

## 2018 Twisp Downtown Improvements Project

The Town of Twisp will begin a Downtown Improvements Project in early July of 2018. The \$967,928 project has been awarded to Pipkin Construction of Wenatchee. Project funding is predominately provided through grants from the Washington State Transportation Improvement Board (TIB) and the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development. Project completion is anticipated in October of 2018.

The project consists of the reconstruction of deteriorating roadways and replacement of aging, undersized, water system. The roadway portion of the project will include the reconstruction and repaving of deteriorating roadways, construction of a sidewalk along 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave from Glover St to the east end of 2nd, as well as corrections to the grade at the intersection of 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave and Lincoln St, and stormwater control improvements.

The water system improvement portion of the project will include replacement of under-sized and aging steel watermains with approximately 1,650 feet of eight-inch water main. Water meters, service lines, and fire hydrants will also be upgraded in conjunction with the watermain replacement.

This is an extensive project that will affect many residents during the construction phase and benefit the entire community upon it's completion. We are excited about the infrastructure improvements that are planned over the next few years, starting with this "Downtown Improvement Project".