



VILLAGE OF FLOWER HILL

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ROAD OPENING RESTORATION POLICY

Please be advised that the Village's policy **with respect to road openings**, is that ALL BURIED UTILITIES BE INSTALLED, WHENEVER AT ALL POSSIBLE, BEYOND PAVED ROAD SURFACES.

Where road openings are unavoidable, the following formal specification for pavement restoration for all road openings within the Village shall apply:

ALL PAVEMENT RESORATION SHALL EXTEND THE FULL WIDTH OF THE ROAD SURFACE EVEN THOUGH ONLY A PORTION OF THE WIDTH OF THE ROAD IS DISTURBED BY EXCAVATION. THE FINAL PAVEMENT RESTORATION CONFIGURATION SHALL CONSIST OF PARALLEL SAWCUTS, PERPENDICULAR TO THE CENTERLINE OF THE ROAD. THE OVERALL LENGTH OF THE RESTORATION SHALL BE AS DETERMINED BY THE PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT, BUT IN NO CASE SHALL BE LESS THAN FIVE (5) FEET, MEASURED PARALLEL TO THE CENTERLINE OF THE ROAD.

1. If the existing road surface consists of concrete pavement, replacement shall be in accordance with the Village's standard concrete pavement specification including joint treatment.
2. If the existing road surface consists of asphalt pavement, replacement shall be in accordance with the Village's standard asphalt pavement specification including joint treatment.
3. If the existing road surface consists of an asphalt overlay on top of concrete pavement, and the existing concrete pavement is in good condition as determined by the Village Engineer, replacement shall be in accordance with the Village's standard concrete pavement specification with a 1" asphalt overlay and shall include applicable joint treatments.
4. If the existing road surface consists of an asphalt overlay on top of concrete pavement, and the existing concrete pavement has deteriorated as determined by the Village Engineer, replacement shall be in accordance with the Village's standard asphalt pavement specification including joint treatments.
5. Concrete gutters shall be replaced in accordance with the Village's standard concrete gutter specification including joint treatment. New concrete gutters shall replace full sections of gutter between existing joints, or existing concrete gutter may be saw cut in the opinion of the Village Engineer.
6. Do not place asphalt over concrete gutters, except at transitions between new concrete gutters and existing asphalt overlaid gutters.
7. All pavement cuts shall be sawn using a diamond tipped sawblade.
8. In the event that the proposed road opening falls within the limits of a section of road restored within the past two years, in no case shall a road opening permit be granted except by emergency order.

The Village's Standard Specifications are available on request. If you have any questions, please call.
Thank you.