

## Mackenzie County

<b>Title</b>	<b>ROAD MAINTENANCE</b>	<b>Policy No:</b>	<b>PW005</b>
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<b>Legislation Reference</b>	<b>Municipal Government Act, Section 18 and 532 (1)</b>
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<b>Purpose</b>  To establish maintenance standards for municipal roads.
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### **Policy Statement and Guidelines**

As determined by the Director of Operations or Designate:

Hard surfaced roads shall be patched, crack-sealed and line painted. Roads shall be resurfaced in accordance with the municipality's long range and annual road programs.

Oiled and calcium surfaced roads will be maintained if/when deemed necessary, at no additional operating cost to the County.

Gravel surfaces shall be graded and repaired and an annual gravelling program will be carried out in accordance with Policy PW012 Gravel Supply.

Winter grading operations shall be in accordance with Policy PW004 Winter Road Maintenance.

Signage shall be installed in accordance with generally accepted engineering standards. The "Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Canada" shall be used as a guide.

Inspections shall be carried out as follows:

- bridges and major culverts (4 foot diameter or greater): at least once annually, in accordance with bridge inspections/reports and if an incident occurs
- municipal paved roads: staff shall watch for and report any instances of deteriorated road conditions to ensure freedom from hazardous situations.
- local roads: during routine grader blading operations
- signage: staff shall watch for and report any instances where signage has been damaged or removed.

The Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to approve all routine maintenance operations within the approved budget.

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