

## Recent TRIP report says local Pennsylvania bridges and roads need more investment to improve pavement and bridge conditions, enhance safety, and promote economic vitality across Pennsylvania

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**Pittsburgh, PA)** According to a release from TRIP, local roads and bridges in Pennsylvania will require increased investment to improve pavement and bridge conditions, enhance safety, and promote economic vitality across Pennsylvania. TRIP released a report on Thursday which concluded 38 percent of roads that are local in the Pittsburgh area are in poor condition. This includes Beaver County and seven other Pennsylvania counties. According to that same release from TRIP, here is the data from their recent report:

PITTSBURGH AREA LOCAL ROAD CONDITIONS												
County Name	Poor		Fair		Good		Excellent					
	# of	% of	# of	% of	# of	% of	# of	% of	Total Miles			
	Miles	Miles										
Allegheny	274	36%	231	30%	230	30%	27	4%	762			
Armstrong	337	57%	100	17%	91	15%	64	11%	592			
Beaver	229	44%	121	23%	94	18%	73	14%	517			
Butler	198	38%	90	17%	127	24%	111	21%	526			
Fayette	219	34%	181	28%	151	23%	98	15%	649			
Lawrence	145	45%	53	17%	56	18%	66	21%	320			
Washington	293	32%	218	23%	277	30%	142	15%	931			
Westmoreland	341	33%	213	21%	276	27%	189	19%	1019			
Pittsburgh Area Total	2036	38%	1207	23%	1302	24%	771	15%	5316			

PITTSBURGH AREA LOCAL BRIDGE CONDITIONS												
COUNTY	POOR		FAIR		GOOD		TOTAL					
Allegheny	138	16%	479	54%	266	30%	883					
Armstrong	45	12%	214	57%	114	31%	373					
Beaver	35	12%	132	44%	130	44%	297					
Butler	60	15%	209	53%	125	32%	394					
Fayette	88	19%	215	46%	160	35%	463					
Lawrence	33	12%	130	46%	119	42%	282					
Washington	120	16%	359	49%	255	35%	734					
Westmoreland	122	17%	346	47%	261	36%	729					
Pittsburgh Total	641	15%	2084	50%	1430	34%	4155					

TRIP is a nonprofit based in Washington, D.C. that is involved in national transportation research that examines bridge conditions, pavement conditions and fatality rates on Pennsylvania roads that are local. "Pennsylvania's Local Roads & Bridges: Providing a Modern, Sustainable Local Transportation System in the Keystone State" is the name of the TRIP report that was released on Thursday.