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UPDATED SCHEDULE FOR ROADWAY STRIPING OPERATIONS

The Town of Paradise maintains approximately 100 miles of roadway with about 80 miles of striping (centerlines and lane/edge lines). These lines fade and wear away due to heavy traffic and snowplow and sanding activities. The Town of Paradise Public Works Division, in conjunction with Butte County Public Works Department, will begin centerline striping and lane line operations on the most heavily traveled roadways.

Work was scheduled to begin this past week but was postponed due to rain. The project is now scheduled for the week of August 11, 2014, and will continue through the end of the week (weather permitting). Our goal this summer is to complete the re-striping of some of the major roads in Town as well as some of the secondary roads.

Motorists approaching a striping operation from behind will have plenty of warning. First they will see "CAUTION - WET PAINT" and "DO NOT PASS" signs. Next will be a "shadow" vehicle with flashing lights and "CAUTION - WET PAINT" and "DO NOT PASS" signs. Finally the striper truck, which sprays the paint stripes and glass beads onto the roadway, will have flashing amber lights.

Motorists should use caution when they encounter a road striping operation. Do **not** drive across the wet paint stripes, and do not pass the follow vehicle. Although the manufacturer claims the paint will dry in less than 10 seconds under ideal conditions, your vehicle tires will likely track the paint if crossed when it is still wet. This tracking will not only make the finished striping job look sloppy, but the paint will likely damage your vehicle paint job if not cleaned off quickly.

As always, please drive carefully and use caution when you see our crews out in the roadway. They are working hard to provide the citizens of Paradise with safe, well marked roadways to help you get to your destination safely.

ROADWAYS TO BE STRIPED

1. CLARK ROAD – Elliott Road to North of Wagstaff
2. WAGSTAFF ROAD – Skyway to Oliver Road
3. OLIVER ROAD – Wagstaff Road to Skyway
4. SAWMILL ROAD – Pearson Road to Bille Road
5. NUNNELEY ROAD – Academy to Kibler Road
6. MAXWELL ROAD – Elliott Road to Skyway
7. ROE ROAD – Neal Road to Scottwood Road