

City Council

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August 13, 2013

Re: Planned Slurry Seal Application

Dear Resident:

Your street recently received a chip seal application, and subsequently there has been general dissatisfaction with the result. The City previously offered to mitigate resident concerns by applying a slurry seal coating on top of the chip seal, with the City and affected residents sharing in the cost. The City Council discussed this matter at a public meeting last evening, and ultimately decided that the City would in fact absorb the entire cost to apply the slurry seal. Residents who previously contributed under the cost-share arrangement are receiving a refund of their contribution.

The slurry seal work on your street is being scheduled. We anticipate the work to occur around the last week of August, or the early part of September. As soon as there is confirmation, please expect to see notice boards posted on your street announcing the precise date(s). Again, the City is no longer asking for your financial contribution to have this work done.

If, for whatever reason, you decide to accept the current chip seal finish as-is and prefer *not* to have the slurry seal application, please coordinate with your neighbors to ensure that you are all of the same mind and notify me as soon as possible. Residents who wish to preview a slurry seal surface that has fully cured may visit one of the following streets that may be near where you live- Valente Court, Silver Springs Road, Springhill Road, Burton Drive.

To reiterate, absent hearing from you that you are accepting the chip seal, the slurry seal will be completed as directed by the City Council. Unfortunately, at this time there is not a third option readily available. We apologize for the inconvenience that this project has caused you, and thank you for your continued patience.

Sincerely,

Tony Coe City Engineer

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