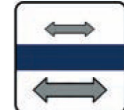




Sealing



Stress Relief



Adhesive Bonding



**PROJECT NAME:**

Blake Road Resurfacing

**LOCATION:**

Hopkins, MN

**AUTHORIZED DEALER:**

Road Fabrics, Inc.

**INSTALLED BY:**

Road Fabrics, Inc.

**PAVING CONTRACTOR:**

Valley Paving

**ENGINEER:**

Bolton & Menk

**AREA INSTALLED:**

8,000 sq. yds.

**INSTALLATION DATE:**

August 2009

**MIRAPAVE 700 OVERLAY FABRIC CASE STUDY**

Blake Road in Hopkins, MN was in need of repair after increased traffic counts and extreme temperatures had taken their toll. Sarah Rippke, of Bolton & Menk, knew she had to try something other than just a standard pavement design. She chose Mirapave 700, which is a 6oz nonwoven fabric, along with a polymer modified asphalt cement. Polymer modified asphalt combined with Mirapave 700 is proving to have greater success rate in harsh climates and increased traffic loads than a simple mill and overlay. Road Fabrics, Inc applied the polymer modified asphalt to the existing milled surface. Next, the Mirapave 700 was rolled into the liquid asphalt. Valley Paving then applied an 1.5" surface course of asphalt over the fabric. Follow up on this has revealed little or no reflective cracking.

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