TOCL Road Committee

Road Vision & Mission Statements Road Governing Requirements

Initial Release

TOCL Road Policy: Overall Development Approach



- ✓ Road Vision Statement: Overarching objectives for our roads
- ✓ Road Mission Statement: Roadmap to achieve the vision's objectives
- ✓ Road Governing Requirements: Detailed features, specifications, and constraints that a road engineer must consider when creating a design
- Road Design Standards: Specifications for determining compliance to the Governing Requirements
- ✓ Road Prioritization Annual Process: Series of actions taken annually to achieve the road objectives
- ✓ Road Prioritization Tool: Analytic model used to determine the order of road projects based on a common set of criteria
- TOCL Road Policy: A framework of guidelines used to achieve the objectives outlined in the road vision & mission statements

Road Vision Statement

Overarching objectives for our roads (Released 3/23/23)

Establish and maintain a network of roads which enhance community lifestyle and safety at targeted cost

Road Mission Statement

Roadmap to achieve the vision's objectives (Released 4/20/23)

Perform annual assessments to identify and communicate to residents a fiscally responsible 5-10-15-year asphalt surface road improvement plan that maintains or establishes all road lifespans to 15-20-years while minimizing disruption and maximizing safety during construction

Road Governing Requirements

Detailed features, specifications, and constraints that a road engineer must consider when creating a design (Released 5/22/23)

- The road surface shall be asphalt.
- Project shall include all necessary design elements to establish a road segment lifespan of >15-Years.
 - Note: Lifespan is defined as the duration in which the road segment has a PASER rating between 10 & 3.
 - Note: Lifespan design estimates shall assume annual sealcoating of cracks.
- Design shall be adequate for Indiana temperature extremes and repeated winter freeze/thaw cycles.
- Road segments shall include a drainage system that shall have the following requirements.
 - a capacity to manage a 10-year storm (1.91 in/hr) event and dissipate water from roadway surface within 30-minutes.
 - be durable, easily maintained, retard sedimentation, and retard erosion.
 - maximize the use of passive swales alongside the road where sufficient Right-of-Way (ROW) exists and minimize use of drains in applications where design
 constraints leave no other cost-effective solution.
 - exist within the road ROW.
 - Include filtering elements (see examples below) on all drainage conveyed via pipe directly to the lake.
 - Grated storm drain covers.
 - Sump features to settle particulates.
 - Stone rip raft to slow flow velocities.
 - require a drainage easement for any portion located on private property.
 - ensure surface water falling on the roadway enters the drainage system in a manner to prevent water and/or sedimentation from flowing onto adjacent private property lots.
 - maintain roadway free of standing water following a storm event.
 - prevent ponding along roadway from seeping back onto road surface.
 - use roadbed structural components which dissipate moisture.
 - account for all pre-existing additional drainage loads.
- Road's structural components shall be designed for a maximum vehicular load of 80,000 lbs.
- Road finish asphalt layer shall be a thickness adequate for a mill and resurface maintenance operation.