

# ***Town of Copake Highway Department***

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## ***Highway Department July 2014 Monthly Report:***

*Double chip sealed Van de Carr, Robin, Bluebird, Oriole and Pheasant Roads. This involves a two layer application of a layer of asphalt emulsion that is then covered by a layer of stone aggregate. The oil seals and protects the existing gravel base. The stone, once embedded in the oil, provides a wearing course for vehicular traffic.*

*Motor paved Chrysler Pond Road. This process is a cold mix stone and oil mixture overlaying the existing pavement. We will then apply a single chip seal to finish.*

*We installed culvert pipes on Black Grocery and Connelly Roads*

*We finished the annual cleaning of the ditches on our gravel roads. After the ditches are cleaned of debris and reshaped to carry rain runoff, we grade, and gravel the road surface*

*Continued to haul road materials into our stockpiles for future road work*

*Spent one day repairing/replacing road signs*

*Continued road side mowing*

*Pothole patched one day*

*Repaired washouts in several ditches; roads worked on were: Birch Hill, Connelly and Cambridge*

*Inter-departmental assistance the Highway Department provided:  
Town*

*We put up and took down the Hamlet American Flags for Independence Day  
and Community Day*

*Enclosed the exhaust fan opening in the town hall attic*

*Replaced the Hamlet Banners*

*We hung the Copake Falls Day banners*

***Park***

***Assisted in setting up for Community Day  
Replaced the photocells on the Park Building***

***Copake Fire Company***

***We installed a portable deck gun mount on 14-1***

***Inter-municipal Cooperation included:***

***Town of Ancram***

***They assisted us in paving and sealing  
They assisted us in making repairs on the Town Hall and hanging the  
Copake Falls Day banners***

***Town of Hillsdale***

***They assisted us in paving and sealing***