

PROS & CONS of Outsourcing Permit Patches – Permit Holder Responsible

PROS

- Frees up time to perform maintenance & extend life of streets
- Less work on the front end for City staff
- No out of pocket costs for the City
- Much less administrative time for city staff upfront and on back end (billing, etc.)
- Total control over contractor / permit holder

CONS

- Offsetting Revenue for labor goes away
- Potential for unqualified contractors performing sloppy work
- No timeline on repair
- No control of repair in critical traffic or special event areas due to unknown timelines
- Needs to be inspected by City
- Costs to permit holder will increase