

Community Corner

What does my Highway Department do?

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Keep you safe

During the winter, crews are out keeping the roads free of snow. In the spring they work to keep the ditches clean to avoid flooding. During summer & fall you can find them paving, mowing, & trimming brush to keep signs and roads up to par.

Road Maintenance

Your highway department typically takes care of potholes, ditches, culverts, and bridges. They also clean, sweep, mow, plow, pave, and much more.

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Liaisons

They work with other government officials to keep your roads safe and determine regulations related to transportation, such as weight limits for trucks, and traffic rules.

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In an Emergency

Rain or shine, day or night, Highway & DPW crews are ready when an emergency arises. From flooding, to hurricanes, winter storms, and even a traffic accident, they are there to keep roads open and allow EMS, Police, and the Fire Department to get to those in need.

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Overall, the goal of a highway department is to create and maintain a safe, efficient, and reliable transportation network to support economic development and improve the quality of life for residents.