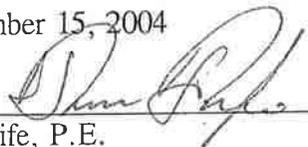


**FRANKLIN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**  
**ROAD MAINTENANCE POLICY AND PROCEDURE STATEMENT**

**R.P.P. 3**

**SUBJECT:** Vegetation Spraying

**EFFECTIVE:** December 15, 2004

**ISSUED BY:**   
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Tim Fife, P.E.  
Public Works Director/County Engineer

Policy

It is the policy of Franklin County Public Works Department that asphalt roads will be sprayed with a herbicide to control roadside vegetation, except those adjacent to lawns or plantings highly susceptible to herbicide damage and urban areas. Gravel roads will be sprayed as needed and dependent upon budget.

Adjacent property owners may request, annually, that the County not spray and they agree to control the weeds. The request not to spray must be made in writing on a form provided by the Public Works Director/County Engineer prior to January 1<sup>st</sup> of the requested year. If the property owner does not control the weeds as agreed, the County will resume vegetation spraying in that area.