



**PRESS RELEASE**

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**City of Erie Streets Improvement Program for the 2012 Construction Season**

(Erie, PA) June 5, 2012 At 10:30 a.m. today, Mayor Sinnott announced the City's Street Improvement Program for the 2012 Construction Season. It includes milling and asphalt resurfacing of curbed and non-curbed asphalt streets, crack sealing and resurfacing of concrete streets, asphalt patching, general crack sealing, curb damage repairs and painting of traffic lines and crosswalks. In addition, Bureau of Streets daily operations such as street sweeping, installation of street signs, street light surveys, alley repairs and pothole patching will be continuing.

There will be contracts for bid for milling and asphalt resurfacing of paved streets. The contracts will also provide for the installation of concrete curb ramps where required at the intersections of streets to be milled and resurfaced.

Mayor Sinnott expressed that this is an ambitious streets program this year. Completion of all work listed will be contingent upon weather conditions and bid prices. Additional streets may be added if time and funding permit. Contracted work will improve entire blocks curb to curb where entire blocks are in poor condition. Selective work will improve only damaged areas of blocks where entire blocks are not damaged. The selective approach will save damaged areas on a broader scope and allocate scarce resources to more areas of the City.

**City Contracted Work**

Proposed Milling and Asphalt Resurfacing of Various City Streets & Installation of Concrete Curb Ramps	\$ 941,728
Proposed asphalt recycling and base repair	394,358
2012 Curb Ramps	650,000
Crack Sealing and pavement edge sealing	75,000
Curb Replacement	15,000

**Total Contracted Work** **\$2,076,086**

**City Bureau of Streets Work**

Pothole Patching	\$ 50,000
Milling, Resurfacing and Selective Resurfacing	465,203
Line Painting	60,000

**Total Bureau of Streets Work** **\$ 575,203**

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