

# BETTER ROADS, BETTER RICHFIELD

Richfield roads are 20 years past their expected life. The City Council is working with the Public Works Department to preserve the base lift of the asphalt roads and implement an accelerated mill and overlay program. This program would accelerate the City's existing street maintenance program so that a mill and overlay would be completed on all residential streets\* over a six-year period, beginning in 2015.

\*excluding roads that have already received a mill and overlay or have been reconstructed.

Since 2004, Richfield has relied on the Electric and Gas Franchise Fee for primary funding for the street maintenance program. Fees are paid via your electric or gas bill. Here are current monthly franchise fees and the proposed increase by class:

#### Electric Fee Per Premise

|                       | Current | Proposed |
|-----------------------|---------|----------|
| Residential           | 2.05    | 4.10     |
| Sm C & I – Non-Demand | 6.33    | 12.50    |
| Sm C & I - Demand     | 14.08   | 30.00    |
| Large C & I           | 91.51   | 185.00   |

#### Gas Fee Per Account

|             | Current | Proposed |
|-------------|---------|----------|
| Residential | 2.05    | 4.10     |
| Comm-A      | 2.05    | 4.10     |
| Comm/Ind-B  | 6.33    | 12.50    |
| Comm/Ind-C  | 14.08   | 30.00    |
| SVDF-A      | 14.08   | 30.00    |
| SVDF-B      | 14.08   | 30.00    |
| LVDF        | 91.51   | 185.00   |

Learn more about the Proposed Pavement Management Program and the proposed fee increase.

#### Open House: Wednesday, December 4, 2013

4 - 6:30 p.m., Richfield Municipal Center - Bartholomew Room  
6700 Portland Avenue, 55423

#### Public Hearing: Tuesday, December 10, 2013

7 p.m., City Council Meeting  
Richfield Municipal Center – Council Chambers  
6700 Portland Avenue, 55423

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See the city website for more information:  
[www.cityofrichfield.org/millandoverlay](http://www.cityofrichfield.org/millandoverlay)

