	tion Construction	t Opportunity	Trail bridges	In wet areas, using floating trail bridge creates less environmental impacts but could be more costly. If it discovered during construction that it won't work, would require time and money to redesign	2	-2	-4	10%	\$100,000	12	\$4,000	t Avoid	Perform geotechnical review during design.  Project will rely on thorough design and	Vic County - Vic	Active (Ongoing)		bridge, which is more expensive than traditional trail construction. Would result in potential wetland impacts that would need to be assessed and mitigated, but likely to be lower cost than the floating bridge.
13	Construct	Construct	Threat	Inflation of Construction Costs	Actual construction costs are significantly higher than estimated (change orders).	2	3	6	100%	\$2,000,000	6	\$800,000	Accept	construction engineering to minimize the risk.  The CIP will denote a contingency amount to cover cost overuns.	County -	Not Starte		If costs exceeded estimate, county would defer other smaller projects; cost risk here reflects inflation to other projects.
14	n Construction	n Construction	Threat	County Construction Inspection	Can the County provide adequate construction inspection for this project without negatively affecting other construction projects occurring during the same time period?	1	2	2	10%	\$200,000	0	\$4,000	Mitigate	County does staff assessment 6 months prior to construction and supplement need with consultant for inspection services as necessary; allocate inspection staff to this project and hire consultant for other smaller projects	County - Steve	Not Started		If insufficient county staff, the county would hire consultanting inspection services for other projects in order to allocate adequate county staff to this project.
18	n Construction	on Construction	Both	Construction impact to residential and business access.	Maintaining access to businesses and residents during construction.	5	2	10	20%	\$100,000	2	\$20,000	Mitigate	Provide construction phasing to maintain access to businesses and residents.	eve Steve	Active (Ongoing)	12/12/23	\$915K included in cost estimate for traffic control and access management in baseline cost estimate
30	icti Constructior	ıcti Construction	t Threat	Construction delays	Do to the high traffic volume in this corridor, construction delays have major impacts on public, interrupted services or access due to large trucks being re-reouted.  If the construction quality does not meet our standards	5	5	25	20%	\$150,000	4	\$30,000	Mitigate	Provide construction phasing to maintain access to businesses and residents.  Ensure inspection and QA/QC staff onsite to	County - Stev	Active d (Ongoing)	12/12/23	\$915K included in cost estimate for traffic control and access management in baseline cost estimate
35	Construc	Constru	Threat	Quality of construction not meeting standards	If the construction quality does not meet our standards and/or specifications, results in remove and replace proposed improvements	1	5	5		\$0	8	\$0	Avoid	Ensure inspection and QA/QC staff onsite to monitor work against specs; address NCRs in timely manner  Strategic bid letting to get favorable bids, Modify	County	Not Started		
38	Construction	u Construction	t Threat	Construction materials	There is a cost increase or lack of availability of materials resulting in higher bids	2	4	8	100%	\$2,000,000	0	\$800,000	Mitigate	choice of materials during design; 'Project will rely on through design engineering and cost estimating to minimize the risk, which currently has 20% contigency. The County's CIP will denote a contingency amount to cover cost overuns.	County - Vic	Active (Ongoing)		Project cost estimate currently has 20% contingency built into it
39	Construction	Constri	Threat	Contractor staffing	Contractor experiences delays due to insufficient staffing to build the project, (after contract is signed)	1	4	4	50%	\$1,000,000	52	\$100,000	Transf	Contrator assumes risk  Through rigorous engagement with stakeholders	Contra	Not ig) Starte d		
44	Construction	Construction	Threat	Coordination with private development	Property adjacent to the planned improvements starts construction at same time requiring coordination and maintaining access for construction equipment and supplies	3	2	6	20%	\$100,000	2	\$12,000	Mitigate	we identify during the design process. If private development occurs during construction, would try to accommodate as much as possible within the staging plan, but developer may need to assume some delay	County - Vic	Active (Ongoing	12/12/23	\$915K included in cost estimate for traffic control and access management in baseline cost estimate
41	e Construction	ti Construction	Threat	Construction bids	The county does not receive any bids for construction resulting in a 1 year delay of construction to rebid	1	5	5	50%	\$2,000,000	52	\$200,000	Avoid	County will engage with potential contractors during the project development process. Hold contractor open house to provide high level information about the project; provide opportunity for contractors to meet subs, DBEs	County - Vic	y) Not Started		
3	Cultural Resource s	t Constructi	Threat	Sensitive Culural Resources	Discovery of sensitive cultural resources within the project limits.	1	5	5	50%	\$100,000	52	\$10,000	Avoid	Conduct review of known cultural resources during project planning; inform contractor of necessary avoidance measures.	County -	Active (Ongoing)	04/18/24	With project receiving federal funds for the trails, the threatened and endangered species and cultural resources review can begin.
12	R/W- Utilities- RR	Construct	Threat	Relcation of Utilities	Highly sensitive utilities are found to be in conflict with the project and must be relocated.	2	4	8	10%	\$0	12	\$0	Avoid	Robust utility coordination process	County -	Not Started		
2	tor Regulat ory	ucti Constru	t Threat	Wetland Permitting	Unable to obtain all wetland permits for the preferred project layout and design.	2	3	6	50%	\$100,000	26	\$20,000	Avoid	Early engagement with the regulatory agencies to ensure we don't have a flawed design	/ - County	Active (Ongoin g)		Carol and Sam are identifying permits needed and when they are needed
6	Regulato y	ctid Constr	Threat	Contaminated Materials	Discovery of contaminated materials within the project limits.	2	3	6	50%	\$100,000	26	\$20,000	Avoid	Conduct soil testing during design/engineering	- County	Active g) (Ongoing	12/12/23	County staff researched; no known contaminants within construction limits. Avoiding landfill site
20	o Regulator	iq Construct	Threat	Regulatory delay	Delays in permitting due to slow action by regulating agencies or new unforseen permitting requirements.	3	4	12	0%	\$0	26	\$0	Mitigate	Build some time into the schedule; develop schedule to initiate permitting process early	County -	Active (Ongoing)	12/12/23	Carol and Sam are identifying permits needed and when they are needed, Carol will track environmental and Vic will track constructed
25	Organizatio nal	Construction	Threat	Losing critical staff at crucial point of the project	A loss of any critical teammembers would cause a loss of momentum. Their work may need to be redone or a qualified replacement may take time to find, delaying their portion of the project.	1	3	3	75%	\$250,000	52	\$37,500	Avoid	Ensure document control and file sharing; ensure critical participants have several people working on and familiar with the project.	County - Vic	Not Started		
19	al Funding	es ROW-Utilit	Both	Agency partner funding.	Project agency partners/utility owners are not able to acquire any needed funding to complete work concurrent	1	2	2	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Transfer	Utilities outside of project scope; if unable to secure funding, county coordinates with those agencies to minimize and avoid impacts to constructed improvements.  Commissioner for this area up for election in fall	City's, Utility c companie	-	12/12/23	Vic talking with project partners about utilities
36	Organization	ROW-Utilities	Threat	Elections	Change in county board composition results in change in priorities or support for the project	1	1	1	0%	\$0	0	\$0	Accept	Commissioner for this area up for election in fall 2024, unlikely; Monitor and keep team informed of any changes. If there is change at county board level, be sure to brief that individual on the project as soon as possible	County - Vic	Not Started		