

Section 9 Cassville



Distance: 18.4 miles from Bagley to Cassville. 16.0 miles from Cassville to Potosi. 28.7 miles from map matchline to map matchline.

Note: Cassville Ferry connection to Iowa and eventually Dubuque via North Buena Vista and Iowa's MRT Route. See additional ferry information under Route Travel Conditions below.

Difficulty: Hilly terrain continues throughout this map panel. A significant climb exists for southbound riders just south of Bagley. Bicyclists continue on the highland plateau for about 12 miles. Northbound riders will experience the climb 6 miles to the north of Cassville. WIS 133 and Irish Rdige Rd. (east and south of Cassville) is hilly, but generally follows a ridge from Cassville to just west of Potosi.

Route Travel Conditions: Due to low traffic volumes on Counnty Highways A, V V and WIS 133, almost the entire route on this panel is considered to be in the best category for cycling. The Cassville Ferry provides a seasonal crossing of the Mississippi River to Turkey River, Iowa, and eventually the Iowa Great River Road/Mississippi River Trail. Bicyclists have a series of lower volume highways in Iowa for a connection into Dubuque (see Iowa DOT Bicycle Transportation Map). This is the only river crossing opportunity into Iowa between Prairie Du Chien and Dubuque. Summer service is offered 9am to 9pm, but is not offered every day. More limited service (Friday to Sunday) is provided May, September and October. Call (608) 725-5180.

Directions: Southbound: From Bagley take County A for 4.7 miles to County VV. Turn right or south on County VV. Continue on County VV for 13.1 miles to WIS 133. Right on WIS 133 for 0.6 miles to intersection of WIS 81 in Cassville. Continue on WIS 133 for 4.2 miles. Right on Far Nuff Road for 0.7 miles. Left on Irish Ridge Road for 4.0 miles. Left on County N for 1.0 mile. Right on WIS 133 for 3.0 miles to map matchline or 6.1 miles to Potosi.

Northbound: From map match-line continue on WIS 133 for 3.0 miles. Left on County N for 1.0 mile. Right on Irish Ridge Road for 4.0 miles. Right on Far Nuff Road for 0.7 miles. Left on WIS 133 for 4.2 miles to intersection of WIS 81 in Cassville. Continue for 0.6 miles to County VV. Turn left (to northwest) on County VV for 13.1 miles to County A. Turn left or west on County A. Continue on County A for 4.7 miles to Bagley.