

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: ROBERT A. KUNTZ, CITY ADMINISTRATOR

FROM: GARY R. KRAMER, P.E., CITY ENGINEER/DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

DATE: JANUARY 21, 2015

SUBJECT: PAVEMENT ASSESSMENT & RATING

The condition of street pavements was rated in 2001, 2003, 2005, 2008, and 2010. Ideally, the rating should be updated every three years. The 2015 budget provides \$30,000 for re-evaluating and a new rating of the pavement condition of each city maintained street. This rating is beneficial during budget preparation.

The last two ratings utilized PASER roadway surface evaluation and rating system. To my knowledge Lochmueller Group is the only firm in St. Louis that utilizes this system. In the interest of consistency with the last two ratings, I recommend that the contract for the 2015 pavement assessment be awarded to Lochmueller Group at a lump sum fee not to exceed \$26,870.00.