ROAD CLASSIFICATION REVIEW

ROAD COMMISSION OF KALAMAZOO COUNTY APRIL 2016

PRESENTED BY: WIGHTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC.





OUTLINE

- Scope of project
- History
- Process
- Classification Systems
- Characteristics
- List of Segments
- Proposed Changes
- Next Steps
- Data Reviews

- Scope of project
 - Review road network
- History
 - KATS in 2015
 - RCKC unknown
- Process
 - Initial list
 - Cursory review by WAI
 - Meetings

CLASSIFICATION SYSTEMS

State - PA 51

- Trunkline
- **County Primary:** connect areas of interest, higher traffic volumes
- **County Local:** lower volumes, serves more residential traffic
- City Major
- City Local

Federal – NFC

- Arterials: statewide, high volume, high connectivity
- Major Collector: connect arterials and minor collectors
- Minor Collectors: serve residential areas
- Local: low speed, low access points, low volume

CHARACTERISTICS

- Pavement Surface Evaluation and Rating (PASER) System
- Average Daily Traffic (ADT)
- Rural/Urban
- Access Points
- Length
- Spacing
- Speed
- Number of Lanes
- Connectivity
- All Season Route
- Restrictions

SEGMENTS

- Section 1: 8th Street from KL Avenue to M-43, Oshtemo Township
- Section 2: U Avenue/TU Avenue/23st Street from Portage Road to Sprinkle Road, Schoolcraft & Brady Townships
- Section 3: V Avenue from Sprinkle Road to 29th Street, Brady Township
- **Section 4:** Miller Road from 35th Street to Miller Service Drive, Comstock & Charleston Townships
- Section 5: 38th Street from O Avenue to MN Avenue, Climax & Charleston Townships
- Section 6: Park Circle Drive from Sprinkle Road to M Avenue, Comstock Township
- Section 7: S Avenue from 8th Street to 12th Street, Texas Township
- **Section 8:** G Avenue from 2nd Street to 6th Street, Oshtemo Township
- Section 9: KL Avenue from 4th Street to 9th Street, Oshtemo Township
- Section 10: Mt. Olivet Road from G Avenue to Riverview Drive, Cooper Township
- Section 11: 14th Street from G Avenue to D Avenue, Cooper Township
- Section 12: G Avenue West of Riverview Drive, Cooper Township
- Section 13: Sunnyside Drive from E. Main Street to M-43, Kalamazoo Township
- Section 14: VW Avenue from Schoolcraft Village Limits to Portage Road, Schoolcraft Township

SECTION 1: 8TH STREET FROM KL AVENUE TO M-43, OSHTEMO TOWNSHIP

	8 th Street	*9 th Street
Boundaries	Urban	Urban
Length (miles)	0.996	1.064
ADT (year)	2,833 (2014)	15,081 (2013)
All Season	No	Yes
PASER	4 (2015)	6 (2015)
ACT 51	Primary	Primary
NFC	Major Collector	Principal Arterial
Restrictions	Oshtemo Charter Township Ordinance No. 478/519	None

*comparable route

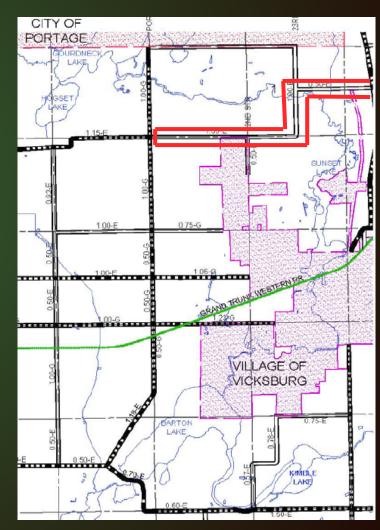
Final recommendation:County primary road \rightarrow County local roadNFC major collector \rightarrow NFC local road



<u>SECTION 2: U AVENUE FROM PORTAGE ROAD TO 23RD STREET,</u> <u>23RD STREET FROM U AVENUE TO TU AVENUE,</u> <u>TU AVENUE FROM 23RD STREET TO SPRINKLE ROAD,</u> <u>SCHOOLCRAFT/BRADY TOWNSHIP</u>

	U Avenue	23 rd Street	TU Avenue, Schoolcraft	TU Avenue, Brady
			Township	Township
Boundaries	Urban	Urban	Urban	Urban
Length (miles)	1.507	0.498	0.506	0.292
ADT (year)	2,394 (2013)	1, 492 (2009)	2,151 (2013)	2,151 (2013)
All Season	No	No	No	No
PASER	8 (2013)	7 (2013)	8 (2015)	4 (2015)
ACT 51	Local	Local	Local	Local
NFC	Local	Local	Local	Local
Restrictions	None	None	None	None

Final recommendation: County local roads → County primary roads NFC local roads→ NFC rural minor collectors



SECTION 3: V AVENUE FROM SPRINKLE ROAD TO 29TH STREET, BRADY TOWNSHIP

	V Avenue	*UV Avenue	*26 th Street
Boundaries	Rural	Urban	Urban
Length (miles)	2.294	1.664	0.698
ADT (year)	2,822 (2015)	1,163 (2015)	2000 (Est.)
All Season	Yes	No	No
PASER	9 (2014)	8 (2015)	7 (2014)
ACT 51	Primary	Primary	Primary
NFC	Major Collector	Major Collector	Major Collector
Restrictions	None	None	None

*comparable route

<u>Final recommendation</u>: V Avenue County primary road \rightarrow No Change NFC major collector \rightarrow No Change

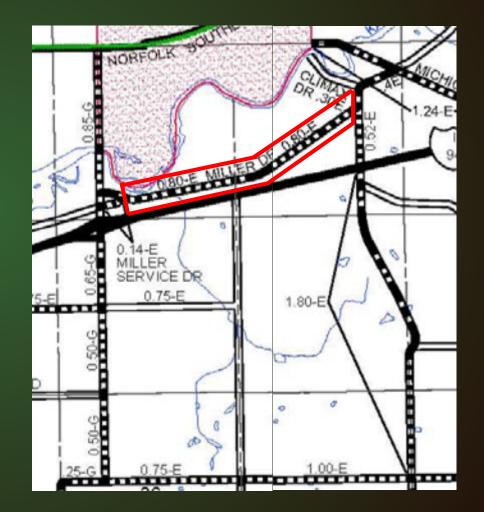
<u>Final recommendation</u>: UV Avenue and 26th Street County primary road \rightarrow County local road NFC major collector \rightarrow NFC local road



SECTION 4: MILLER ROAD FROM MILLER SERVICE DRIVE TO 38TH STREET, COMSTOCK/CHARLESTON <u>TOWNSHIPS</u>

	Miller Road
Boundaries	Urban
Length (miles)	1.476
ADT (year)	960 (2013)
All Season	No
PASER	7 (2015)
ACT 51	Primary
NFC	Major Collector
Restrictions	None

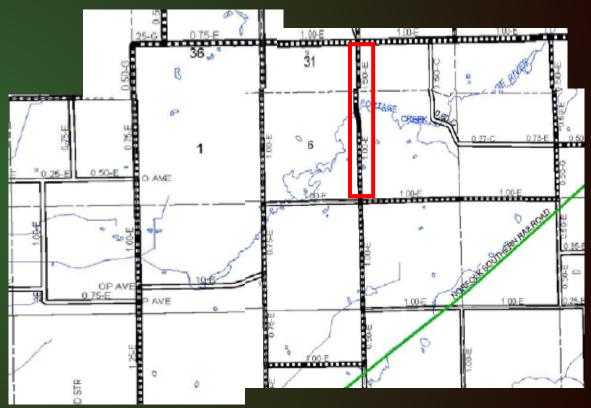
Final recommendation:County primary road \rightarrow County local roadNFC major collector \rightarrow NFC local road



SECTION 5: 38TH STREET FROM O AVENUE TO MN AVENUE, CLIMAX/CHARLESTON TOWNSHIP

	38 th Street	*36 th Street	*34 th Street, Pavilion Township	*34 th Street, Comstock Township
Boundaries	Rural	Rural	Rural	Rural
Length (miles)	1.527	1.508	0.756	0.501
ADT (year)	947 (2015)	1,486 (2015)	1,770 (2013)	3,579 (2013)
All Season	No	No	No	Yes
PASER	6 (2012)	7 (2014)	7 (2014)	6 (2015)
ACT 51	Primary	Primary	Primary	Primary
NFC	Local	Minor Collector	Major Collector	Minor Arterial
Restrictions	None	None	None	None
*comparable route			rable route	

Final recommendation: 38^{th} StreetCounty primary road \rightarrow County local roadNFC local road \rightarrow No change

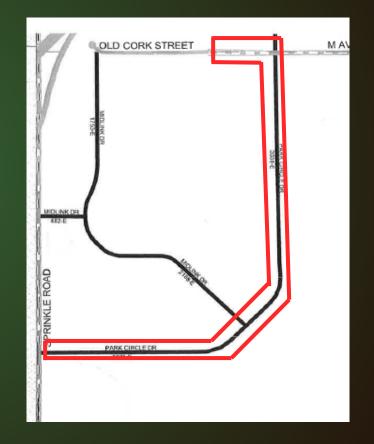


SECTION 6: PARK CIRCLE DRIVE FROM SPRINKLE ROAD TO M AVENUE, OLD CORK STREET 750' WEST OF PARK CIRCLE DRIVE, COMSTOCK TOWNSHIP

	Park Circle Drive	Old Cork Street
Boundaries	Urban	Urban
Length (miles)	1.061	0.141
ADT (year)	1,368 (2016)	2,703 (2013)
All Season	No	Yes
PASER	7 (2013)	5 (2015)
ACT 51	Local	Primary
NFC	Local	Major Collector
Restrictions	None	None

Final recommendation: Park Circle Drive County local road → County primary road NFC local road→ NFC urban minor collector

<u>Final recommendation</u>: Old Cork Street County primary road \rightarrow County local road NFC major collector \rightarrow NFC local road



<u>SECTION 7: S AVENUE FROM</u> 8TH STREET TO 12TH STREET, TEXAS TOWNSHIP

	S Avenue
Boundaries	Rural
Length (miles)	1.997
ADT (year)	547 (2015)
All Season	No
PASER	4 (2015)
ACT 51	Local
NFC	Local
Restrictions	None

Final recommendation:County local road \rightarrow No changeNFC local road \rightarrow No change

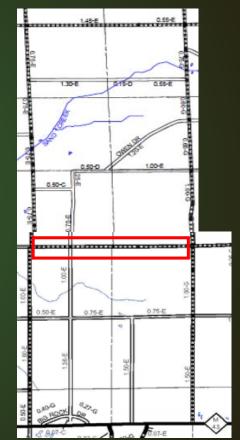


SECTION 8: G AVENUE FROM 2ND STREET TO 6TH STREET, ALAMO TOWNSHIP

	G Avenue	
Boundaries	Rural	
Length (miles)	1.961	
ADT (year)	750 (2015)	
All Season	No	
PASER	8 (2013)	
ACT 51	Primary	
NFC	Local	
Restrictions	Oshtemo Charter	
	Township Ordinance No.	
	478/519	

Final recommendation:

County primary road \rightarrow No change NFC local road \rightarrow No change



SECTION 9: KL AVENUE FROM 4TH STREET TO 9TH STREET, OSHTEMO TOWNSHIP

	KL Avenue, 4 th Street to 8 th Street	KL Avenue, 8 th Street to 9 th Street
Boundaries	Rural	Urban
Length (miles)	1.961	0.499
ADT (year)	1,886 (2013)	3,386 (2014)
All Season	Yes (ends 0.5 mi E.	Yes
	4 th St)	
PASER	7 (2015)	7 (2015)
ACT 51	Primary	Primary
NFC	Major Collector	Major Collector
Restrictions	Oshtemo Charter	Oshtemo Charter
	Township Ordinance	Township Ordinance
	No. 478/519	No. 478/519

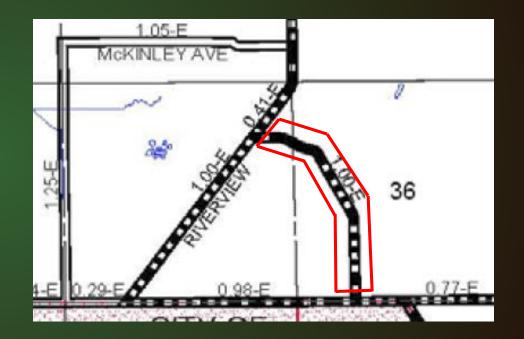
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SECTION 10: MT. OLIVET ROAD FROM G AVENUE TO RIVERVIEW DRIVE, COOPER TOWNSHIP

	Mt. Olivet Road	
Boundaries	Urban	
Length (miles)	1.008	
ADT (year)	3,183 (2013)	
All Season	No	
PASER	7 (2015)	
ACT 51	Primary	
NFC	Major Collector	
Restrictions	None	

Final recommendation:County primary road \rightarrow No changeNFC major collector \rightarrow No change

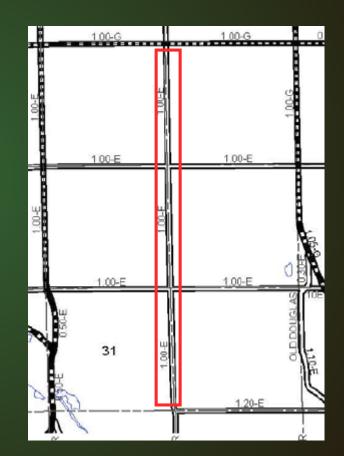


SECTION 11: 14TH STREET FROM G AVENUE TO D AVENUE, COOPER TOWNSHIP

	14 th Street	*12 th Street	*Douglas
			Avenue
Boundaries	Urban	Rural	Urban
Length (miles)	3.061	2.983	2.431
ADT (year)	1,884 (2014)	2,491 (2013)	3,530 (2014)
All Season	No	No	Yes
PASER	6	8 (2015)	7 (2015)
ACT 51	Local	Primary	Primary
NFC	Local	Minor Arterial	Minor Arterial
Restrictions	None	None	None

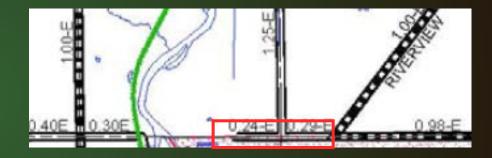
*comparable route

Final recommendation:County local road \rightarrow No changeNFC local road \rightarrow No change



SECTION 12: G AVENUE WEST OF RIVERVIEW DRIVE, COOPER TOWNSHIP

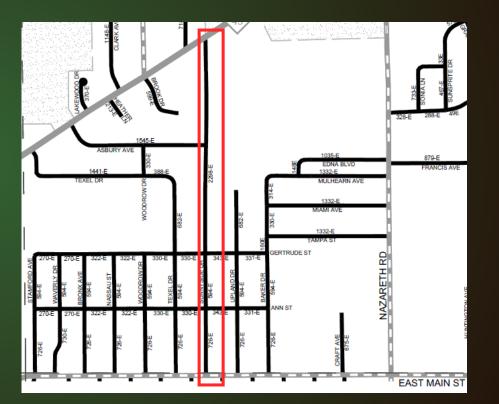
	G Avenue
Boundaries	Urban
Length (miles)	0.501
ADT (year)	1,662 (2009)
All Season	Yes
PASER	7 (2015)
ACT 51	Local
NFC	Major Collector
Restrictions	None



<u>Final recommendation:</u> County local road \rightarrow No change NFC major collector \rightarrow NFC local road

<u>SECTION 13: SUNNYSIDE DRIVE FROM</u> <u>E. MAIN STREET TO M-43,</u> <u>KALAMAZOO TOWNSHIP</u>

	Sunnyside Drive	*Nazareth Road	
Boundaries	Urban	Urban	
Length (miles)	0.688	0.927	
ADT (year)	1,732 (2014)	6,185 (2014)	
All Season	No	Yes	
PASER	2	6	
ACT 51	Local	Primary	
NFC	Local	Major Collector	
Restrictions	None	None	
*comparable route			



Final recommendation:County local road \rightarrow No changeNFC local road \rightarrow No change

<u>SECTION 14: VW AVENUE FROM SCHOOLCRAFT</u> <u>VILLAGE LIMITS TO PORTAGE ROAD,</u> <u>SCHOOLCRAFT TOWNSHIP</u>

	VW Avenue	*W Avenue	
Boundaries	Urban	Rural	
Length (miles)	3.002	2.989	
ADT (year)	3,918 (2013)	2,978 (2013)	
All Season	Yes	Yes	
PASER	7 (2014)	8 (2014)	
ACT 51	Primary	Primary	
NFC	Major Collector	Minor Arterial	
Restrictions	None	None	

*comparable route

Final recommendation:County primary road \rightarrow No changeNFC major collector \rightarrow No change



RECOMMENDATIONS

Proposed PA 51 Changes				
	Primary (mi)	Local (mi)		
8 th Street	(1.00)	1.00		
U Avenue/23 rd Street/TU Avenue	2.80	(2.80)		
UV Avenue/26 th Street	(2.36)	2.36		
Miller Road	(1.48)	1.48		
38 th Street	(1.53)	1.53		
Park Circle Drive	1.06	(1.06)		
Old Cork Street	(0.14)	0.14		
Total	(2.50)	2.50		

Proposed NFC Changes					
	Major Collector (mi)	Minor Collector (mi)	Local (mi)		
8th Street	(1.00)		1.00		
U Avenue/23rd Street/TU Avenue		2.80	(2.80)		
UV Avenue/26th Street	(2.36)		2.36		
Miller Road	(1.48)		1.48		
Park Circle Drive	1.06		(1.06)		
Old Cork Street	(0.14)		0.14		
G Avenue	(0.50)		0.50		
Total	(4.42)	2.80	1.62		

NEXT STEPS

- **PA 51 –** Change on County Certification Maps
- **NFC –** Submit formal request through KATS to FHWA
- RCKC Capital Improvement Plan update and prioritize projects based on classification changes

• Thank you to the Road Commission!

• Questions?

PERCENTAGE GUIDELINES – RURAL MILEAGE

All States (max) Michigan Kalamazoo County All States (min)



PERCENTAGE GUIDELINES – URBAN MILEAGE

All States (max) Michigan Kalamazoo County All States (min)

