

FAQs for Main Street Road Improvement Project

What does this project entail and what are the limits?

This project consists of resurfacing with limited sidewalk and curb repairs on Main St. from Rt. 176 to Garland Rd. The project is split into two phases. Phase 1 is Hubbard Ct. to Garland Rd. Phase 2 is Rt 176 to Hubbard Ct.

Why this year?

The Village conducted a pavement assessment and this street was rated in need of resurfacing. At this time, the street is in a condition that only needs resurfacing. If the Village delays resurfacing and the street degrades further, the project can become more complex and significantly more expensive.

When will the project start?

Phase 1 – The portion of the project from Hubbard Ct. north to Garland Rd. is already underway.

Phase 2 – The portion that affects downtown (Rt 176 to Hubbard Ct.) will begin after September 21 (after the last Cruise Night) and will be completed before Trick or Treat on Main.

Will Main Street be closed during the project?

No, Main Street will not be closed during the project. There will be temporary lane closures during the day to allow for construction. The contractor will have flaggers directing traffic through the construction zone.

Can I drive on the road?

Yes, the road will be open for the entire duration of the project. The road will be rough during the initial phase of construction.

How long will it take?

A typical resurfacing project takes three to four weeks. First, the contractor performs curb and sidewalk replacement. Second, they grind the existing asphalt surface down 2 ¼ inches followed by base patching. Finally, the contractor applies two layers of asphalt followed by striping.

Will on-street parking be affected?

There will be times when no parking is allowed during construction hours. The Village will provide extra signage to direct customers to other free parking options.

I live on Main Street or my business has an entrance on Main Street. Will I be able to enter my driveway?

If concrete work is scheduled on your driveway, there will be a three to four day window when you may not be able to access your driveway. Affected residents will be able to park on the street while the concrete work is completed. The resident engineer/contractor will alert those residents ahead of the work. Other closures (10 to 15 minutes) will be at a minimum to allow for asphalt installation or striping.

What time will they be working?

Construction hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., although it is unlikely that the contractor will work until 6 p.m. every night. Most days will wrap up between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Are there any changes to the street as it is now?

No, the current configuration will be maintained, including all parking spaces.

How will I get updates?

For Phase 2, the Village's engineer, HMG Engineers, will provide a weekly update via email. Please provide your email address at the open house or email Karen Sheldon at ksheldon@hmgengineers.com to be placed on the email list.

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