

## NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

## RIDE QUALITY SPECIFICATION 2014

BY

NARINDER S. KOHLI, P.E.
PRINCIPAL ENGINEER
PAVEMENT DESIGN, NJDOT
(609) 530 8140
NARINDER.KOHLI@DOT.STATE.NJ.US

## **AGENDA**

- NEW TABLE 401.03.03-7
- CURRENT AND NEW SPEC.
   COMPARISON
- CHANGES IN LOCALIZED FACTORS
- PAY ADJUSTMENT ESTIMATOR
- EXAMPLES

#### **TABLE 401.03.03-7** PAY EQUATIONS FOR RIDE QUALITY

## PAY ADJUSTMENT EQUATION BASED ON NETWORK IRI PERFORMANCE DATA

$$PA = \frac{\$2,148.61}{(-37.75347 * Ln(Target\ IRI) + 194.87)} - \frac{\$2,148.61}{(-37.75347 * Ln(Sublot\ IRI) + 194.87)}$$

AVERAGE COST
OF
REPLACING THE PAVEMENT PER LOT.

**AVERAGE COST IS REPLACED WITH THE PROJECT SPECIFIC COST** 

$$1267.2 \times \left[ \frac{M}{9} + \frac{ND}{150} \right]$$

#### **TABLE 401.03.03-7** PAY EQUATIONS FOR RIDE QUALITY

Table 401.03.03-7 Pay Equations for Ride Quality						
		Excluded	Pay Equation(s)			
				PA on lots of 0.01 mile length		
	from MP 20	.3 to	NB	PA=PAE		
MP 22.	MP 22.2		Lane 1 - 5 Lane 2 - 6	Target IRI (T) = 60 Inch/Mile		
Pay Adju	ustment		A	A		
Equatio	Equation (PAE)= $-37.75$		$347 \times LN(T) + 194.87 - 37.75347 \times LN(IRI) + 194.87$			
A=	$1267.2 \times \left[ \frac{M}{9} + \frac{ND}{150} \right]$					
M=	Bid price of	Milling, p	er Square Yard			
N=	Bid price of last lift of the pavement structure to be evaluated, per Ton					
D=	Average thickness of last lift to be evaluated, Inch					
-	Target IRI fo	r Bridge	Deck Overlay and	equal to Target IRI (T) of travel lanes of		
T <sub>Deck</sub> =	the roadway section where Overlaid Bridge Deck is located.					

#### **TABLE 401.03.03-7** PAY EQUATIONS FOR RIDE QUALITY

#### Table 401.03.03-7 Pay Equations for Ride Quality

	Excluded Lots		Pay Equation(s)		
		PA on lots of 0.01 mile length			
Route A Ramps and	Will include, if tested	IRI ≤ 120	PA = \$0		
Shoulders and other paved sections		120 < IRI ≤ 170	$PA = (IRI - 120) \times (-\$10.00)$		
within the project limit not included		IRI > 170	Maximum Negative Pay or		
above.			Corrective action		
Overlaid Bridge	None	PA on lots of 0.01 mile length			
Decks on Route A Between		IRI <t<sub>Deck</t<sub>	PA=PAE		
MP 20.3 and MP		T <sub>Deck</sub> ≤IRI≤120	PA=0		
22.2		120 <iri≤170< td=""><td>PA=PAE</td></iri≤170<>	PA=PAE		
		IRI>170	Maximum Negative Pay or Corrective action		

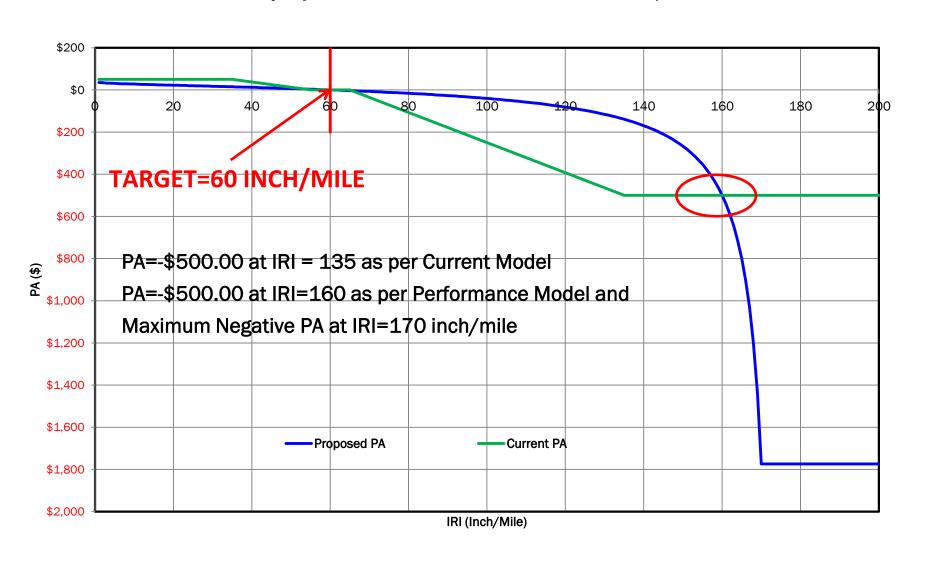
# COMPARISON OF CURRENT PAY ADJUSTMENT EQUATION AND NEW PAY ADJUSTMENT EQUATION

	2010 Spec	2014 Spec		
Base IRI	45 inch/mile for Freeway/ Limited Access Highway	50 inch/mile for Freeway/Limited Access Highway		
	55 inch/mile for other than Freeway/Limited	60 Inch/Mile for other than freeway with speed limit ≥35 MPH		
	Access Highway	70 Inch/mile for other than freeway with speed limit <35 MPH		
Type of Pay Adjustment equations	Linear slopes on both sides of zero band with positive pay adjustment	Based on models developed from the Network IRI Performance data		
	to negative pay adjustment ratio= <u>1:10</u>	\$200		
		\$200 50 100 150 200 \$400		
		\$600 \$800 \$1,000 \$1,200 \$1,400 \$1,600 \$1,800 \$2,000		

IRI (Inch/Mile)

	2010 Spec	2014 Spec
Maximum Positive Pay Adjustment	\$50 at Target IRI-25.	<ul> <li>Depend on     -Type of treatment and     -Bid price of surface course.</li> <li>Opportunity to earn positive PA greater than \$50</li> </ul>
Maximum Negative Pay Adjustment	\$-500.00 at Target IRI+75	<ul> <li>Depend on -Type of treatment and -Bid price of surface course.</li> <li>Maximum negative PA=Cost of Surface course of a lot at IRI=170 Inch/Mile</li> </ul>
Slope of Negative Pay Adjustment	Linear, Pay Adjustment for every 1 inch/mile IRI beyond zero band = -\$7.143	<ul> <li>Exponential slope,</li> <li>Flat close to the target and steeper as IRI approaches to 170 inch/mile.</li> <li>Similar slopes within 30-40 inch/mile on either side of target.</li> </ul>

Pay Adjustment based on CURRENT and NEW PA Equations



IRI	PA		IRI	PA
50	\$6		61	-\$1
51	\$6	\$200 \$0 100 150 200	62	-\$1
52	\$5	\$400	63	-\$2
53	\$5	\$800 \$1,000 \$1,000	64	-\$3
54	\$4	\$1,200 <b>\( \frac{\overline{\psi}}{\Psi} \) \$1,400 <b>\( \frac{\overline{\psi}}{\Psi} \)</b></b>	65	-\$4
55	\$3	\$1,600 \$1,800	66	-\$4
56	\$3	\$2,000 IRI (Inch/Mile)	67	-\$5
57	\$2		68	-\$6
58	\$1	Target = 60 Inch/Mile	69	-\$7
59	\$1	PA=0	70	-\$7

## **EXCLUSIONS**

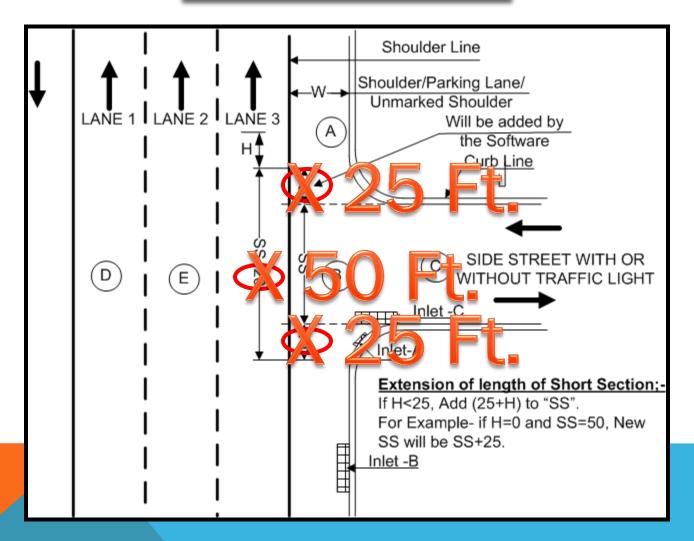
## **Exclusions**

## IMPEDIMENTS MANHOLES, INLETS, UTILITY VALVES

Threshold for impediments = 2 ft 50 ft

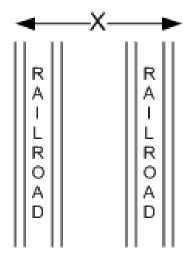
Already implemented in projects advertised on or after September 1, 2013.

### **Exclusions**





## **Exclusions**



Exclusion Width=X+Threshold length of Impediment

#### FIGURE 9

#### **RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENTS**

## HOW TO ESTIMATE PAY ADJUSTMENTS DURING BID?

#### **RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENTS**



## RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT ESTIMATOR Version 1.0

Will be available SOON on NJDOT RIDE QUALITY WEB PAGE

## Main Menu

#### NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### **Pavement Design Unit**

#### RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT ESTIMATOR Main Menu

#### **DISCLAIMER**

This Ride Quality Requirements (RQR)Pay Adjustment estimator tool prepared by the New Jersey Department of Transportation as a helping tool to estimate Pay Adjustment using performance based Pay Adjustment Equations. It is made available to authorized users only. This tool is just for estimate purpose and it is not intended as a substitute for actual ride quality pay adjustment calculated by the department. The actual pay adjustment may be slightly different than the actual pay adjustment due to method of calculation or rounding off each lot.

The New Jersey Department of Transportation makes great effort to update information in this version of software available on NJDOT web site. However, portions of the information contained in this software may be incorrect or not current. Any errors or omissions should be reported to RQSPECSUPPORT@DOT.STATE.NJ.US for investigation and correction.

Unauthorized modifications or attempts to modify any information in this software are not allowed.

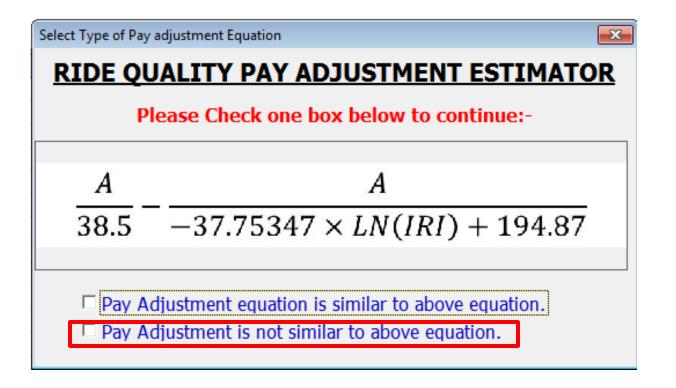
□ I Confirm that I have read above disclaimer and I understand it.

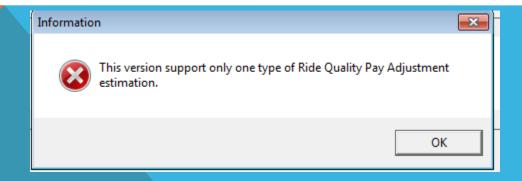
CONTINUE

Last Updated on: 12/16/2013

Exit

Version: 1.00







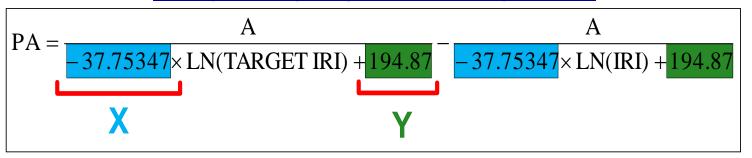
#### **NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

#### RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT ANALYSIS

Bid Price of Milling existing HMA per Square Yard
Bid Price of Surface Course Mix (final riding surface) per Ton
Thickness of surface course lift (final riding surface)
COEFFICIENTS FROM PAY ADJUSTMENT EQUATION

\$3.00 \$80.00 2 Inch

#### **Sample Pay adjustment equation**



Please enter above COEFFICIENTS from pay adjustment equation of a project to be analyzed

X= -37.7535

Y= 194.87

Target IRI,

60 Inch/Mile

IRI interval for Pay adjustment Calculation

1 Inch/Mile

**CALCULATE PAY ADJUSTMENT** 



#### **NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

#### **BIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT ANALYSIS**

#### **INPUT**

Bid Price of Milling existing HMA per Square Yard	\$3.00
Bid Price of Surface Course Mix (final riding surface) per Ton	\$80.00
Thickness of surface course lift (final riding surface), Inch	2

Pay adjustment Factors

X= -37.75347

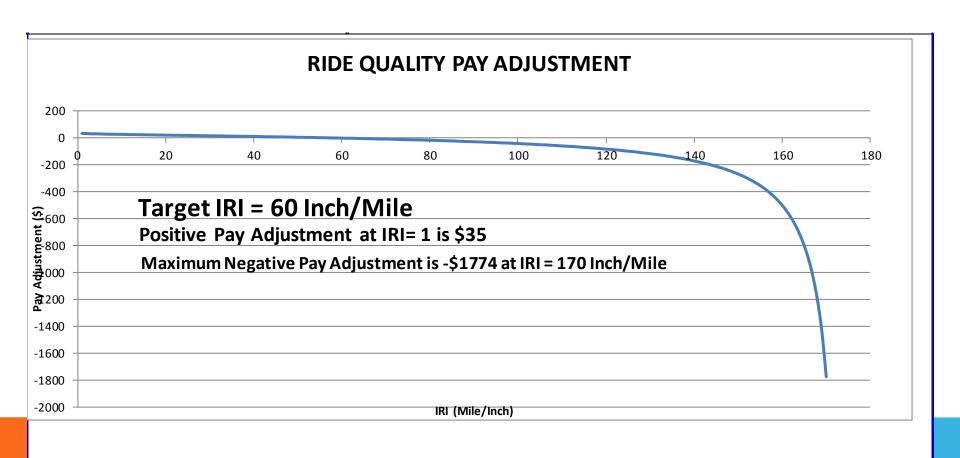
Y= 194.87

#### **RESULTS**

TARGET IRI = 60 Inch/Mile

Pay Adjustment (\$) = 44.0281 - 1774.08
-37.75347XLN(IRI) + 194.87

	PAY ADJUSTMENT												
IRI	PA	IRI	PA	IRI	PA	IRI	PA	IRI	PA	IRI	PA	IRI	PA
1	\$35	26	\$19	51	\$6	76	\$13	101	\$42	126	\$100	151	\$281
2	\$34	27	\$19	52	\$5	77	\$13	102	\$44	127	\$104	152	\$297
3	\$32	28	\$18	53	\$5	78	\$14	103	\$45	128	\$108	153	\$314
4	\$32	29	\$18	54	\$4	79	\$15	104	\$47	129	\$112	154	\$333
5	\$31	30	\$17	55	\$3	80	\$16	105	\$49	130	\$116	155	\$353
6	\$30	31	\$17	56	\$3	81	\$17	106	\$50	131	\$120	156	\$376
7	\$29	32	\$16	57	\$2	82	\$18	107	\$52	132	\$124	157	\$402
8	\$29	33	\$16	58	\$1	83	\$19	108	\$54	133	\$129	158	\$430
9	\$28	34	\$15	59	\$1	84	\$20	109	\$56	134	\$134	159	\$463
10	\$28	35	\$15	60	\$0	85	\$21	110	\$58	135	\$139	160	\$499
11	\$27	36	\$14	61	\$1	86	\$22	111	\$60	136	\$145	161	\$542
12	\$26	37	\$14	62	\$1	87	\$24	112	\$62	137	\$150	162	\$591
13	\$26	38	\$13	63	\$2	88	\$25	113	\$64	138	\$156	163	\$648
14	\$25	39	\$13	64	\$3	89	\$26	114	\$66	139	\$163	164	\$717
15	\$25	40	\$12	65	\$4	90	\$27	115	\$69	140	\$170	165	\$800
16	\$24	41	\$12	66	\$4	91	\$28	116	\$71	141	\$177	166	\$902
17	\$24	42	\$11	67	\$5	92	\$29	117	\$74	142	\$184	167	\$1,032
18	\$23	43	\$10	68	\$6	93	\$31	118	\$76	143	\$192	168	\$1,203
19	\$23	44	\$10	69	\$7	94	\$32	119	\$79	144	\$201	169	\$1,436
20	\$22	45	\$9	70	\$7	95	\$33	120	\$82	145	\$210	170	\$1,774
21	\$22	46	\$9	71	\$8	96	\$35	121	\$84	146	\$220		
22	\$21	47	\$8	72	\$9	97	\$36	122	\$87	147	\$230		
23	\$21	48	\$8	73	\$10	98	\$37	123	\$90	148	\$242		
24	\$20	49	\$7	74	\$11	99	\$39	124	\$94	149	\$254		
25	\$20	50	\$6	75	\$12	100	\$40	125	\$97	150	\$267		
Positive	Positive Pay Adjustment at IRI= 1 is \$35 Maximum Negative Pay Adjustment is -\$1774 at IRI = 170 Inch/Mile												



## EXAMPLES

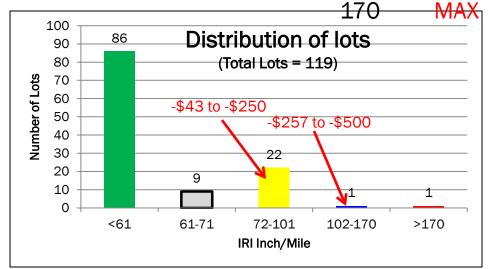


72	-\$6
101	-\$47
102	-\$49

PA

IRI

ORIGINAL SPEC OF PROJECT				
Target IRI	61 Inch/Mile			
Exclusions	7 Lots			
IRI Delivered before exclusions	54 Inch/Mile			
IRI Delivered after Exclusions	50 Inch/Mile			



#### ORIGINAL RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT = \$ 1,104

NEW SPEC OF PROJECT					
Target IRI	66 Inch/Mile				
Exclusions	11 Lots				
IRI Delivered before exclusions	54 Inch/Mile				
IRI Delivered after exclusions	49 Inch/Mile				

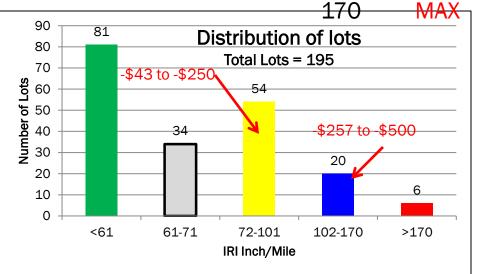
NEW RIDE QUALITY PA					
Mill /Pave 2" SMA	\$1,373				
Mill /Pave 3" SMA	\$1,938				
Mill /Pave 2" HMA	\$1,108				
Mill /Pave 3" HMA	\$1,523				

72	-\$6
101	-\$47
102	-\$49

PA

IRI

ORIGINAL SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	61 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	17 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	80 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after Exclusions	70 Inch/Mile	



#### ORIGINAL RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT = -\$21,209

NEW SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	66 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	37 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	80 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after exclusions	65 Inch/Mile	

NEW RIDE QUALITY PA	
Mill /Pave 2" SMA	(\$1,537)
Mill /Pave 3" SMA	(\$2,150)
Mill /Pave 2" HMA	(\$1,239)
Mill /Pave 3" HMA	(\$1,704)

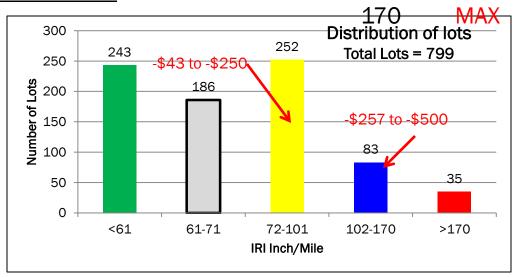


72	-\$6
101	-\$47
102	-\$49

PA

IRI

ORIGINAL SPEC OF PROJECT	
Target IRI	61 Inch/Mile
Exclusions	8 Lots
IRI Delivered before exclusions	81 Inch/Mile
IRI Delivered after Exclusions	79 Inch/Mile



#### ORIGINAL RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT = -(\$75,478)

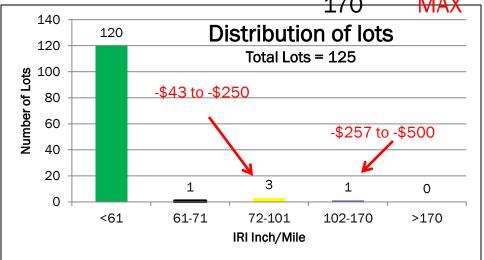
NEW SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	66 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	18 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	81 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after exclusions	77 Inch/Mile	

NEW RIDE QUALITY PA	
Mill /Pave 2" SMA	(\$64,535)
Mill /Pave 3" SMA	(\$95,264)
Mill /Pave 2" HMA	(\$52,044)
Mill /Pave 3" HMA	(\$71,561)



IKI	PA
72	-\$6
101	-\$47
102	-\$49
170	NANV

ORIGINAL SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	61 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	3 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	37 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after Exclusions	36 Inch/Mile	



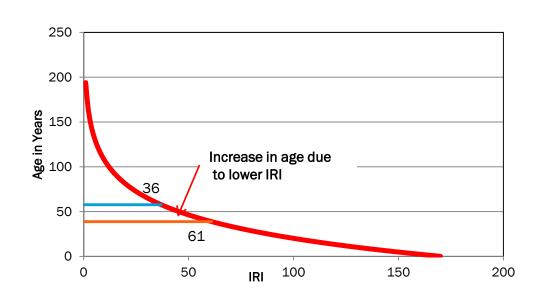
#### ORIGINAL RIDE QUALITY PAY ADJUSTMENT = \$5,075

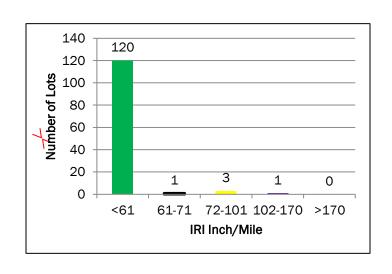
NEW SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	66 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	3 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	37 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after exclusions	36 Inch/Mile	

NEW RIDE QUALITY PA	
Mill/Pave 2" SMA	\$2,650
Mill /Pave 3" SMA	\$3,740
Mill /Pave 2" HMA	\$2,138
Mill /Pave 3" HMA	\$2,938

#### **EXAMPLES**

#### PROJECT 4



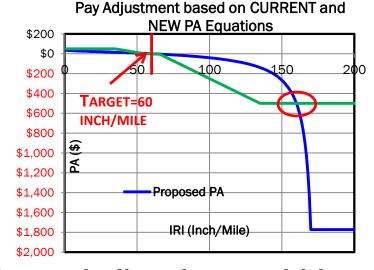


NEW SPEC OF PROJECT		
Target IRI	66 Inch/Mile	
Exclusions	3 Lots	
IRI Delivered before exclusions	37 Inch/Mile	
IRI Delivered after exclusions	36 Inch/Mile	

NEW RIDE QUALITY PA	
Mill/Pave 2" SMA	\$2,650
Mill /Pave 3" SMA	\$3,740
Mill /Pave 2" HMA	\$2,138
Mill /Pave 3" HMA	\$2,938

#### CONCLUSION

- 1. Base IRI is increased by 5 inch/mile.
- 2. Threshold length of Impediments and short section is changed to 50 ft.



- 3. New Performance based PA equation have similar slopes within 30-40 inch/mile on either side of target.
- 4. Opportunity to earn positive PA greater than \$50 depending upon type of treatment and bid price.
- 5. The negative PA will be reduced drastically, if IRI is close to the target IRI.
- 6. Negative PA increases, if IRI approaches toward 170 inch/mile



