# Pavement Condition Rating

Foundation of your Pavement Management System

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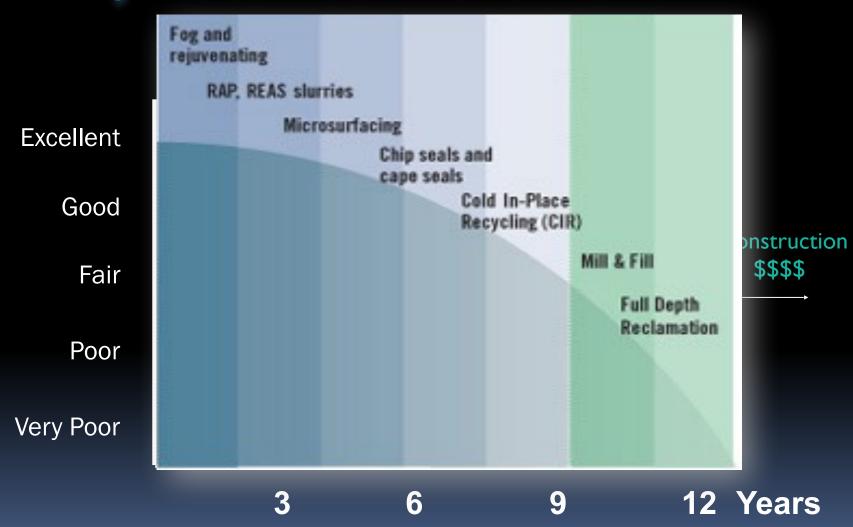
#### Today's Agenda

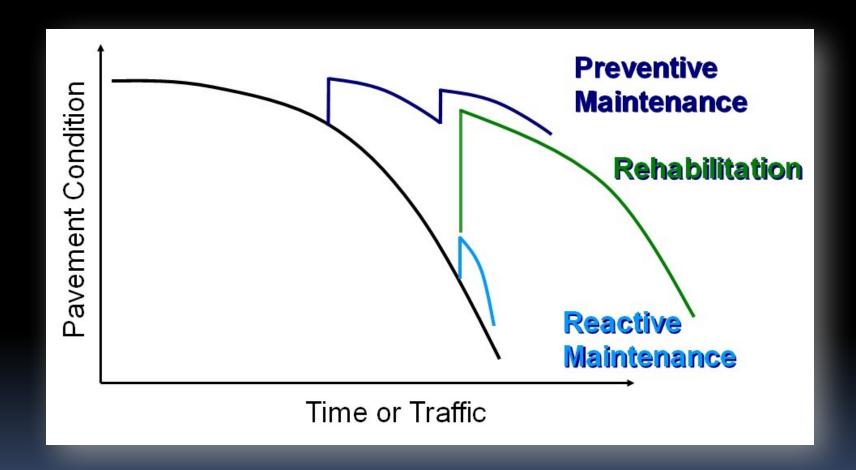
- Introductions
- Why rate your pavement?
- What you need to know
- Pavement rating methods
- Pavement rating exercise
- Pavement management systems
- Wrap-up

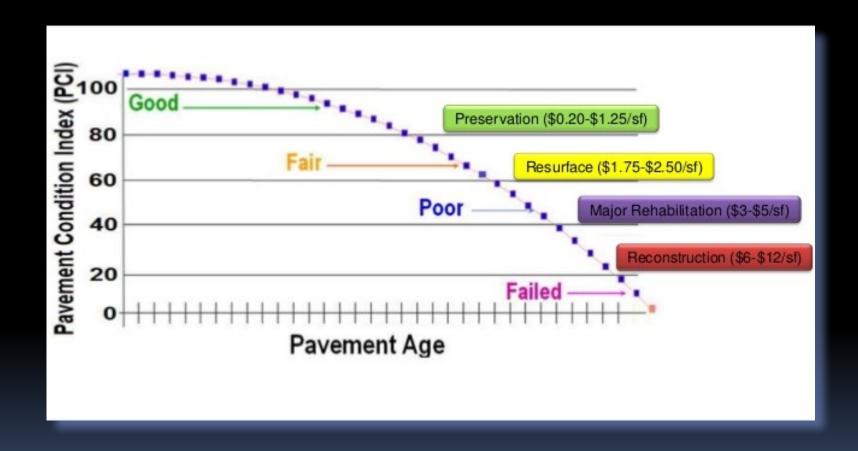
Asset management



- Pavement management
  - Inventory pavement conditions
  - Prioritize ratings
  - Maintain system
  - Schedule repairs







#### **Pavement Evaluation Methods**

- Nondestructive testing
- Destructive testing
- Ride quality
- Roughness (International Roughness Index)
- Skid resistance
- Pavement serviceability index

#### **Pavement Evaluation Methods**

- Visual inspection
  - Benefits
  - Cost
  - Frequency

### **Inspection Guidelines**

- What to look for
  - Defect
  - Severity
  - Extent
- Rating scale
- Rating calculation

## Rating Considerations

- Mode used
- How to evaluate
  - Predominate severity
  - Extent of each severity
- What to look at
- Segment length
- Timing

#### Flexible Pavement Distresses

Cracking

Fatigue Cracking Square

Block Cracking Square

**Edge Cracking** 

Wheel Path Longitudinal Cracking

Non-Wheel Path Longitudinal Cracking

Reflection Cracking at Joints

Transverse Cracking

Patching and Potholes

Patch/Patch Deterioration

Potholes

**Surface Deformation** 

Rutting

Shoving

**Surface Defects** 

Bleeding Square

Polished Aggregate

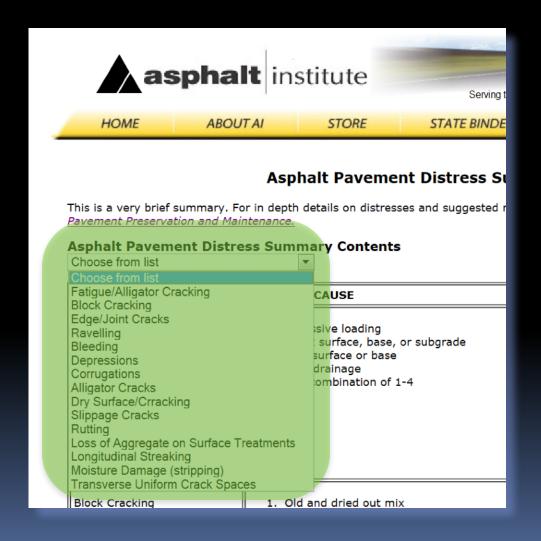
Raveling Square

Miscellaneous Distresses

Lane-to-Shoulder Drop-off

Water Bleeding and Pumping

#### Flexible Pavement Distresses



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Fatigue (alligator) cracking

**Bleeding** 

**Block cracking** 

**Corrugation and shoving** 

**Depression** 

Joint reflection cracking

Lane/shoulder drop-off

**Longitudinal cracking** 

**Patching** 

Polished aggregate

**Potholes** 

Raveling

Rutting

Slippage cracking

**Stripping** 

Transverse cracking

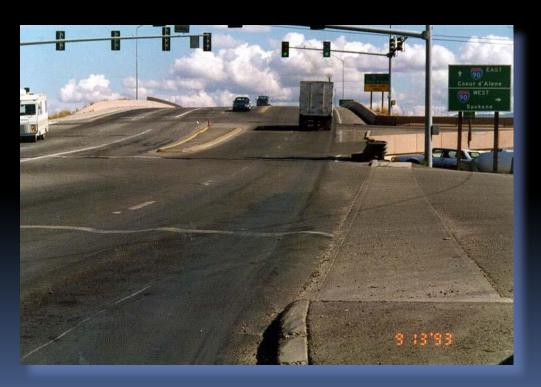
Water bleeding & pumping

#### What You Need to Know...

- Distress
  - How to identify
  - Causes
  - How to measure

## **Rutting and Wear**

- What is it?
- Why is it a problem?
- Causes



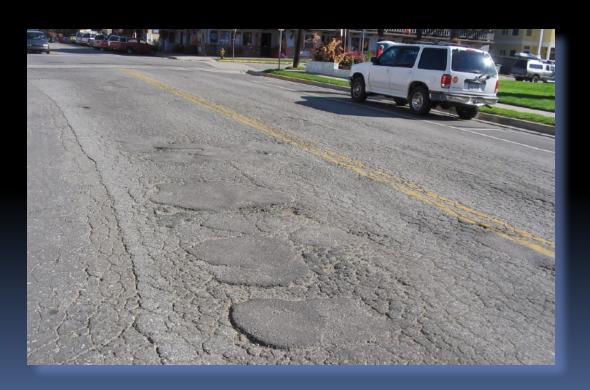
# **Rutting and Wear**

How to measure



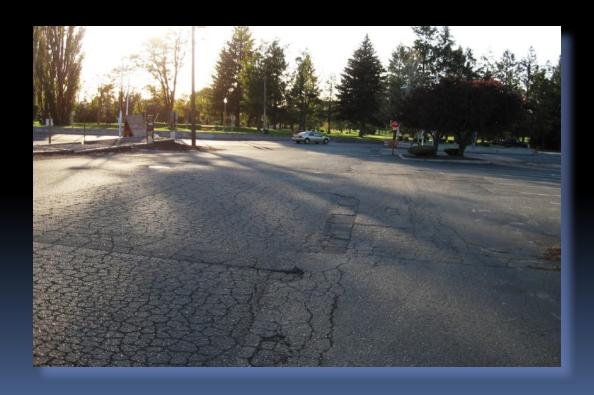
# Alligator Cracking

- What is it?
- Why is it a problem?
- Causes



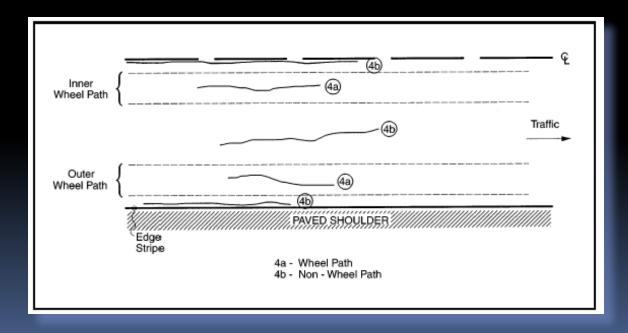
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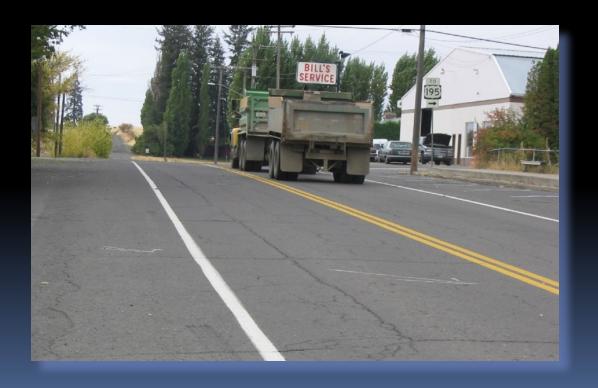
## **Longitudinal Cracking**

- What is it?
  - Wheel path or non-wheel path
- Why is it a problem?



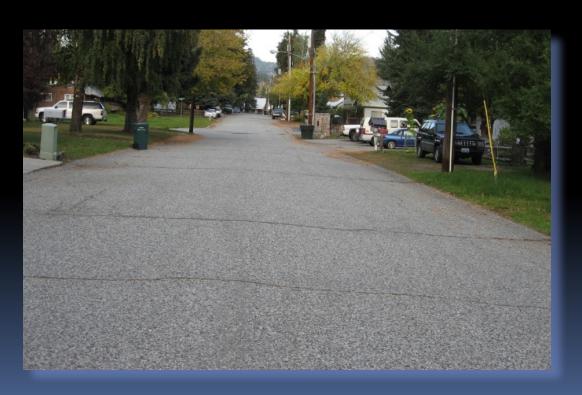
# **Longitudinal Cracking**

- Causes
- How to measure



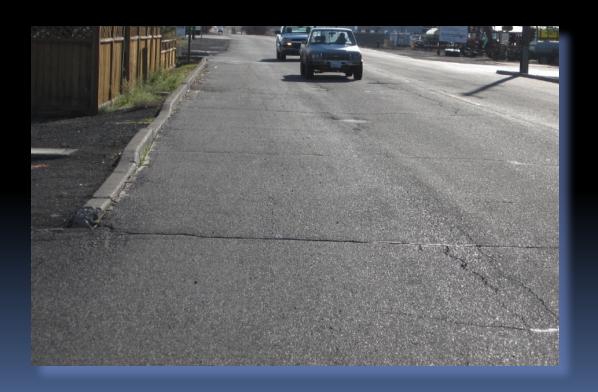
# **Transverse Cracking**

- What is it?
- Why is it a problem?
- Causes



# **Transverse Cracking**

How to measure



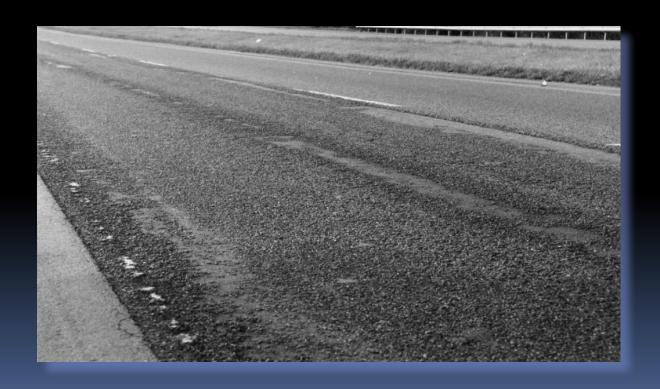
## Raveling and Aging

- What is it?
- Why is it a problem?
- Causes



# Raveling and Aging

How to measure



# Flushing / Bleeding

- Causes
- How to measure



# **Patching**

- Severity
- How to measure



## **Corrugation and Waves**

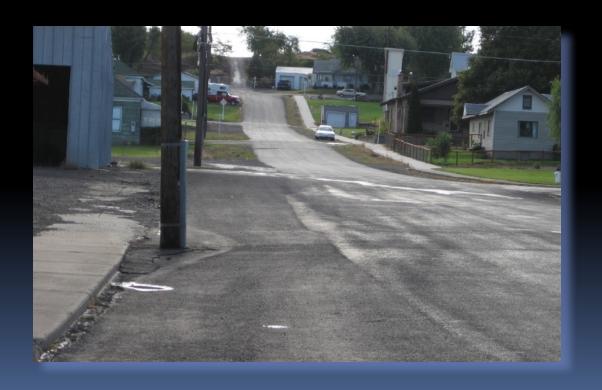
Causes

How to measure



# Sags and Humps

- Causes
- How to measure



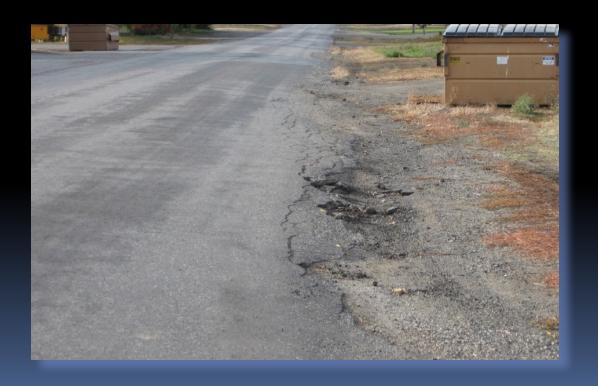
# **Block Cracking**

- Causes
- How to measure



# **Pavement Edge Condition**

- Causes
- How to measure



#### **Crack Seal Condition**

How to measure



#### **How to Evaluate Sections**

- Determine section limits
- Determine section geometrics
- Evaluate entire section for distress severity & extent
- Determine pavement rating

#### **Distress Measurement**

- Project-level analysis
  - Measure areas & lengths with wheel
  - Annotate all measurements
  - Mark boundaries of alligatored areas
- System-level review
  - Approximate area or length of all distresses present on surface

# **Measurement of Distresses**



### **TIB Street Inventory**

- Detailed inventory data
- Streamlined pavement rating

Agency										R	eview	er						
Street Name																		
Termini										То								
Section Length				gth	Number Intersections including termini													
Average Pavement Width (feet)				et)					Number Co				pliant	ADA F	Ramps			
Number of Travel Lanes				-	Number ADA Ramps Needed													
Roadway Surfacing				-	□ ACP □ Concrete □ Gravel													
Shoulder Surfacing Parking Lanes			-	□ Paved         □ Gravel         □ Earth         □ Unpaved Parkin           □ One Side         □ Both Sides         □ Intermittent         □ None											arking			
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Surfacing  Curb Placement (Percent of Length)				-								+						
Curb Placem	ent (Pe	rcent or	Lengu	n)								_					_	
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		(1) Hair (2) Spal (3) Spal	ine ling Ing & Pu	mping														
Ride Factor Excellent = 100% Very Good = 95% Good = 90% Fair = 80% Poor = 70%	Severity	11012%	13 to 24%	25 to 49%	50 to 74%	Over 74 %	Less than 3/8" Wide	Over 3/8" Wide	Any Cack surrounded by over 3/8" cracks	Less Than 3/8" Wide	Over 3/8" Wide	Spalled	Good	Fair	Poor	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	RIDE FACTOR	PAVEMENT RATING (100 – Deductions) xRide Fa
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	2	30	35	40	45	50	15	30	50	10	20	40	15	20	30			
	3	45	50	55	60	65	20	40	65	15	30	50	20	30	40			
OMMENTS:					,													

# **Exercise Rating Worksheet**

How form works

Street In	ventory Fo	orm		Review Date					
Agency	YOUR AGENCY	•		Reviewer					
Street Name Termini	TEST AVENUE BEGINNING CROSS SECTION To ENDING CROSS SECTION					N			
	Section Length	350 FT						_	
Average Pavement Width (feet) 28								_	
	Number of Travel Lanes	2						_	
Roadway Surfacing		☑ ACP ☐ Concrete ☐ Gravel							
Shoulder Surfacing		☑ Paved	☐ Gravel	☐ Earth	☐ Unpave	d Parki	ng	_	
Paved Parking Lanes One			One Side ☐ Both Sides ☐ Intermittent ☑ None						
Asphalt	ALLIGATOR (		LONGITUDINAL CRACKING Percent of Length	TRANSVERSE CRACKING Cracks per 100 feet	PATCHING Percent of Area				
Concrete Pavement	(1) Hairline (2) Spalling		(1) < 100% (2) 100% to 200%	(1) 1 to 4 (2) 5 to 9	(1) 1 to 5% (2) 6 to 25%	TIONS	80	ONITA	

### **Field Exercise**

- Location
- Segments

#### **Location Choice**

- Grandridge and Young
  - Close
  - Limited distresses

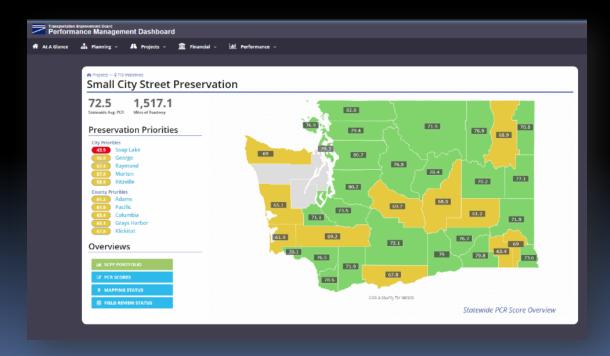
- Arthur Street
  - 2.7 miles away
  - Variation of distresses

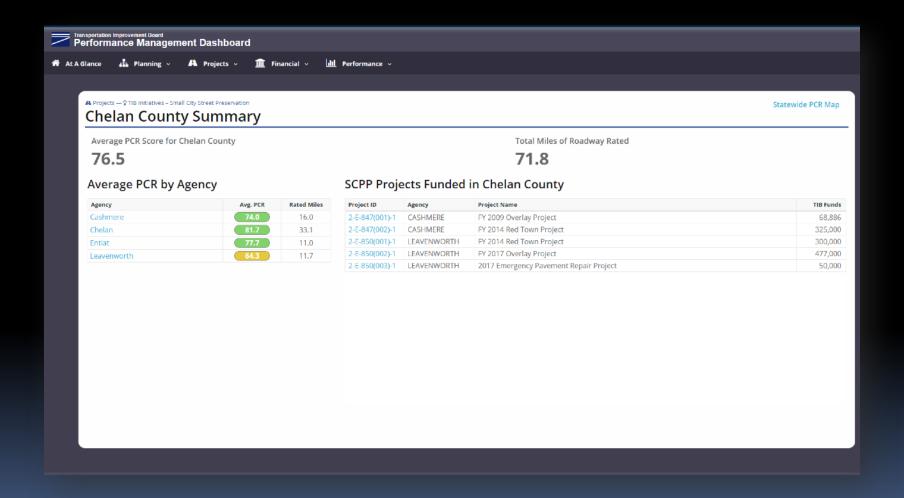


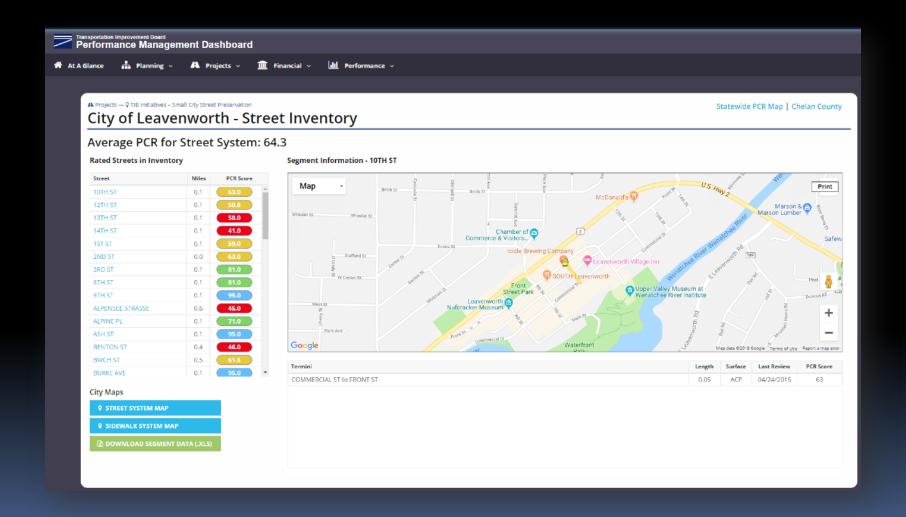
## Field Exercise Recap

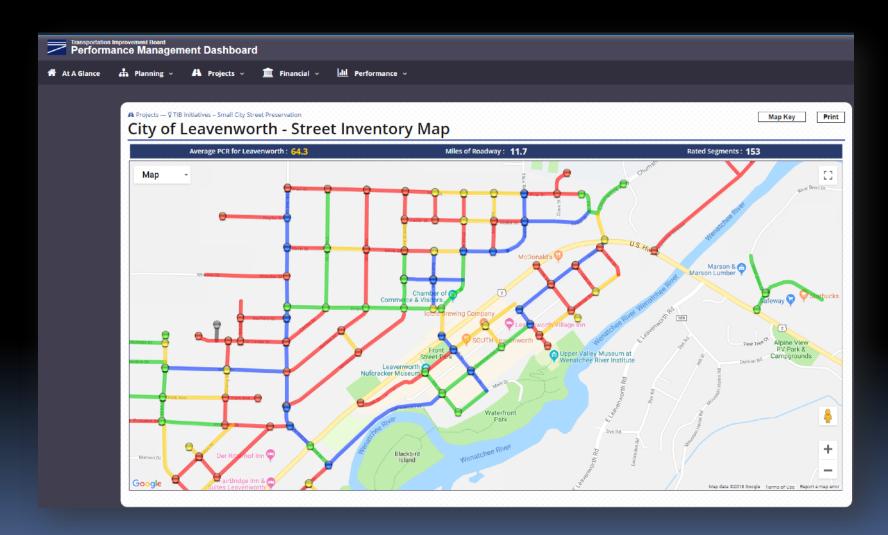
- Identification
- Calculation of pavement condition rating
- Issues encountered

- Available to all small cities
- Link http://www.tib.wa.gov/Dashboard/modules/ SmallCityMaintenance/

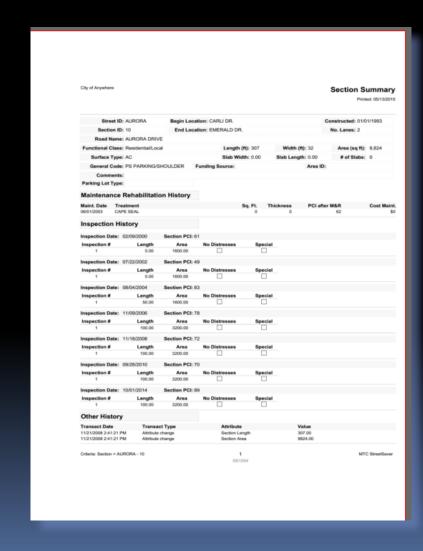




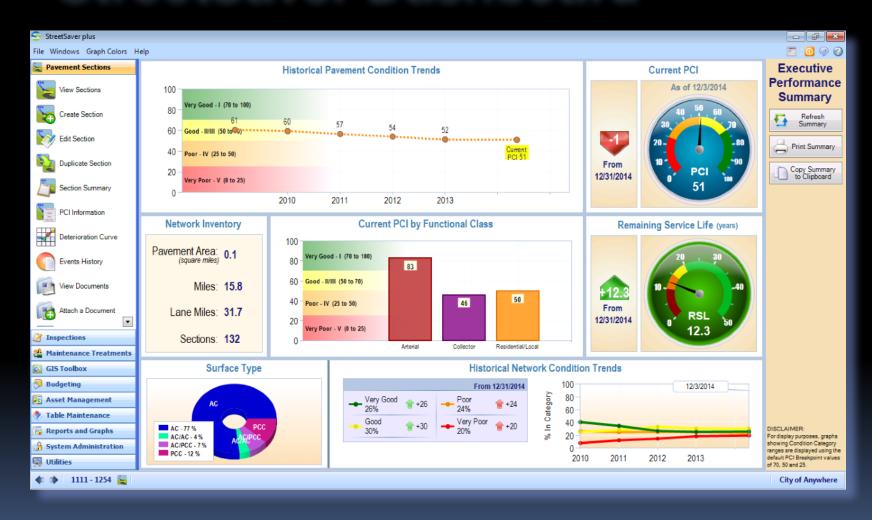




## StreetSaver Inventory Detail



#### StreetSaver Dashboard



## **Pavement Rating Considerations**

- Stewardship
- Agency method/standards
- Consistency
- Scheduling
- Reality check

