

FROM THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

**CAUTION
ROAD WORK AHEAD**

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2016 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS

The following is a list of “**tentative**” capital road improvement projects approved, funded, and scheduled for 2016. As always we evaluate these road projects following each winter season, and our roads will be evaluated during the spring. As mentioned this is a tentative list of improvements and may change due to needs.

The Public Works Department will also be performing other types of road maintenance such as: roadside mowing, clearing sight lines, base repairs and sign maintenance, however; the following projects are noted as they may, at times, cause temporary delays or detours during the course of the construction phases. The Department will make every effort to accommodate local traffic, however, for the safety of you and the workers on the road, please obey all Work Zone Traffic Control Signs, Flagmen directives, and marked detours. As a reminder, all fines are doubled in all Work Zone Traffic areas within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Allow some extra time in your daily commutes to avoid unnecessary frustration while transitioning through the work zones and detours. For more information, contact William Bradford, Superintendent or Butch Giorgio of the Public Works Department. Please note “others” than the Public Works Department is performing some of the following projects. They are identified as follows:

- Limerick Township Sewer Department, (610) 495-6432
- American Water Co. (610) 948-1781
- Pennsylvania Department of Transportation 610-275-2368

Prusshill Road – Phase I

Limits of Construction - Fruitville to Twp. boarder

Type of Work - Base repairs, drainage work, w/2” overlay

Time frame - Between June and October

Delays and Closures – One lane of traffic will be maintained, however expect delays

Airport Road

Limits of Construction – Between Ridge Pike and Industrial Drive

Type Of Work – storm drain repairs, Asphalt recycle w/2” overlay

Time Frame – Between Late August and October

Delays and Closures - One lane of traffic maintained with speed restrictions, expect delays

Major Road

Limits of Construction – Between Benner road and Grandview

Type of Work – minor drainage maintenance, asphalt recycle w/ 2” overlay

Time frame – Between August and October

Delays and Closures – One lane of traffic will be maintained, expect delays

Bradford Drive

Limits of Construction – Between Tangle wood to end

Type of Work – Storm inlet repairs, mill w/2” overlay

Time Frame – Between September and October

Delays and Closures – One lane of traffic will be maintained, expect delays

Rail Road Street

Limits of Construction - from Main Street to End

Type of Work - Minor base repair, w/ 2” overlay

Time frame - Between August and October

Delays and Closures - Road to be closed local traffic only

South Reed Road

Limits of Construction – Enterprise drive to end

Type of Work - Minor base repairs, w/2” overlay

Time frame - Between August and October

Delays and Closures - Road to be closed local traffic only

Graterford Road

Limits of Construction – Between School road and township Line

Type of Work – Storm sewer replacement

Time frame – August / September

Delays and Closures – One lane traffic expect delays

Heffner Road

Limits of Construction – From Sunset to Landis Creek

Type of work – Minor base repairs, Dbl. application of ½” surface treatment

Time frame – Between July and September

Delays and Closures – One lane of traffic expect delays

Meng Road

Limits of Construction – From Game Farm road to Township Boundary

Type of Work – Minor drainage repairs, Dbl. application of ½” surface treatment

Time Frame – Between July and September

Delays and Closures – One lane of traffic, expect delays

Other roads that may have maintenance techniques performed, which consist of ½” to ¼” surface treatment followed by a fog seal include:

Lorraine, Foxtail, Laura, Rose court, Perry court, Parnell and Bartlett. All of these roads will be prepped by the department and traffic delays will be minimal.

Other road projects that may take place on non-Township roads:

Penn Dot Sweeping operations, Penn Dot paving operations please see Penn Dot web site

Mill and Re-paving of Swamp Pike by County

Limerick Road and Ridge Pike traffic signal

Sunset road new home construction

Expect delays in those areas as well.

Note: All of the projects listed are flexible and subject to change due to budget and/or weather conditions. Dates and times are “tentative schedules”. Please continue to check our website for changes in road projects.

Crews will also be performing line painting throughout the spring and summer. Please avoid driving on fresh paint. Crews will be performing right-of-way mowing and sight distance trimming as well.

All of these projects will require the department to perform prep work. Base repairs will take place as well as some of the paving done in house. All of the drainage updates will be done by Township forces along Prusshill Road. With these projects and our regular routine maintenance, the department will have a full work load for the season.

Annual street sweeping is scheduled to begin April 25th and should wrap up by May 2nd, weather permitting. Please do not park on the streets from April 25th through April 29th during the times of 7am to 3pm if possible. Crews will not return to sweep areas where cars had been parked.

During the busy spring and summer months please obey all Work Zone Traffic signs, the crews are busy making the roads safe for all to travel. Let's all be safe!

NOTICE:

Limerick Township Public Works Department will be applying vegetation and weed control products within the Township curb line and right-of-ways. Products applied will include, but not limited to: Escort, Plateau, Clean Cut, Glyphosate, Journey, Dry de-foamer and 41-A drift control. These products will be applied to areas around signposts, Utility poles, guide rails, culverts, inlets, curbs and sight lines within Township right of way. Spraying will begin; weather permitting, early May 2016. For additional information, contact Dave Myer at 610-495-6432 x 318.