

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
STREET MAINTENANCE DIVISION
SIDEWALK REPAIR POLICY

The primary purpose of sidewalk is to provide a means for pedestrian foot traffic, typically near a road. The Street Maintenance Division receives many calls from residents and businesses requesting sidewalk repairs. The issues identified range from scaling (scaled or chipped concrete), section depressions, and drainage issues.

When sidewalk issues are reported, the sidewalk in question is inspected and assigned a repair priority according to the severity of the damage.

A sidewalk is repaired if it meets one or more of the following criteria:

- 1) A sidewalk section that deviates from the adjoining section by one and one-half (1-1/2) inch or more across the sidewalk.
- 2) Severe scaling with at least one (1) inch depressions.
- 3) Sidewalk with a drainage issue will only be repaired when it is determine to be a health or safety issue.

Cosmetic problems are generally not repaired unless they meet one of the previously listed criteria.