Recycled Asphalt Pavement Guidelines

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The Heritage Group



- General Description of RAP and Options
- Process Used
- Recommend Best Practices

RAP Sources

Pavement Milling





Asphalt Pavement Removal



Plant Waste Material

RAP Stockpile Options



Isolate RAP Sources



Blend Multiple Sources

RAP Processing Options

Screening



Crushing

Fractionating



RAP Storage Options



Under Roof

Paved /Sloped Surface



Process at Contractor A



Single Stockpile

Crush to ½ in. minus



Process at Contractor A



Single Size RAP minus ½ in.



Two RAP Bins

Process at Contractor B



Soil Stabilizer for Pre-Crushing



RAP after Soil Stabilizer

Process at Contractor B



RAP Crushed and Screened to Two Sizes Split on ½ in.

Horizontal Impact Crusher



Alternate Process at Contractor B



Screened to Two Sizes

Horizontal Impact Crusher



RAP Size



Fine minus ½ in.



Coarse ½ to 1 in.

Process at Contractor B



Two RAP Bins



Process at Contractor C



Oversize Mixed with Digouts and Processed with Soil Stabilizer

Millings Screened



Process at Contractor C



RAP Screened into Two Sizes

RAP Processed with Soil Stabilizer



Process at Contractor D



Millings Only

Sources are Kept Separate

Process at Contractor D



One RAP Bin

RAP Gator for Lumps





RAP Processing

- Control Mill Speed at the Jobsite
- Mill Surface/Intermediate Separate from the Base (when possible)
- Skim RAP Piles at the Plant to Break Lumps
- Fractionate Processed Millings
 - 1" Minus
 - ½" Minus

Stockpile Management

- Place Processed RAP on a Sloped Paved Surface
- Separate Types and Sources of Millings (when space permits)

Plant Operation



For High RAP Mixes

two RAP bins are recommended

- controls variability
- allows fine and coarse

Maximum Practical RAP Usage

Considerations
•Mix Design
•Customer Specifications
•RAP Availability
•Plant Type

ltem	Maximum RAP %
Base	35
Intermediate	35
Surface	25





Value of RAP

- "It's worth as much as it replaces."
- e.g.: Fine RAP

 Asphalt 4.5% @ \$360/ton = \$16.20
 Aggregate 95.5% @ \$10/ton = \$9.55
 \$25.75

 Less processing \$4.00
- Net value

\$21.75



