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Here are my notes from the meeting:

Maintaining Poor Pavements

2/20/2020 - TAP meeting notes (Joe and Renae)

- Meeting Attendees
 - Rob Green - Michigan
 - Andrew Hanz -
 - James Bittmann - MnDOT
 - Cody Brand - MnDOT
 - Jerry Gieb - MnDOT
 - Ben Worel – MnDOT
 - Renae Kuehl – SRF
 - Joe Korzilius – SRF
- Jerry - take the information we have a wrap it up. Ok with us saying that we didn't receive enough data and close the project. Summarize what we have and post it on the project website for future reference.
- Iowa - has some data that they provided- study is comprehensive and useful. Once Iowa is done with this project, maybe revisit this topic. Would need to be done outside of this project. This study will hopefully spark some interest.
- Value is going to be low based on the responses we received
- How do we avoid getting to this place again in the future? This is a reoccurring issue in all research projects - getting people to volunteer to give data
- Michigan - understaffed and not enough time to pull together the data to share with the project.
- Poor roads are likely more on the local roads so we need to be reaching out to more agencies
- The data request is too big, would take too long to get the data pulled together.
- This project was looking for too much and too big and setup for errors. Not enough \$ for the work that was asked for. Would need to pay each state to do pull the data.
- Does it make sense to narrow the scope?
- Bernard (MnDOT) is working on analyzing pavement data - has staff working on it full time.
- Next Steps:
 - Summarize what we have
 - Provide raw data for future use
 - Close out project, send final invoice
 - Send estimate of final cost to Ben for executive committee meeting next Tuesday.

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