



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

**DATE:** June 19, 2023

**TOPIC:** 2023 Pavement Preservation Projects

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**FOR RELEASE:** IMMEDIATELY

The week of June 26, 2023, City and County crews 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.**

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

### Work scheduled for Monday June 26, 2023:

STREET	BEGIN	END
W. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.	Hostetler St. W.	Cul de sac, end
W. 7 <sup>th</sup> St.	Hostetler St. W.	Chenowith Loop Rd. W.
W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Hostetler St. W.	Chenowith Loop Rd. W.
Heritage Way	W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	End of pavement
W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Pomona St. W.	Heritage Way
Pomona St. W.	W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Sterling St.
W. 7 <sup>th</sup> St.	Road widens E. of Snipes St. W.	Pomona St. W.
Verdant St. W.	W. 10 <sup>th</sup> St.	W. 13 <sup>th</sup> St.
Lillian Way	W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Cul de sac, end
W. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Myrtle St. W.	Snipes St. W.

### Work scheduled for Tuesday June 27, 2023:

STREET	BEGIN	END
W. 14 <sup>th</sup> St.	Kingsley St. W.	Elberta St.
W. 12 <sup>th</sup> St.	Blakeley Way	Blakeley Dr.
Pentland St.	W. 11 <sup>th</sup> St.	W 12 <sup>th</sup> St.
W. 9 <sup>th</sup> St.	Union St.	Cherry Heights Rd. W.
E. 4 <sup>th</sup> St.	Jefferson St.	Washington St.
Monroe St.	E. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.	E. 3 <sup>rd</sup> St.
E. 8 <sup>th</sup> St.	Harris St.	H St.

**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.

**Work scheduled for Wednesday June 28, 2023:**

STREET	BEGIN	END
E. 15 <sup>th</sup> Pl.	End of pavement	G St.
Clark St.	E. 11 <sup>th</sup> St.	E. 12 <sup>th</sup> St.
Clark St.	E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St.	Cul de sac, end
E. 13 <sup>th</sup> St.	Cul de sac, end	Thompson St.
E. 17 <sup>th</sup> St.	End of pavement	Thompson St.
Fremont St. E.	Hwy 197	Old Dufur Rd.
Lambert St.	Old Dufur Rd.	City Limit
Osprey Ln. E.	Lone Pine Ln.	Lone Pine Blvd.



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 2023 The Dalles Pavement Preservation Program map can be viewed at [thedalles.org/summerstreetmaintenance](https://thedalles.org/summerstreetmaintenance).

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

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