

Transportation Asset Management Council Update

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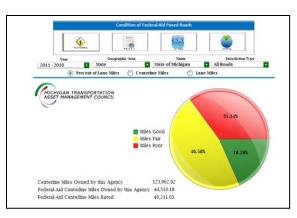
What is Asset Management?

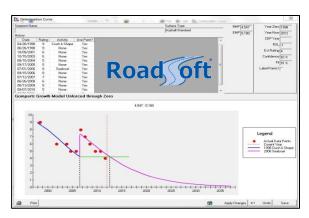
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Asset Management: "An <u>ongoing process</u> of maintaining, upgrading and operating assets cost-effectively, based on a continuous, physical inventory and condition assessment." [MCL 247.659(a)]

TAMC responsibility: "...advising the Commission on a statewide asset management <u>strategy</u> and the processes and necessary tools to implement such a strategy..." [MCL 247.659(2)]

Promote Best Practice in Pavement and Bridge Preservation





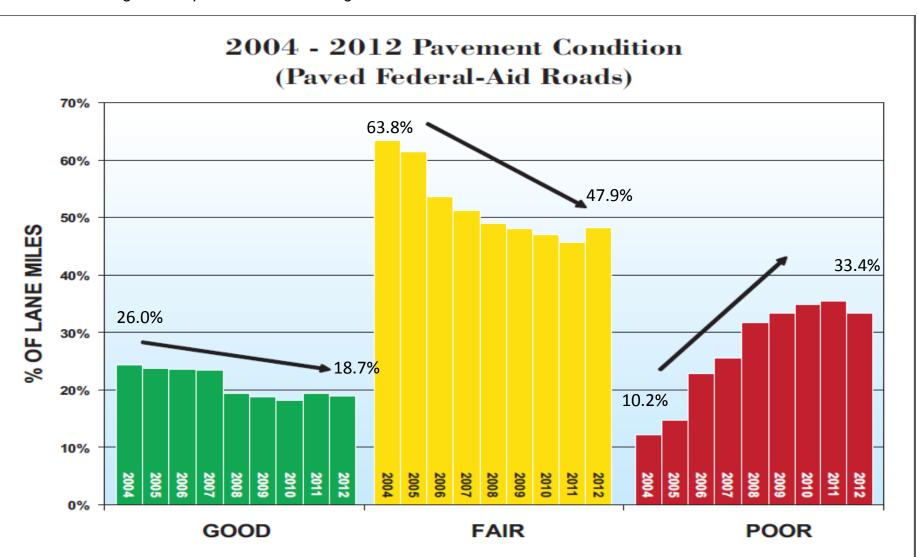


Data Tools Training

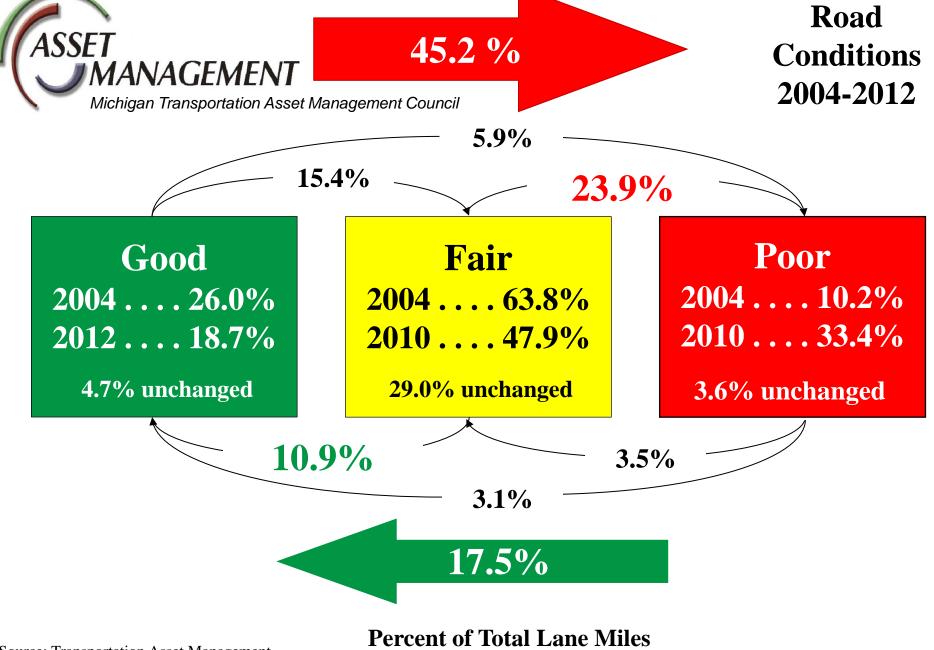


Paved Road Conditions

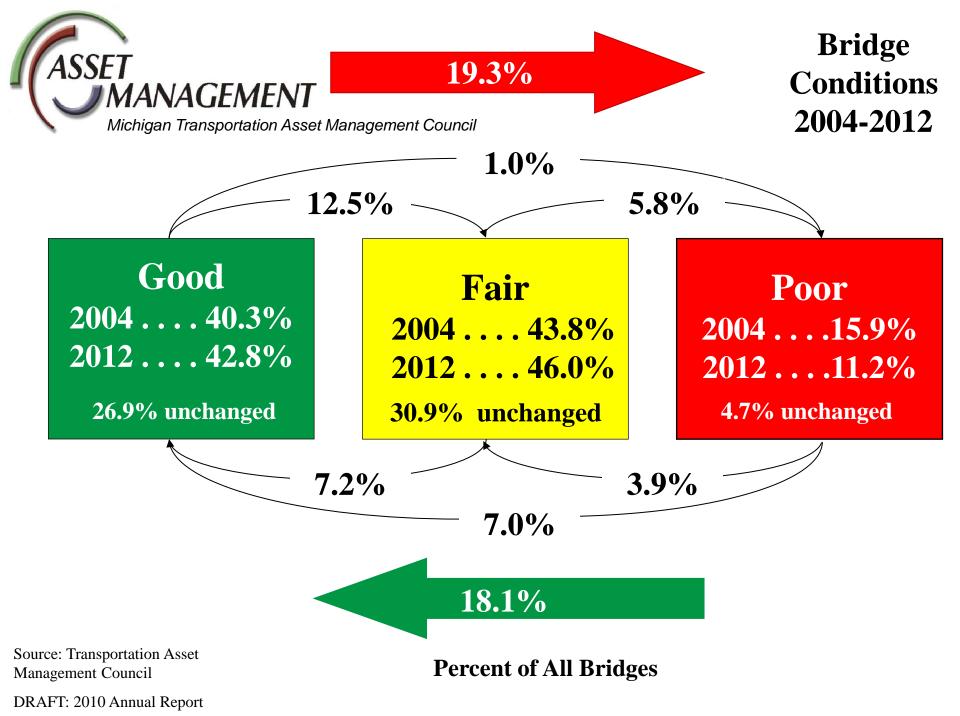
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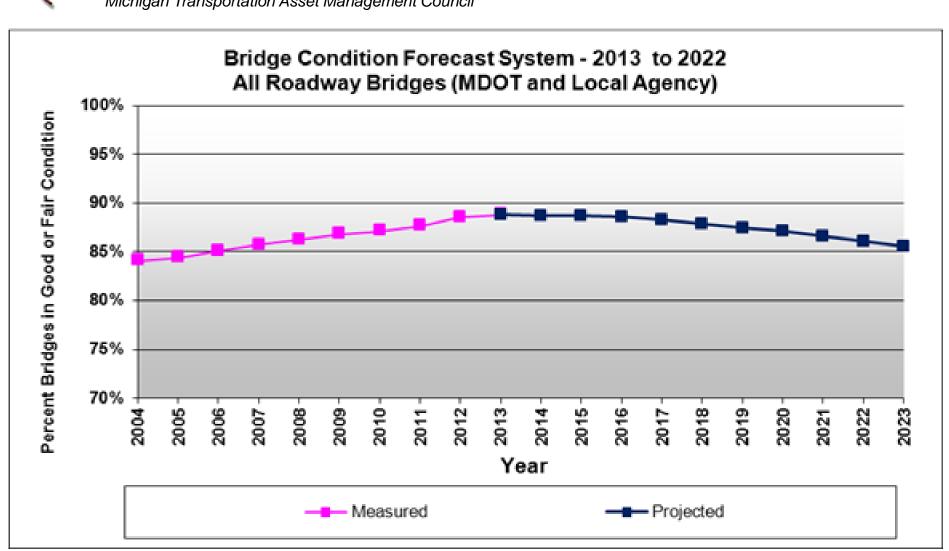
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Training Course Topics:

- Principles of bridge preservation.
- State and Federal Policies and requirements.
- Developing a bridge preservation plan.
- MDOT Bridge Reporting System.
- Interpreting bridge inspection data.
- Identifying appropriate treatments.
- Cost estimating.
- TAMC Bridge Dashboard

Asset Management Guide for Local Agency Bridges



