

Subject: RE: WMAC request for improvement of Streets in Westport Village
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Date: 5/6/2024, 10:02 AM
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Good Morning Mr. Van Bueren:

Yes, my name is spelled with two L(s) but back in 2001 when I went to work for the county then gave us only eight characters – last name truncated, first initial... so dashielh@mendocinocounty.gov

I do not need to schedule a field visit with the WMAC to have scores for your road surface conditions – the last Pavement Condition Index (PCI) were:

Pacific Avenue, CR 428A - 0.17mi - 85
Pelican Road, CR 428B - 0.08mi PCI Score - 83
Seaview Drive, CR 428C - 0.08mi PCI Score - 77
Abalone Street, CR 428D - 0.08mi PCI Score - 65
Omega Drive, CR 428E - 0.16mi PCI Score -78

Not great scores – but a “C” average where many other road segments in the county a “D” score to failing...

I cannot speak to “other funding sources” out there but I have yet to find any additional for local maintenance... there are some funds for *Three Rs - rebuild, repair, and replace*... these types of grant funds are typically ONLY awarded to "Federal Aid System, (e.g. on-system roads)" in a rehabilitation - preservation strategy for major roads - not local roads such as those in Westport.

Mendocino County Department of Transportation (MCDOT) will continue to do the best we can to maintain the drainage ditches and surfaces in Westport.

Cordially,
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Director Dashiell,

I'm hoping this gets to you since my best guess at your email address (below) was not correct.

thank you,

Thad Van Bueren, Chair
Westport MAC

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Subject: WMAC request for improvement of Streets in Westport Village

Date: Fri, 3 May 2024 09:38:43 -0700

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Dear Director Dashsiell,

We attach a letter mentioning longstanding community concerns about the streets in our village and our strong support for a project to address them with the help of state and federal funding coordinated with MCOG. I look forward to speaking with you and MCOG staff about opportunities to successfully pursue such an undertaking.

Thank you for considering our input. You can reach me at this email or by calling (707) 964-7272.

Sincerely,

Thad Van Bueren, Chairperson
Westport Municipal Advisory Council
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