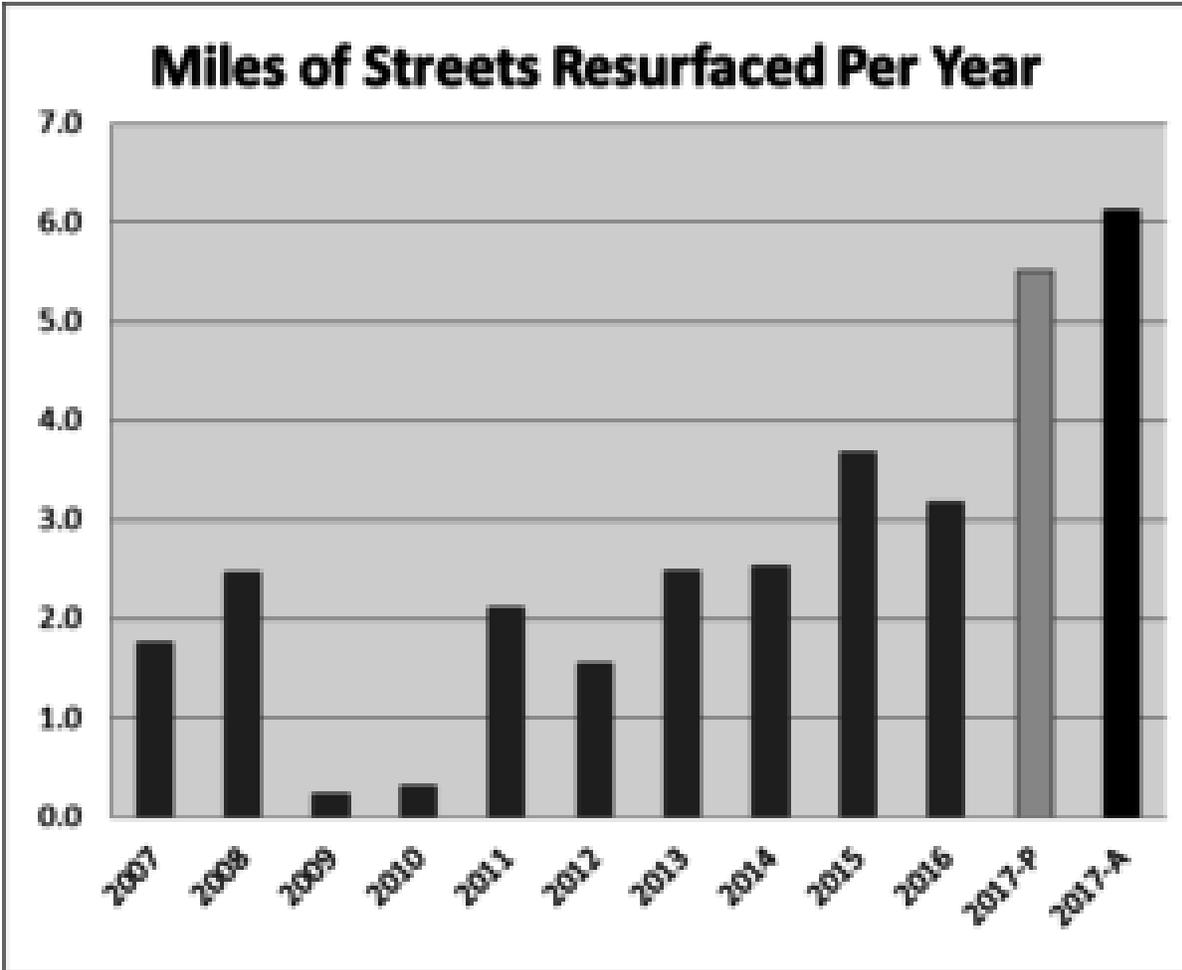


Street resurfacing wrap-up

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Now that our 2017 street resurfacing projects are wrapping up in the City of Sheboygan, I wanted to give the community an update on the work that was accomplished by the Department of Public Works. Consistent with the City of Sheboygan’s recently adopted Strategic Plan, they launched the most aggressive street resurfacing program that the City has seen in well over a decade. In the past 10 years we have only resurfaced an average of two miles of streets per year. In the 2017 budget we planned to resurface 5.5 miles of City streets. The Engineering Department has confirmed that 6.12 miles of Streets were resurfaced this construction season. It was great to see our goal exceeded by the Department of Public Works.

The aggressive resurfacing was financed with funding from Sheboygan County, State of Wisconsin, license renewal fee, garbage fee, bonding from the City Capital Improvements

Program and the operating budget. The total expenditure other than labor and equipment for city staff already budgeted was \$4,143,000. There are many types of repairs that were funded in this program. They include milling off asphalt over concrete and resurfacing with new asphalt, concrete reconstruction, new asphalt over concrete resurfacing, asphalt road seal, crack filling and curb and gutter replacement.

Street resurfacing is accomplished by city staff using a new asphalt paving machine that was purchased this year and area contractors. City staff worked on North 13th Street Michigan to Erie, South 17th Street Oakland to Ashland, North 10th Street Superior to Geele, North 12th Street Superior to Geele, Ashland Avenue 10th to 17th Street, Broughton Drive, Wildwood Avenue, temporary patches on Broadway, Michigan Avenue 4th Street to Broughton Drive.

Work done by contractors includes South 9th Street High Avenue to Georgia Avenue, Camelot Blvd. South Business Drive to 18th Street, Meadowbrook Court, Brookfield Court, Greenwood Court, Georgia Avenue South Business to Ashby Court, Michigan Avenue North 3rd Street to North 4th Street, North 15th Street Eisner Avenue to Mayflower Avenue, Calumet Drive Main Avenue to North 26th Street.