



**CITY OF THE DALLES**  
Department of Public Works  
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## PRESS RELEASE

**DATE:** June 13, 2022

**TOPIC:** 2022 Pavement Preservation Projects

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**FOR RELEASE:** IMMEDIATELY

The week of June 20, 2022, City crews and contractors will begin work on several pavement preservation projects. **These chip seal projects will require short duration road closures between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at each location on the date the work is scheduled to take place. Detours will be in place during work hours.**

### Work scheduled for Tuesday June 21, 2022:

STREET	BEGIN	END
Webber St.	W. 10 <sup>th</sup> St.	W. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
W. 11 <sup>th</sup> St.	Blakely Dr.	Blakely Way
W. 18 <sup>th</sup> St.	Bridge St.	Mt. Hood St.
W. 14 <sup>th</sup> St.	Mt. Hood St.	Union St.
E. 13 <sup>th</sup> St.	Short St.	Laughlin St.
W. 7 <sup>th</sup> St.	Lincoln St.	Trevitt St.
W. 4 <sup>th</sup> St.	W. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Pl.	Union St.
W. 3 <sup>rd</sup> St.	W. 4 <sup>th</sup> St.	Lincoln St.

### Work scheduled for Wednesday June 22, 2022:

STREET	BEGIN	END
Jefferson St.	E. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.	E. 1 <sup>st</sup> St.
Court St.	E. 5 <sup>th</sup> St.	E. 3 <sup>rd</sup> St.
4 <sup>th</sup> St. Grade	Jefferson St.	E. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.
E. 4 <sup>th</sup> St.	Union St.	Washington St.
Dry Hollow Rd.	E. 16 <sup>th</sup> St.	E. 9 <sup>th</sup> St.
E. Scenic Dr.	Jefferson St.	Esther Way

### Work scheduled for Thursday June 23, 2022:

STREET	BEGIN	END
E. Scenic Dr.	Jefferson St.	Esther Way
Old Dufur Rd.	Thompson St.	Fremont St.
E. Knoll Dr.	Columbia View Dr.	Summit Ridge Dr.
E. Knoll Ct.	E. Knoll Dr.	Cul de sac

**CHIP SEAL** - Is the application of a special protective wearing surface to an existing pavement. A thin layer of liquid asphalt is sprayed down in front of the chip spreader by a distributor. A dump truck full of chips (crushed rock) locks onto a chip spreader which is pulled backwards. The chips spread over the liquid asphalt are then compacted by rollers.

**Chip seal projects may require a total lane closure for a day.**

Equipment is slow moving and must cover the same area multiple times. Once the crew has left the work area, the rock is left on the road surface for seven to ten days so that vehicle traffic can continue to lock the rock into the liquid asphalt. Excess chips are then removed by sweepers to be reused on the next chip seal project.

This road work is expected to extend the service life of the pavement structure.

Please proceed with caution in these areas during construction times and observe all temporary traffic control devices. Thank you for your assistance during this work.

A full list of projects and a 2022 The Dalles Pavement Preservation Program map can be viewed at [thedalles.org/transportation](https://thedalles.org/transportation).

If you have questions, please contact the Public Works Department at (541) 296-5401.

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