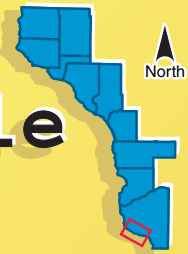




\* Below is an elevation view of the route. Horizontal lines represent 100 feet in elevation change and correspond to the elevation of that point on the route. Vertical lines represent 1 mile distances along route.

# Section 9 Cassville



**Distance:** 19 miles from Bagley to Cassville. 18 miles from Cassville to Potosi. 35 miles from map matchline to map matchline.

**Note:** Cassville Ferry connection to Iowa and eventually Dubuque.

**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. STH 133 (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 County Highways A and VV and STH 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. 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. Daily summer service is offered 9am to 9pm. More limited service (Friday to Sunday) is provided May, Sept., and October. 608-725-5180

**Directions:** *Southbound:* From Bagley take County Highway A for 6 miles to County Highway VV. Turn right or south on Highway VV. Continue on VV for 15 miles to STH 133. Right on STH 133 through Cassville. Continue on STH 133 for 17 miles to map matchline. *Northbound:* From map matchline continue on STH 133 for 17 miles through Cassville to County Highway VV. Turn left (to northwest) on Highway VV for 15 miles to Highway A. Turn left or west on Highway A. Continue on Highway A for two miles to map matchline or 6 miles to Bagley.

**Traffic Conditions**

- Town Roads
- Best Conditions for Bicycling
- Moderate Conditions for Bicycling
- Wide Paved Shoulders with Higher Volumes
- High Volume; Undesirable Conditions
- Off-Road Trail Symbolism
- Bicyclists Prohibited or Not Recommended

**Note: download the full legend for details**

**Trail Symbols**

- Great River Trail Route
- Alternate Trail Route



Section Start/Finish Line (Matchline)

