

Magnesium Chloride Treatments

In addition to its dust control benefits, mag chloride increases the stabilization of the road and reduces the maintenance needed for unpaved roads by controlling the formation of potholes. The staff from the Meade County Highway Department will provide regular updates regarding the 2022 application of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl₂, or Mag Water) on select roadways. Our hope is that frequent updates will assist the public as they plan their days and, in turn, will give them the opportunity to modify the scheduling of their business and travel routes, if so desired. No roadways will be closed because of this process; however, short delays in some areas may occur. Work will begin on Wednesday, June 8th and will continue for approximately 5-6 weeks. Work will occur during the day from Monday-Thursday of each week. Following is the tentative plan for July 18th – 21st. Please direct questions to the Meade County Highway Department at 605.347.4565.

July 18th - 19th: Dyess Avenue, 224th Street

July 20th – 21st: Horseshoe Road, Elk Creek Road

Please reference the attached map for treatment areas.

