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To The Council:

Please seriously consider reducing the amount of the assessment charged to property ID# 07-28-22-44-0032 by 50%.

The attached photos will show the unacceptable sealcoating of my street and alley. The sealcoating wasn't worth $1302.63. I would never pay a private company that much money to do so little. The attached pictures show that there are still cracks and holes in the street and alley. The holes were not filled. Just coated. The street and alley remain cracked and crumbly. Which is why my street and alley look like they belong in a ghetto. Please don't treat my West Side neighborhood like a ghetto and charge me like I live in an expensive suburb. $1302.63 is excessive for the product I received.

In addition, I don't know how the tar(black coat) they were using ended up on my garage door frame. But it did. And it's stuck on my garage door permanently. (See pictures.)

Street repairs should be coming out of our property taxes. Why am I paying taxes? If it isn't covering street repairs, then what exactly am I paying taxes for?

Thank you for considering my appeal.

Respectfully,

Bernadette Monsour