

# LAKE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

## community meeting

The Lake Road improvement projects consists of widening the street to accommodate existing travel lanes while adding two 5-foot bike lanes. Most of the widening adds four feet, but up to 10-feet in some locations. Traffic signal upgrades at the intersection of SE 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue/Oatfield and Lake Road is also included as part of this project. Approximately 20 utility poles are being relocated out of the new curb line on the north side of Lake Road. Sidewalks are being replaced only where the roadway widening requires this to happen. The road reconstruction consists of a porous pavement overlay to treat stormwater, while reducing road noise and spray—the first of its kind in Milwaukie.

## HELPFUL DEFINITIONS

**Base:** refers to the material installed before the asphalt paving is applied. It is typically comprised of either crushed stone or an asphalt product. The base provides the finished pavement's load-bearing capabilities.

**Lift:** a layer of paving material that improves the road surface from wear, improves skid resistance and has a minor leveling improvement.

**Porous asphalt:** allows water to drain through the pavement surface into a stone base, decreasing the amount of runoff and pollutants carried to a storm drain or waterway. It is very durable, and made in the same way as traditional asphalt, but small aggregates (crushed stone, sand, etc.) are removed.

## LAKE ROAD PAVING PLAN - BEST ESTIMATE\*

### Saturday, Aug. 28

Finish north side base

### Monday, Aug. 30

Start SE 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue top lift with porous asphalt

### Tuesday, Aug. 31

- SE 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Willard Street and side street base
- Traffic shifts to the north side of Lake Road at the end of the day, continues traveling westbound

### Wednesday, Sep. 1

Start SE 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue south side top lift with porous asphalt

### Thursday, Sep. 2

Top lift at intersections

### Friday, Sep. 3

- Top lift on side streets
- Temporary striping for center line

\*Plan is subject to change based on weather or paving requirements



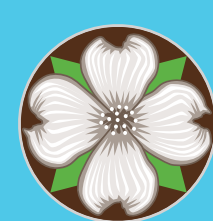
**GOAL:** Lake Road is open for two-way traffic from west of the signal at SE 34<sup>th</sup> Avenue to 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue by Monday, Sep. 7

## MORE INFORMATION

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