

**2nd Annual County Engineers' Research Focus Group
Gateway Hotel and Conference Center - Ames, IA
February 22, 2012**

- 8:00 Moderator and Purpose of Meeting - Nicole Fox
- 8:05 Welcome and Introductions - Charlie Purcell
- 8:15 Last year's Focus Group and Ongoing Research - Vanessa Goetz
- 8:30 How will this help the counties? - Todd Kinney
- 8:45 Update on TRB - Research around the country - Wade Weiss
- 9:00 Pavement Management Methodologies - the Hard Truth - Zach Gunsolley
- 9:30 Roundtable discussions
- 9:45 Break
- 10:00 Research on Missouri River Flooding - Vanessa Goetz
- 10:30 Roundtable discussions
- 10:45 Removal of Signs - Mark Dunn
- 11:15 Roundtable discussions
- 11:30 Working Lunch/Low Cost Idea Sharing - 5 minute presentations shared by County Engineers
- 12:50 Break
- 1:00 Breakout Session to discuss research needs
- 2:30 Reconvene and Present Ideas
- 3:00 Adjourn

Please RSVP to this event by February 8th, 2012 to nicole.fox@dot.iowa.gov