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August 31, 2021

Sarah Macy, Town Clerk
Town of Newcastle
4 Pump Street
P.O. Box 386
Newcastle, ME 04553
Sent via email: smacy@newcastlemaine.us.

Subject: Pavement Preservation Mill and Fill Project
FEDERAL Project Number: 2544500 / STATE Project Number: 025445.00
US ROUTE 1

Dear Ms. Macy:

The Maine Department of Transportation is currently working on estimating a pavement preservation Mill and Fill project on US Route 1 in the Towns of Newcastle, Damariscotta and Nobleboro for advertisement of the subject project for competitive bids in March of **2022**. Construction will occur during the summer months of **2022**; exact start and completion dates will be forwarded once a schedule from the Contractor has been reviewed and approved. After the new pavement is placed, no permit to open this segment of highway will be granted for a period of three years except as provided in Title 23, M.R.S.A. §3352.

The project is further described as follows:

Beginning 0.05 of a mile north of Lynch Road in Newcastle and extending north 9.33 miles.

Initial review of the project has indicated that the work will be conducted at night.

The purpose of this letter is to make the necessary notifications of the project to abutters, municipal officials and occupants of the highway under the provisions of 23 M.R.S.A. § 3351. We hereby request that you provide a copy of this notice to all municipal officials, employees and boards with responsibilities for utility and/or land-use planning/permitting, and that you post this letter on any municipal public bulletin boards, media outlets and/or municipal websites as public meeting will not be held regarding this project unless specifically requested by the municipality.

The Department would like to know if there are any events or known traffic generators that would impact this project. Should you have any questions, concerns or other areas of interest, we would appreciate your comments and input. Please feel free to contact me at (207)-215-4051 with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Douglas C. Coombs'.

Douglas C. Coombs, P.L.S.
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