



Pavement Preservation ETG & The Need for Regional Groups

**Northeast States Pavement
Preservation Partnership Meeting
January 12, 2006**



Pavement Preservation ETG

- **Formed by FHWA - early 1990's**
- **Federal, State, Industry & Academic Pavement Preservation professionals**
- **Exchange Pavement Preservation ideas, techniques & methods to advance Pavement Preservation**
- **Meets twice a year**



Pavement Preservation ETG Membership

- **Co-Chaired by FHWA & Industry Representatives**
- **FHWA members**
- **State members**
- **Other Public Agency members**
- **Industry members**
- **National Center for Pavement Preservation**
- **Foundation for Pavement Preservation**



Pavement Preservation ETG Typical Meeting Agenda

- **Pavement Preservation Research updates**
- **Pavement Preservation ETG's Task Forces Reports**
- **Regional Pavement Preservation Partnerships**
- **New developments in Pavement Preservation**



Need for Regional Partnerships

- **Size of Pavement Preservation ETG limited**
- **States represented are dissimilar**
- **Regional partnerships would have more commonality**
- **Ability of advanced states to mentor other states**
- **Ease of out of state visits to share ideas, etc.**
- **Local research projects feasible**



Northeast States Pavement Preservation Partnership

- **Draft Vision Statement**

- **Draft Mission Statement**



Northeast States Pavement Preservation Partnership Objectives

- **Promote Pavement Preservation**
- **Integrate preservation activities**
- **Information Sharing**
- **Common terminology**
- **Specification & guideline
uniformity**
- **Promote improved materials,
equipment, & processes**



Northeast States Pavement Preservation Partnership Objectives

- **Publicize national research findings**
- **Regional research**
- **Clearinghouse for new technologies**