

From the Town Manager's Desk

Perry A. Ellsworth
South Berwick, Maine

July 16, 2012

Dear Resident / Business Owner,

As the work progresses on the route 236 project we are about to enter into the second phase of work that includes the grinding of pavement from the construction site to the New Hampshire bridge and up Portland Street to the golf course.

This work will take place on Thursday and Friday of this week. Crews will start grinding around 4:00 a.m. in the downtown area and at the junctions of routes 4 and 236 and continue through the day until completed.

The ground area will not be repaved until all manhole covers have been reset. This may take up to two weeks.

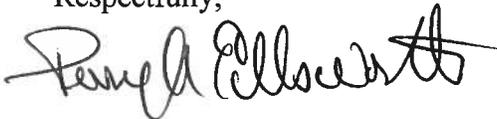
A paving schedule will then be published and this will result in the completion of the projects around the 10th of August. Once completed our main routes of travel will be completely redone in the downtown areas and brought up to standards for years to come. I appreciate your patience throughout this process.

The grinding plan highlights include:

- Grinding in the business area starting at 4:00 a.m.
- Grinding of route 236/4 interchanges at 4:00 a.m.
- Minimization of traffic congestion by moving away from interchanges during peak hours
- Keeping two lanes open at all times (may create short term parking issues)
- Always having one side of parking open in business section of town

We apologize in advance for any inconveniences that this may cause you. The issues are short term and the results, once completed will be enjoyed for years to come.

Respectfully,



Perry A. Ellsworth Town Manager

Please call Jon St.Pierre at 384-3300 ext. 117 if you need further info or have concerns

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