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From:

Mayor DeVita <Swiftreach@laurelhollow.org>

Sent:

Thursday, August 4, 2022 1:17 PM

To:

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Subject: Stillwell Paving Delayed Until 2023

Dear Neighbor:

I have been informed by Town of Oyster Bay officials that the paving of Stillwell Lane, a Town Road, that was originally scheduled to be paved this year has been delayed until 2023. The reason for the delay is the fact that the skyrocketing cost of oil, which is a major ingredient in asphalt, has pushed the cost of paving roads this year beyond what the Town budgeted. Town officials have assured me that the road will be paved in 2023. Meanwhile, they have been responsive to filling fissures and potholes in the road and have promised to continue to do so until the road is paved.

I am as disappointed as the residents who live on Stillwell as I travel that road many times each day and know what a bone-jarring ride it can be. However, I also understand how the roads' budget can suddenly be obliterated by high oil prices. Their impact is felt at the gas pump and in every product in which oil is an ingredient, especially where it plays a major role as in asphalt. Until this road is paved, you can report any unfilled potholes to our clerks (516) 692-8826 who will inform the Town"s public works department, or text me at (516) 318-1845.

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