

## Report: St. Louis drivers lose more than \$2K yearly because roads are rough, congested & lack safety features

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LOUIS (KMOV.com) – A newly-released report found that drivers in St. Louis lose more than \$2,000 yearly driving on roads that are rough, congested and lack safety features.

TRIP, a national transportation research group, released the report Wednesday morning. In their findings, TRIP reports that 51 percent of roads in the St. Louis area are in poor or mediocre condition, which costs the average driver \$611 a year. In addition, the average St. Louis area driver reportedly spends \$1,080 each year in lost time and wasted fuel due to traffic congestion.

The findings also conclude that Missouri motorists spend a total of \$7.8 billion annually because of the same issues.

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