



Public Service Announcement:

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Altama Asphalt Recycling

GLYNN COUNTY, Ga. – Due to rutting and cracking, the asphalt in Altama Avenue required milling off of the old asphalt and resurfacing back to the original profile as it was first constructed. The asphalt milled from Altama Avenue, in preparation for resurfacing, was retained by the Glynn County Public Works for use in routine maintenance projects. Some of the material was taken directly to a new project on the block next to the W. Harold Pate building between H and I Streets. Glynn County Public Works utilized the milled asphalt to create driving lanes on the formerly all dirt block. The dirt lanes were well worn and often hard to navigate due to deep ruts after a hard rain. The project was designed in house and completed using County staff and equipment. The new parking design provides grassed parking as an eco-friendly and financial savings verses an entire asphalt parking lot. The paving is a cost-efficient short-term solution for this area, but the final use for this block is still yet undetermined. As per the Engineer’s estimate, the new roads would have costs Glynn County approximately \$90,000 if the project had been let out to bid with other projects similar in nature.

As part of the SPLOST 2016 projects, the Altama Avenue resurfacing project started on Monday, June 18, 2018, and began at Fourth Street and extended to the Brunswick city limits. Altama Boulevard was one of thirty-five roads included in the 2018 Local Maintenance and Improvement Grant (LMIG) contract let by Glynn County.