



Tyler Boulevard Resurfacing/Lake County



Project Name: Tyler Boulevard Resurfacing (13456)

Community: Lake County, City of Mentor

Project Description: This section of four lane roadway, which is on the federal aid system, was rated in the "poor" category during a 2006 pavement condition rating performed by our local Metropolitan Planning Organization, the Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency (NOACA). With a pavement condition rating of 49 and a structural index of 25, the section is a major rehabilitation candidate. This proposed project will raise the pavement condition rating to excellent. Currently Tyler Boulevard between State Route 306 and State Route 615 is a four lane concrete roadway approximately 14,000 feet long. This project would involve concrete replacement of failed areas and an asphalt overlay of the total section. This approximately three-mile section of roadway is home to a large number of Mentor's industrial and commercial entities and is also a major connector between State Routes 306 and 615.

The asphalt surface will be easier for the city to maintain and resurface in the future

Project Sponsor: City of Mentor

Community Economic Distress Factors: (county jobless rate, annual average income)
Unemployment rate of 5.67% is well above the national rate of 4.8%, per-capita income of \$35,081 is also below the national average of \$35,081.

Economic Development Potential: Presently there are thousands of jobs located along the section of Tyler Boulevard between State Route 615 and State Route 306. The continued deterioration of this roadway will only serve as a disincentive for the retention of these companies and jobs.

Work to Begin: 31 to 90 days

Estimated Completion: 2009

Stimulus Investment: \$3,000,000

Total Project Cost: \$3,014,208