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City begins 2013 road resurfacing work

The City of Sacramento Department of Public Works will start road resurfacing work in early August throughout the City to keep the pavement as close as possible to its newly constructed condition. There may be minor traffic delays and inconvenience, however, when completed the streets will be in nearly new condition.

The department aims to resurface every street in the City about once every ten years to maintain the quality of City streets in a cost effective manner with available funds.

Check to see if your street is going to be resurfaced <u>on this map</u> and when it will be resurfaced, via a tentative schedule that will be posted weekly beginning mid August <u>on the Transportation News Releases webpage.</u>

The work will include resurfacing of nine arterial streets throughout the city as well as numerous streets in four neighborhoods. All streets scheduled for resurfacing are identified in the map, and are part of this year's \$5.2 million maintenance program.

Streets will receive one of five types of resurfacing (slurry, micro-surface, asphalt rubber cape seal, bonded wearing course, or asphalt concrete overlay) depending upon the street condition and the type of street.

What residents can expect:

Work is expected to take place weekdays only, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., with the exception of the Central City streets, where work will also take place on weekends. Residents will be notified via a reminder that will be hung on the door three to five days before the street is due to be resurfaced. The door hanger will specify the day work is to be done. Note, before and after the actual resurfacing, work crews may be seen performing other work on the street. Vehicular traffic on arterial streets will be limited to a reduced number of traffic lanes during resurfacing operations. In neighborhoods, no vehicles will be allowed on the street during the resurfacing process and the street will be closed for a portion of the day.

For questions about this year's road resurfacing projects, contact us via 311 or call the Public Works Help Desk at 808-7027.

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