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Check out what your local Wenatchee Public Works Department is up to.



“Oh the places you’ll go.” – Dr. Seuss

On July 8 the City kicked off our 2024 Pavement Preservation. This year we will be tackling streets in several neighborhoods. The plan is to grind and repave the following roadways:

- ◆ Maple Street from Princeton to SR 285/N. Wenatchee Avenue
- ◆ Seattle Ave from Brown Street to Amherst Avenue
- ◆ Welch Ave from Brown Street to Seattle Avenue
- ◆ Brown Street from Springwater Avenue to Bartlett Avenue
- ◆ N Harrison Street from Washington Street to Madison Street
- ◆ N Garfield Avenue Washington Street to First Street
- ◆ This project also includes restriping of Maple Street from Western Ave to Gabrielle Lane to add bike lanes.



The Wenatchee Street Preservation Program

- ◆ The City has a Street Preservation Program that invests \$2 - 4 million dollars each year in paving projects.
- ◆ The streets that are chosen each year are based on their Pavement Condition Index (PCI) rating. A new street has a PCI rating of 100, but over time the PCI rating decreases as the asphalt ages due to cracking and utility street cuts. When a street degrades below a 70 PCI, the City begins to evaluate the need for a preservation project.
- ◆ Some streets in Wenatchee have fallen below a 50 PCI and cannot be repaired with a preservation project. These streets are repaired on a case by case basis with grants for Capital Projects or by the City’s Street Department.
- ◆ The 2024 Preservation Program invests \$2.3 million into the Wenatchee street network.
- ◆ The Preservation Program also installs new or upgraded sidewalk access ramps; this year’s program includes 26 access ramps.

If you would like to know more about our 2024 Pavement Preservation program please visit our website at www.wenatcheewa.gov/pavementpreservation or call us at (509) 888-3200.