

SLURRY SEAL FAQ

When will they slurry my street?

- Streets are determined to be slurry sealed based on their PCI rating.
- A schedule is made months in advance and shared with the council districts.
- Each council district receives a schedule and given updates.
- Residents will receive a 48-hour notice of (postings in neighborhood) of when a street will be slurry sealed.

My street looks worse than the one that is getting slurry sealed, why isn't my street getting "fixed"?

- Slurry is determined on a PCI rating; it is not determined on the look of the street.
- Slurry seal is a thin coat intended to preserve the roadway pavement surface.
- Slurry seal is not appropriate for a street with many potholes or severe cracking and depressions which requires grinding or reconstruction.
- If a street is too "low" in rating, it is put on a list to be resurfaced by a different Bureau.

Why did the schedule change?

- There are several factors that change the schedule, mostly weather and additional work on the street, or equipment breakdowns.

What happens on trash day?

- Trash will be picked up as normal on that day.
- We partner with refuse to pick up trash earlier than the slurry schedule.

What do we do if its street sweeping?

- Sweepers will come out and clean the area being slurry sealed early.
- We have partnered with parking enforcement and there will not be ticketing in a block of the street being slurry sealed.

When will the street get repainted?

- Streets are set up for safety after slurry with temporary tabs.
- Re-painting happens within a month.

The signs say "No Pedestrian or Vehicle Access"; can I leave my home?

- Yes! Its fine to walk on the sidewalk, but no one can drive or walk in the slurry area until the barricades are pulled.
- "No Pedestrian" is advising pedestrians to stay off the roadway pavement aware being slurry sealed.
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Why does it take 12-hours 6:00 am to 6:00 pm?

- We set these hours in effort to effectively prep and slurry the street
- Active slurry starts around 7:00 am and ends around 3:00 pm - a few hours are needed after slurry seal for adequate cure time
- The workers will test the street and once its ready they will pull he barricade, and the street can be driven on.

More Information: [longbeach.gov/slurrysealprojects](https://www.longbeach.gov/slurrysealprojects)