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Subject: Re: Kimberly Avenue

Thanks Ken. I hope NCDOT does give an update.Â

On Wed, Sep 21, 2022 at 3:37 PM Ken Putnam <kputnam@ashevillenc.gov> wrote:
Good afternoon Mayor Manheimer!Â The resurfacing project is ongoing and is on track to be completed by December 31, 2022.Â The NCDOT is collecting before hand data along Merrimon Avenue and the City has been collecting before hand data along some of the side streets.Â Staff has contacted NCDOT about releasing a press release and update and we're waiting on their response.

Please let me know if additional information is needed.

On Tue, Sep 20, 2022 at 6:10 AM Esther Manheimer <esthermanheimer@avlouncil.com> wrote:
We might want to put out a press release with an update since everyone was told the road diet would go in this summer and now there is traffic count tubing all along merrimon. Is that the city doing the traffic study or DOT? And is that to get a baseline before the project goes in?
Iâ€™ve been getting some questions.Â
ThanksÂ

On Mon, Sep 19, 2022 at 9:29 AM Ken Putnam <kputnam@ashevillenc.gov> wrote:
Good morning Don!Â Thanks for your recent request regarding the need for improvements to Kimberly Avenue in advance of the project along US 25 (Merrimon Avenue).Â We have initiated a traffic engineering review which will include traffic counts and speed data.Â Once all of this information is collected and reviewed, we will share the results with you.Â Due to our currentÂ workload, the review will take 60 to 90 days to complete.

Please let me know if additional information is needed.

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