

Driveway Repair Information

Frequently Asked Questions:

Q: What will driveway impacts look like?

A: Concrete aprons will be installed on all driveways. Driveway pavement will be sawcut removed and replaced only in the area excavated to make the repair. Driveways will be patched with the bituminous or concrete material that existed prior to the repair. Where feasible, concrete driveways will be replaced to the nearest concrete joint to the excavated area. If it is not feasible to replace at the nearest joint, the driveway will be sawcut in a clean, straight line at a location determined by the contractor in order for them to warranty the work.

Q: Can the contractor replace more of my driveway?

A: Additional driveway replacement beyond what is required for the project work is dependent on project contractor availability and willingness. The additional cost of the replacement would be at the resident's expense. The resident reimburses the City for this cost based on the project bid pricing, prior to the work commencing, or signs a waiver of appeal for this cost to be added to their assessment.

Q: I plan to have my driveway replaced soon, can my contractor make the driveway repair?

A: Yes, you can have your own contractor replace the entire driveway. If you choose to do this, the city will reimburse you based on the city contractor bid price of the driveway replacement required for the project after the work is complete. If your contractor's replacement costs exceeds the city contractor bid pricing, the additional cost would be your responsibility. This work would not be subject to city contractor warranty.



Figure 1. Example of bituminous driveway replacement with new concrete apron



Figure 2. Example of concrete driveway replacement for curb stop repair.



Figure 3. Example of additional concrete driveway replacement for curb stop repair where property owner paid or was assessed cost to replace additional area.



Figure 4. Example of complete bituminous driveway replacement where City reimbursed property owner for the portion of the driveway to be replaced with the project at the City project contractor price.