

## **BYRAM TOWNSHIP**

### **Notice – Proposed Improvements to Forest Lake Drive**

On or about September 19, 2016, construction work will occur along Forest Lake Drive located within the limits of Byram Township. The construction activities will include minor repairs to Forest Lake Drive and the final cape sealing of the roadway. The repairs of Forest Lake Drive will be completed by the Byram Township Road Department. The cape sealing of Forest Lake Drive will be completed by Asphalt Paving Systems, Inc. of Hammonton, N.J. and Dosch-King Co., Inc. of Whippany, N.J.

The cape sealing work to be completed is a two (2) step process. The initial process will include the bituminous chip sealing of Forest Lake Drive. This work will be completed by the Dosch-King Co. (a subcontractor to Asphalt Paving Systems, Inc.). The bituminous chip seal is the same process of chip sealing that occurred in the Forest Lake community last year and will consist of the mechanical placement of a emulsified asphalt/stone chip seal surface on the roadway. Roadway traffic can utilize the roadway immediately after the bituminous chip seal is applied.

Approximately one (1) week after the chip seal work is completed, the roadway will be swept to remove loose stone. A final micro-surfacing overlay will then be placed on the roadway. The micro-surfacing overlay is a thin layer of emulsified asphalt and aggregate that will serve to overlay the bituminous chip seal and further extend the structural life of the roadway. The micro-surfacing overlay will be applied by a mechanical spreader and will need to cure for approximately 1 ½ hours after the application is complete. No vehicular traffic can occur during this period. Traffic control during this curing period will be jointly handled by the Byram Township Road Department and Asphalt Paving Systems. Any disturbance to access to residential homes will be kept to a minimum.

Weather permitting, all along Forest Lake Drive should be completed by Friday September 30, 2016.