#### MANAGING ASPHALT PAVEMENTS

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# Patching Materials: Your Maintenance MVP

Track 2: Materials, Construction, Maintenance



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# HOT MIX COLD LAID

# **Hot Mix Cold Laid**





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**POTHOLES** 

AHEAD

WARNING

No Swimming

No Fishing

No Bungee Jumping allowed in Potholes!
This is no Camping Area.





**POTHOLE** 







# **POTHOLES**











# **Patching**



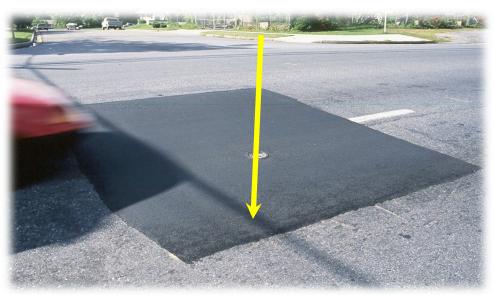
- Make sure to get at least 1 foot into the sound pavement when you mark the patch for removal
- Use good straight lines that are cut with vertical faces
- Remove all loose material
- Tack base and all vertical surfaces
- Patches must be strong enough to become a part of the permanent structure or they will be back!

# **Patching**



Irregular patch - getting proper compaction is going to be difficult on this one.

Nice straight lines, no distress visible outside the patched area





# Squared up, Quality







# Repairs









#### **Tack Coat**

- To promote the bond between old and new pavement layers.
- To prevent slippage between pavement layers
- To provide an additional moisture barrier, especially when applied along the transverse and longitudinal vertical surfaces





### LIMESTONE ROCK ASPHALT (LRA)

• A unique deposit of limestone that has natural oil (bitumen) imbedded in the aggregate.

Located west of Uvalde, Texas



#### LRA PRODUCTS

Item 330 Premix and Trapmix

•Item 302 Precoat - Sac B

High Performance Cold Mix (all weather mix)

#### WHO DO WE SUPPLY?

Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT)

Cities and Counties

Contractors (TxDOT & Commercial)

#### VARIETY OF MIXES / APPLICATIONS

#### Surface Mixes

- Type D 1/4" (top size)
- Type CC 3/8"
- Type DS − 1/4" Trapmix
- Type CS 3/8" Trapmix

#### Patching & Edge Repair

- •Type B 5/8"
- •Type A 7/8"
- Base Failure Repair
- •Type AA 1 1/4"

#### ADVANTAGES TO USING LRA MIXES

User friendly – hand or machine laid

Stockpile shelf life – two to three months

• Improved Yield - 10 - 15% lighter than other products

#### TRAPMIX BENEFITS

Utilizes Sac A (Traprock) aggregate to

Improve pavement skid numbers

Increase mix durability

#### MIXING OF LRA PRODUCTS

- Utilize pugmill batch type mixers
- Automated with precise weighing of aggregates and asphalt liquids.
- Mixing of products is a cold process (no heat)
- Quality control VMC and TxDOT QC Personnel on site

#### **APPLICATION & WORKABILITY**

Motor grader used in level ups

Laydown machine used for overlays

Hand laid for use in pot holes

#### LEVEL-UP PROJECT

- Dimmit County FM 190
- Trapmix CS
- 1 ½" Mat Thickness



#### LEVEL-UP APPLICATION

- Motorgrader
- Pneumatic roller always follows
- Steel wheel is used for final roll (single pass)



#### **OVERLAY PROJECT**

- Uvalde, Tx US 90
- Trapmix CS
- 1 ½" Mat Thickness

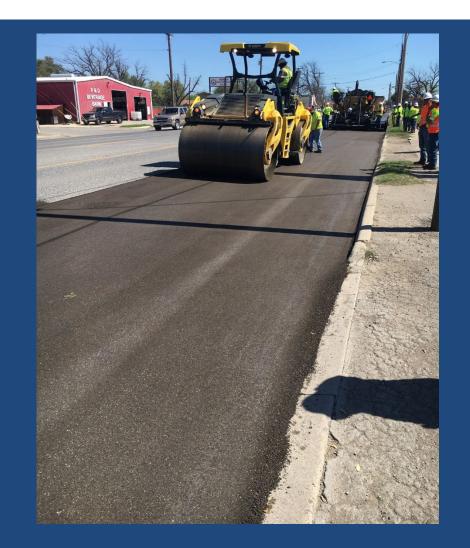


#### **OVERLAY APPLICATION**

Lay down machine

Steel Wheel (Single pass)

Pneumatic roller



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# Questions