ROAD CLOSURES & TRAFFIC REPORTS
Beginning the week of September 16, 2019

• **STREET OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT:**

  • **Sweeping**
    - Monday: West Side
    - Tuesday: East Side
    - Wednesday: Northend
    - Thursday: El Rancho/Fairway/Monte Vista

  • **Patching**
    Street Operations will continue patching potholes and curb lines in preparation for upcoming pavement treatments, which may require intermittent lane closures and possible temporary road closures as work is performed.

  • **Milling and Paving**
    Street Operations Department will be milling and paving Shoshoni Trail and Park Lane this week. Crews will mill and pave Shoshoni Trail on Monday, September 16 and Tuesday, September 17, 2019. Once finished, Street Crews will begin milling and paving Park Lane on Wednesday, September 18 and Thursday, September 19, 2019. The roads will be closed as work is performed. Motorists are advised to use alternate routes and expect delays in the area.

  • **Road Striping**
    Street Operations Department will continue striping Pocatello’s roads this week. There will be intermittent lane closures while crews are painting. Drivers are advised to watch for traffic control to stay safe and avoid driving through fresh paint. Please expect delays while work is being done.

  • **Jetting Storm Drain Lines**
    Street Operations will be jetting storm drain lines throughout the city. There may be intermittent lane closures while work is being performed.

• **Idaho Transportation Department:**

  • **I-15 Road Construction Projects**
    Reconstruction of Rose Road Interchange on I-15. This project will improve mobility and safety on Interstate 15. Construction will be completed in late 2019.

    • Northgate Overpass above I-15 is currently under construction and projected to be completed in the fall of 2019.
• **ENGINEERING:** No reports

• **CONTRACTORS:**
  - **NORTHGATE**
    IMC (private contractor) continues to have Chubbuck Road closed for construction. Closure will be at Fairgrounds Road and Olympus Drive. Motorists are advised to use alternate routes, follow posted detours and obey posted 25mph speed limit signs. IMC expects to reopen Chubbuck Road the first week of October 2019.

• **WATER POLLUTION CONTROL:**
  - **SEWER LINE INSTALLATION**
    Crews will begin installing a new sewer line along West Sublette Street, from North Lincoln Avenue to North Grant Avenue. Crews will work between the hours of 7 a.m. to approximately 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. During the project, access to the construction area will be restricted and sections of the street will be completely closed while workers are digging. Every effort will be made to provide local access to the area when possible. Parking will also be restricted in the construction zone and residents are asked to park all vehicles away from the area during the day. At the close of each day, access will be restored to all properties. The work will cause short-term disruptions to sewer service and crews will notify residents before interruptions are scheduled to take place. Officials ask parents and guardians to warn children about the safety hazard and to have them stay a safe distance from the construction area. The project is anticipated to take four weeks to complete but due to unforeseen circumstances, the work schedule may change. Residents who have questions about the project can contact Austin Suing, Project Engineer, at 208-234-6513.

• **JETTING SEWER LINES**
  Crews will be jetting sewer lines throughout the city. Motorists may experience delays or lane closures while crews are performing the work.

• **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:**
  - **BENTON STREET BRIDGE**
    Southbound shoulder on 1st Ave., under the Benton Street Bridge, will be closed periodically for the next few months, as needed, to allow the Contractor to perform work. Benton Street Bridge will be reduced to one lane of traffic each direction over the bridge.

• **WATER DEPARTMENT:**
  - **PROJECT ON NORTH LINCOLN AVENUE**
    Beginning Monday, September 16, 2019, crews from the City of Pocatello Water Department will begin installing a new water line on North Lincoln Avenue. The project is anticipated to take approximately eight weeks to complete.

    Crews will work between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to approximately 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday. During the project, access to the construction area will be restricted and sections of the street will be completely closed while workers are digging. Every effort will
be made to provide local access to the area when possible. Parking will also be restricted in the construction zone and residents are asked to park all vehicles away from the area during the day. At the close of each day, access will be restored to all properties. Residents with questions about the project are asked to contact the City of Pocatello Water Department at 208-234-6174.

**EVENTS:**

- **5TH ANNUAL KIND COMMUNITY KICK-OFF CELEBRATION**
  Old Town Pocatello will be kicking off Kind Week with a street party festival that will take place on Monday, September 16, 2019. The free, family friendly event will feature live music, entertainment, activities, & food trucks. The Center Street Underpass and Union Pacific Avenue (from W. Clark St. to W. Whitman St.) will be closed from 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Detours will be posted. Drivers are advised to use caution and use alternate routes if possible.

- **PORTNEUF VALLEY FARMERS MARKET May 4th – October 26th 5-8 PM**
  Union Pacific Avenue and Fremont Street (from Main St. to U.P. Ave) will be closed during this event at the times posted. Old Town Pocatello is hosting the “Portneuf Valley Farmers Market” every Saturday beginning May 4 through October 26, 2019. The event is located at the Old Town Pavilion, 420 N. Main St. The Market is open every Saturday from 9am to 1pm May through October, and every Wednesday May 22 to September 4 from 5-8pm.