



Earth, Wind and Trains

The Wieser Concrete plant in Portage, Wisc. has been hard at work since August 2023 pouring precast modular retaining T-Wall® panels destined for Chicago, Ill.

The Chicago Region Environmental and Transportation Efficiency (CREATE) Program is a partnership between the U.S. Department of Transportation, State of Illinois, city and county agencies, Metra and Amtrak to improve passenger and freight rail infrastructure. The panels produced by Wieser Concrete are part of the 75th Street Corridor Improvement Project (CIP), and the Forest Hill Flyover and 71st Street Grade Separation phase, portions of a multi-million dollar project to improve road-rail grade separation and traffic transition along two passenger and four freight rail lines. The daily trains affected include 90 freight trains, 30 Metra trains and two Amtrak trains.

The 75th Street CIP is 189,167 SQFT with a total of 4,419 panels. As of 4/25 Wieser Concrete has produced 3,150 panels. At the height of production, 25 panels were produced per day. The panels range in size from 8' to 32' in length and weigh up to 22,500 pounds.

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CRANE TRAINING

Drivers from 5 different Wieser locations participated in a Crane Operators training conducted by Overton Safety Training Company. The week long sessions were held at Wieser Concrete’s facility in Maiden Rock, Wisc. The National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO) Certification is granted to individuals who pass the written examination, pass the practical examination and written specialty examination which include Lattice Boom Cranes, Telescopic Boom Cranes-Swing Cab/ or Fixed Cab.

The safety training was designed by experts from all aspects of the crane industry — crane operators, crane users, trainers, safety supervisors, manufacturers who together represent many thousands of hours of crane-related experience.



(L-R) Andy W, Todd H, Darrell S, Curt K, Justin H, Chris J, Lucas W, Shawn D, Paul B, Shawn E, Ryan G, Jared H, Jason B.



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CAD/Project Manager, Production Personnel, Welder Fabricator, Loader Operator, Boom Truck Driver (CDL)

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