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The City of Caldwell Street Department will begin to chip seal streets on June 3 (weather permitting).

Before chip sealing begins, we will be sweeping, flushing, and patching. Please remove all vehicles (including motorhomes, trailers, and boats) to help us prepare the roadway. Temporary no parking signs will be placed in most areas. If you see these signs, it indicates that crews will be in the area within the next 24 to 48 hours.

As the process is underway, please watch for trucks, heavy equipment, and flagging personnel. Several road sections will be chip sealed. A map of affected areas can be found here:

<https://www.cityofcaldwell.org/.../chip-seal-information>

Chip sealing is a cost-effective pavement maintenance practice that extends pavement life and provides a good driving surface. Chip sealing is about one-fourth to one-fifth the cost of a conventional asphalt overlay. Chip sealing is set to be completed by June 28.

Important reminders for drivers and residents:

- The speed zone in chip zones areas is 20 mph.
- Please help keep workers safe. Be mindful of crews working in chip seal areas.
- Parking on streets during the chip seal process is prohibited from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Once signage is removed, street parking may be resumed.
- Every attempt will be made to notify owners of vehicles parked in the right-of-way before towing.