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# NEWS RELEASE

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## **Asphalt Overlay Projects Scheduled for 2015 Construction Season**

DUBUQUE, Iowa — Starting Monday, May 18, the City of Dubuque’s annual asphalt overlay program will repave city streets in most need of improvement. The Public Works Department will recycle old asphalt and repave approximately six miles of City streets this season for a safer and smoother ride.

Unlike street reconstruction projects, property owners are not assessed for costs associated with the asphalt overlay program. Instead, the program is funded with monies from Iowa’s Road Use Tax Fund (gas and diesel fuel tax). The asphalt overlay program is part of the City’s yearly street maintenance activity, which is budgeted at approximately \$1.5 million for FY2016.

The following 41 street projects and one carry-over project are scheduled for partial or complete asphalt overlay this construction season:

- Arabian Trail
- Bradley Street
- Broadlawn Road
- Buckskin Circle
- Churchill Drive
- Clarke Crest
- Clarke Drive – St. Ambrose to Asbury
- Clydesdale Court
- Dunning Street
- Eden Lane
- Edwards Road
- Ethel Street
- Farrell Court
- Henderson Street
- Hill Street – W. Third to W. Ninth streets (carryover project from 2014)
- Horizon Court

- Keokuk Court
- Keokuk Street
- Key Corners
- Lea Lane
- Lacey Court
- Mineral Street – Devon Drive to cul-de-sac
- Morningview Road
- Mullin Road
- National Street – off Keokuk
- New Haven Street
- Ogilby Road
- Palomino Court
- Perry Street
- Pysi Drive
- Ravenwood Court
- Richie Drive
- Ridge Road
- Rider Street
- Sharon Drive
- St Anne Drive – Ridge Road to Avalon
- Stevens Court
- University Ave. – Gilliam to Ethel
- Valley View Road – Avalon to Chaney
- W 7th – Central to Iowa
- W 9th – Iowa St. west to the alley between Iowa and Main
- Whelan

Residents will be notified by mail prior to the start of the project with contact information and parking instructions. Normally, projects can be completed in one week and streets can be driven on soon after paving takes place, as soon as traffic control devices have been removed.

The Public Works Department has repaved over 190 centerline miles, almost two-thirds of Dubuque's 310 miles of streets, over the past 20 years through the asphalt overlay program. For more information, contact the Public Works Department at 563-589-4250.

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