

#### NAPA Overview

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#### View from the Hill: Legislative Outlook

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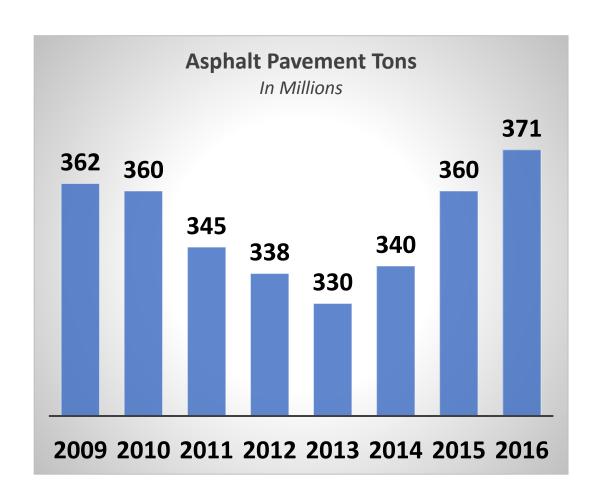




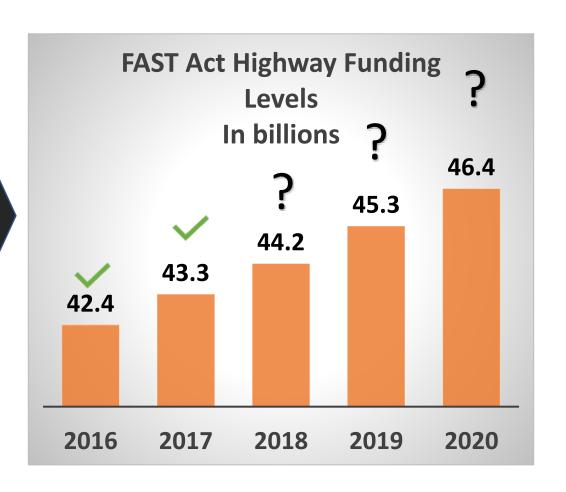
#### Meet the Team

#### Market Up

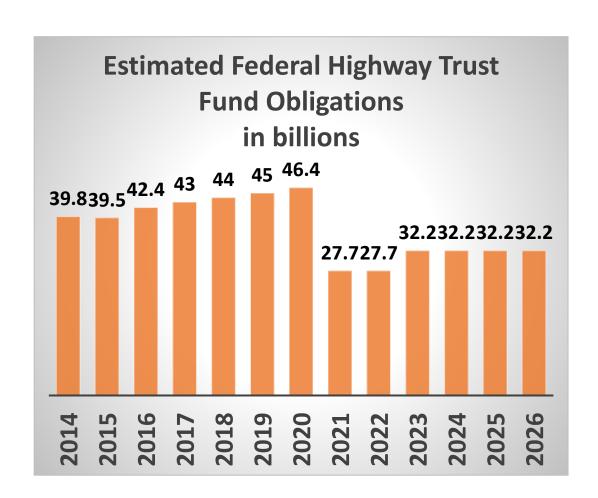
US Construction Market for Asphalt



Congress
Confirms
Highway Funding
Annually

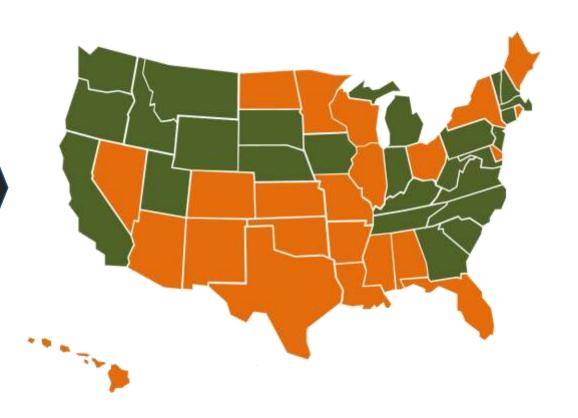


Beyond 2020, HTF Broken



#### States Not Waiting

Since 2013, 26
States (in green)
Approved Gas Tax
Increases



- FY 2018 Highway Funding
  - Honor the highway funding levels in the FAST Act
- Fix Highway Trust Fund in Tax Reform
  - Increase investments for highway construction
- Trump Infrastructure Plan
  - Direct funding
  - Use existing programs



## Industry Issues

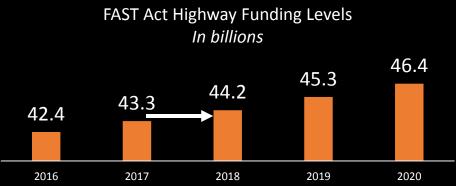
- Federal Aviation Administration Reauthorization
  - Increase investments for airport construction
  - Seek funding for asphalt pavement deployment and research

 Advocate for pavement neutrality and state autonomy on pavement-type selection and pavement design issues

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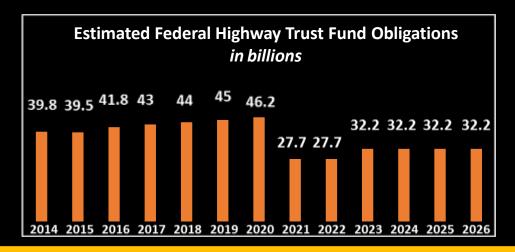
- FY 2018 Transportation Spending Bill Stuck in Congress
  - Funds federal-aid highway program at \$44.2 billion
  - Congress passed 69-day continuing resolution
    - October 1 December 8, 2017
  - States received 19% of FY'17 allocation.
  - FY'18 Appropriations Bill, if enacted, increases highway funding by \$968 million.

Congress needs to pass a full year FY 2018 transportation bill at FAST Act funding levels.



## Federal Highway Funding

- Congress must enact a new revenue stream to fix a broken Highway Trust Fund and increase funding for highway and roads.
- Current revenues will not support future HTF spending.
- Pressure in Congress to stop general fund transfers.
- Tax bill is the legislative vehicle.



# Long-Term Funding for Highway Trust Fund

- Little information from Administration
- Schedule keeps getting pushed back
- House leadership is waiting for Trump to initiate plan

Senate EPW Committee drafting environmental

streamlining bill.



#### Trump Infrastructure Plan

- \$1 trillion infrastructure plan will not be \$1 trillion
  - Budget proposes \$200 billion to support infrastructure expenditures totaling \$ 1trillion.
    - Source for funding not identified
- Three programs identified:
  - Financial incentives to states
  - Rural formula program
  - Transformative projects

## Trump Infrastructure Plan

- FAA Reauthorization expires March 31, 2018
  - Airport Improvement Program Funds \$3.5 billion in projects
  - Passenger Facility Charges (PFCs) generate \$3 billion in projects
- There are \$15 billion in airport projects that lack funding
- NAPA supports passing a multi-year highway bill that
  - Spends more AIP funds
  - Removes the cap on PFC's

#### FAA Reauthorization

- Briefed Trump Transition Team
  - Honor FAST Act funding levels
  - Use tax reform to fix Highway Trust Fund
  - Increase spending on highways
- Conducted Grassroots Campaign During Recess
- Face-to-Face Meetings on the Hill
- Past NAPA Chairman Testifies Before Congress
- Working to Strengthen Partnerships



#### NAPA Efforts

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- Keep Informed
  - Use NAPA Blog
- In-District Activities
  - Host a plant Tour
  - Attend Town Hall
  - Write an Op-ed



## What you can do



#### NAPA Annual Meeting

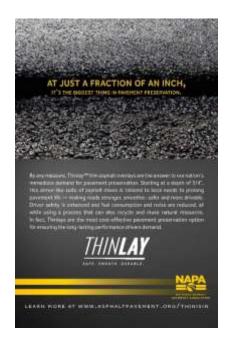


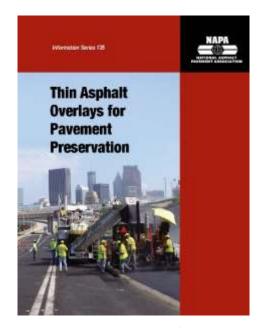




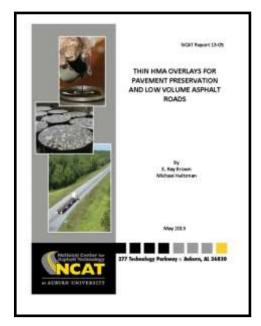


## Unified Industry









www.ncat.us/files/reports/2013/rep13-05.pdf



SHRP R26 Guidelines for Preservation of High Traffic Volume Roadways NCHRP Synthesis 464, Thin Asphalt Concrete Overlays

#### Resources

#### PAVEMENT DESIGN

Simplified

#### Web-Based Pavement Design Tool

Designing the right pavement for the job just got easier thanks to PaveXpress, a free web-based pavement design tool for roadway and parking lot pavements.

Projects created in PaveXpress can be printed, shared, and saved, and design options can easily be evaluated in a side-by-side comparison. As a browser-based tool, PaveXpress is always up to date and can be accessed from any computer or mobile device, regardless of screen size or operating system.

**Pave**Xpress Pave Xipress

PaveXpressDesign.com

A **performance**-based system based on engineered solutions for the pavement industry; to eventually replace the recipe or method based specification system.

But for now, the focus is on "balanced" mix design and implementing mixture performance tests.

#### What is the Future of Mix Design?





**ARTBA Transportation Development Foundation** 

#### **Online Training**

- Backovers/Runovers
- Internal/External Traffic Controls
- Differentiated Content
- Launching 2018



Work Zone Safety Training

- The NAPA Care Fund relies on donations from NAPA member companies and individuals to ensure that NAPAREF can continue providing emergency financial support to our workers.
- The goal is to permanently endow the NAPA Care Fund by raising \$200,000 in cash or pledges by the conclusion of NAPA's 2018 Annual Meeting in San Diego California.



# Have A NAPA Care's 2018 Silent Auction and Fundraising Campaign



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## Questions