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PRESS RELEASE

DATE: June 12, 2026
TOPIC: Update: 2026 Pavement Preservation Projects
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FOR RELEASE: IMMEDIATELY

The Dalles, Oregon – The week of June 15, 2026, 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.**

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

Work scheduled for Monday June 15, 2026:

STREET	BEGIN	END
Columbia Rd.	Crates Way W	Steelhead Way
W 10 th St.	Walnut St.	Snipes St.
Cherry Heights Rd.	W 10 th St.	W 6 th St.
Mt. Hood St.	W 6 th St.	Cherry Heights Rd.
W 6 th St.	Trevitt St.	W 3 rd Pl.
W 6 th St.	Lincoln St.	Trevitt St.
Lincoln St.	W 10 th St.	W 9 th St.
E 10 th St.	Washington St.	Union St.
Washington St.	E 14 th St.	E 12 th St.
Skyline Rd.	City Limits 737' of Mt. Hood St.	Mt Hood St.
E 16 th Pl.	Kelly Ave.	Monroe St.

Work scheduled for Tuesday June 16, 2026:

STREET	BEGIN	END
E 10 St.	J St.	Kelly Ave.
E 10 St.	Dry Hollow Rd.	Thompson St.
E 11 St.	Thompson St.	West Dead End
E 12 Pl.	Thompson St.	Quinton 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 Tuesday June 16, 2026 (continued):

STREET	BEGIN	END
Thompson St.	E 19 th St.	E 10 th St.
E 19 th St.	Dry Hollow Rd.	Nevada St.



Work scheduled for Wednesday June 17, 2026:

STREET	BEGIN	END
Finish E 19 th St.	Nevada St.	End of Pavement
Claudia Ln.	E 21 st St.	Cul de Sac North
Bret Clodfelter Way	HWY 197	City Limits Gate

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 2026 The Dalles Pavement Preservation Program map can be viewed at thedalles.org/summerstreetmaintenance.

If you have questions, please contact the Public Works Department at (541) 296-5401. For media inquiries, contact Amie Ell, Public Information Officer at amell@thedalles.gov.

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