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2025 Pavement Overlay and Chip Seal Project Update

Drivers may encounter delays due to the ongoing 2025 Pavement Overlay and Chip Sealing Projects. For the week of Monday, July 14th through Saturday, July 19th, Lakeside Industries, under contract with Cowlitz County, will be continuing with paving operations. The County Road crew will also continue with chip sealing maintenance operations.

Roads scheduled for Overlay Paving this week include (in approximate order): Dike Road (Woodland) on July 14th then Old Pacific Hwy, north of Todd Road, on Tuesday (evening/night), July 15th. On Wednesday (night), July 16th, the paving crew will be on Westside Highway. On Thursday, July 17th they are returning to daytime paving and scheduled to pave Sightly Road and then Eufaula Heights Road on Friday, July 18th. Headquarters Road will be paved on Saturday, July 19th.

Roads scheduled for Chip Sealing this week and next include (in approximate order): Pacific Way on Monday, July 14th. Taylor Sands, Willow Grove, and Barlow Point Road will be chip sealed on Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 15th and 16th.

Flaggers will be present as one lane will be closed. Drivers should expect delays of up to 20 minutes between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the active work zones during daytime work, and between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 5 a.m. during nighttime work.

Paving operations are dependent on weather and are expected to require approximately four to five weeks to complete. Updated scheduling will be released weekly. Thank you for your patience.

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