

Chip-sealing project scheduled to start Aug. 13

Starting Monday, Aug. 13, the Baker City Public Works Department will be chip-sealing sections of more than a dozen streets, totaling almost four miles.

The work is scheduled to take four days (see map at right).

Chip-sealing is intended to extend the life of streets by sealing the pavement and preventing water from penetrating.

A minimum 48 hours notice will be provided to residents along affected streets. Drivers should expect delays and possible detours. If work is delayed by weather it would be rescheduled for the next available day.

Street sections slated for chip-sealing:

Monday, Aug. 13

- Place Street, 6th to 7th
- Indiana Avenue, city limits to 17th Street
- Reservoir Road, Indiana

to Grace

- Third Street, Dewey to Estes, parking area south of Grace

- 18th Street, Broadway to Campbell, Court to Broadway

- 20th Street, Broadway to Campbell

Tuesday, Aug. 14

- 19th Street, Baker to Campbell

- Broadway Street, west side of 21st to 19th

- L Street, east side of Ninth to Ninth Drive

- K Street, Ninth Drive to Eighth Drive

- East Street, Washington to Broadway

- Clark Place
- Court Avenue, Ash to Oak

- Chestnut Street, Washington to the north side of Church, Auburn to Washington

- Cherry Street, Place to Auburn

- Birch Street, Place to Auburn

Wednesday, Aug. 15

- C Street, 10th to Ninth, Seventh to College, College to Third

- H Street, 10th to Eighth Drive

- Ninth Drive, north side of K to M

- Sixth Street, Campbell to A

- Birch Street, Campbell to A

Thursday, Aug. 16

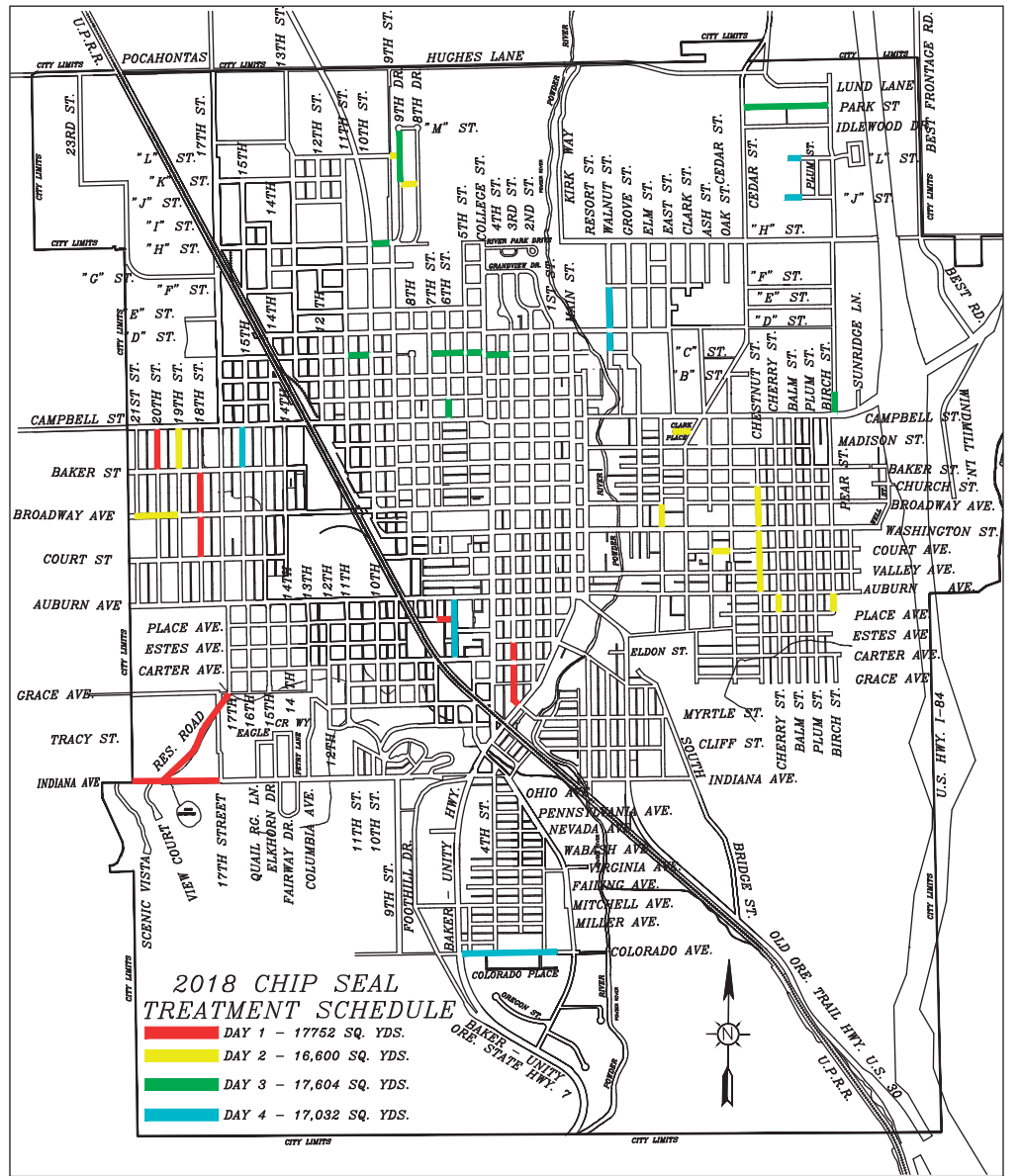
- Sixth Street, Carter to Auburn

- Colorado Avenue, Highway 7 to east of Second

- 16th Street, Baker to Campbell

- Walnut Street, side side of C to the south side of D, and D to F

- L Street, 342 feet west of Plum to 205 feet west of Plum, and from 205 feet west of Plum to Birch



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FIRE RISK

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The county has also set up power generator systems in case of electricity outages during fires. A generator has been installed in Bowen Valley just south of Baker City, and county officials are working on setting up systems in Baker City and at the Lions Club in Halfway.

Harvey said that the county plans to partner with WorkSource Oregon to teach, train and employ high school students and young adults to work on the fuel reduction project.

The partnership would let the students work during the summer and then take a forestry class with WorkSource during the winter.

"We want to introduce them to this because we hope that out of that we will get people who go on in a career of it," Harvey said.

The U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management and Oregon Department of Forestry estimate that they would be able to hire 20 to 25 employees a year with training similar to what the project would provide, Harvey said.

He hopes the fuel reduction program will be approved by this winter so work can start in the spring of 2019.

"This is ridiculous how long it takes to do something that is so badly needed. I mean if you remove the fuel from the forest the threat is gone," he said.

The county has received far more inquiries about participating in the program than the county has funding for.

"What we will attempt to do is, do this project, show the federal government we have a good track record and then maybe go with a different agency to gain funding and do it again," Harvey said.



Harvey

2018 Community Night Out August 7th

A time for the community to come together for a fun evening of food, games, live music, raffle drawings, information and sales booths. An annual project dedicated to bringing Law Enforcement and the community together in a fun relaxed family friendly drug and alcohol-free atmosphere. Organized by Baker City Police Department, Baker City Events and Baker City Lions Club.

One free raffle ticket will be given to each person as they go through the food line. Extra raffle tickets may be purchased 1 for \$1, 7 for \$5, 15 for \$10, 35 for \$20. Raffle proceeds and donations fund future events. Raffle drawing begins after everyone has gone through the food line and had a chance to get a raffle ticket. If you leave before all raffle items are given out, please give your ticket to someone who is staying. See raffle items at vendor booths. Extra bonus Carol Delsman donated 40 succulent planters for raffle.

Food Line at Lions Shelter: Serving Vendors at 5 PM & Public at 5:30 PM

Food served by Baker City Lions • Soda pop, Water and Ice donated by Safeway

Chicken Legs, Chips and Grapes provided by Oregon Trail Restaurant & Baker City Events

Baker County Sheriff's Dept serving Snow Cones • Baker Elks Lodge serving Ice Cream • Dunk Tank by Mat Club

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- Baker County Juvenile Dept
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- Baker Elks Lodge
- Baker Food Coop
- Baker School District

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