

City of Berlin, NH

Office of the City Manager



CITY MANAGER'S REPORT 7-3-2023

1. A meeting was held with All States Asphalt regarding the pavement improvement program. As was stated in the RSMS report, we are using pavement treatments that will increase the pavement condition index of roads while employing the appropriate treatment. What was discovered was that the roads scheduled for chip sealing are really not appropriate for that treatment, due to the urban, dense environment, the cast off of pea stone from the chip sealing and the condition of the road – an upgrade to asphalt rubber sealing will replace chip sealing. Some of these roads may require an initial shim asphalt treatment for integrity. Based on this new information an expanded paving bid will be going out shortly, which will include some of the shim treatments. The All States Asphalt work is consistent with NH DOT bid pricing and will not require additional procurement actions. At present the All States agreement is approximately \$344,000 – we have approximately \$275,000 remaining in FY 23 funds committed to this agreement and have \$475,000 available in the FY 24 budget. Once final paving bids are in a list of streets and treatments will be presented to the Council for its information – we are following the RSMS plan as presented with some adjustments.