# FLORIDA PAVEMENT PRESERVATION COUNCIL (FPPC)

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# FPPC CHARTER AND PARTNERSHIP WITH NCPP

- Presentation to NCPP Advisory Board, Feb 2010
  - Approved Florida "Consortium" to begin operation under NCPP auspices
  - Continue education process in Florida started by Jim Sorenson, FHWA
  - Recognized need to focus education on pavement preservation at local government level as targeted programs not reaching this level due to lack of funding available for training in local governments
  - Most importantly, accomplish education in a nonmarketing environment by a neutral party

# FPPC CHARTER AND PARTNERSHIP WITH NCPP

#### Goals

- Promote pavement preservation principals through training and education in Florida
- Provide NCPP conducted pavement preservation workshops
- Provide regional specifications and guidelines for pavement preservation techniques in Florida
- Foster beneficial technology transfer between agencies, industry, and academia
- Full partner with NCPP
  - Reflect their work at federal, state, and local levels to promote benefits of long term pavement strategies to extend pavement life







































































### PROGRESS TO DATE

- Seventeen Agency Members (plus Florida NACE Member) including Florida Department of Transportation and State FHWA representative, <u>AND</u> Sixteen Industry Members
- Approved organization bylaws, code of ethics, and strategic plan
- Set committees on membership, elections,
   specifications and training, and Council planning
- Planned education and workshop activities throughout the state
- Established Advisory Board Directors
- Established Georgia Carolina Pavement Preservation
   Council

## FEEDBACK FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

### **Industry Issues**

- Poor experience with some pavement preservation contractors
- Contractor marketing techniques are questionable (the "can do" approach)
- Instances where Contractor:
  - lacks understanding of the local road network
  - fails to practice proper quality assurance
  - fails to correct deficiencies in their operation
- Contractor-conducted training is market oriented causing a lack of trust within agencies
- Specifications provided by Contractors are often not clear and have unreasonable conditions

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### **Agency Issues**

- Limited funding available looking for the "best bang for the dollar"
- Lack of knowledge of pavement preservation concepts, candidate selections, and treatments
- Elected officials limit the use of pavement treatments due to bad experiences - citizen concerns
- Portions of the local road network may not be suitable for pavement preservation (i.e.; a non-engineered base)
- Favor "performance based" specifications to strengthen low bid process
- Agencies want to be part of development process for performance based specifications

## OUTREACH AND TRAINING BY NCPP

- APWA Florida Chapter Annual Meeting/Trade Shows, 2010/2011/2012, Information Booth and Technical Sessions
- Florida Association of County Engineers and Roadway Superintendents Annual Meeting, June/July 2010
  - Information Booth and briefing to Executive Board
- "Pavement Preservation Concept" Briefings to Florida local government agencies, December 2010
  - DeFuniak Springs (NW Florida), Gainesville, West Palm Beach, Sebring, and Tampa
  - "FPPC Members, December 2010, Tampa
  - Bay County, February 2011, Panama City
- Webinar for Florida League of Cities, "Find new money in your paving budgets", February 2011
- Chip Seal & Micro Surface Training Courses, Bay County, 2011, Panama City
- "Pavement Preservation Concept" Briefings to Orange County April 2011
   Micro Surface Training Courses Orlando and St Petersburg, January 2012







- Micro Surface 30 Days
- Micro Surface 2 Years Florida





### • Rejuvenating Fog Seal - Florida





### • Cape Seal - Florida





## GEORGIA CAROLINA PAVEMENT PRESERVATION COUNCIL



#### Organized and approved by NCPP Advisory Board in late 2010

- Board and bylaws established formatted similar to Florida Pavement Preservation Council
- Huley Shumpert, P.E. PLS, Retired SCDOT State
   Maintenance Engineer, elected to head the South Carolina Section
- Bill Evans, Retired GDOT Pavement Section Engineer and Ergon Asphalt and Emulsions Technical Marketing Manager, elected to head Georgia Section

### • Sand Seal Treatments - Georgia





### • Asphalt – South Carolina





### Chip Seals – South Carolina





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#### **Local Agency Membership Application:**

http://nationalpavement2012.org/georgiacarolina/contact.html



### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INITIATIVES

Hot-in-Place Recycling – locations throughout the State

US 98, Gulf County – Test Area with Micro Surface, thin overlays, HIPR and other treatments (3 miles – 10 sections), September 2012

Publishing Developmental Pavement Preservation Specifications on FDOT website as they become available

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# FUTURE FPPC ENDEAVORS

- Continue education/workshops
- Continue to recruit members
- Develop pavement preservation specifications and guidelines focused for Florida
- Assess/develop performance based specifications
- Develop guidelines for pavement preservation
- Work with NCPP to develop pavement preservation certification for contractors in Florida

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