



PUEBLO MEDIA ADVISORY

PUEBLO AREA MOTORISTS LOSE NEARLY \$1,600 PER YEAR ON ROADS THAT ARE DETERIORATED, CONGESTED & LACK SOME SAFETY FEATURES

New report by national research group evaluates Colorado road & bridge conditions, congestion, safety, and costs to drivers

- WHEN:** Thursday, June 28. Full report available on [TRIP website](http://tripnet.org) at 10:00 a.m. MDT
- WHERE:** Pueblo, Colorado
- WHAT:** The average driver in the Pueblo area loses nearly \$1,600 annually as a result of driving on roads that are deteriorated, congested, and that lack some desirable safety features, according to a new report from [TRIP](http://tripnet.org), a national nonprofit transportation research group based in Washington, DC.

TRIP spokesperson Carolyn Bonifas Kelly will also be available via phone and Skype throughout the day on Thursday for interviews and comments.

The report, *Colorado Transportation by the Numbers: Meeting the State's Need for Safe, Smooth and Efficient Mobility*, examines road and bridge conditions, congestion, economic development, highway safety, and transportation funding in Colorado. In addition to statewide information, the report contains regional data for the Colorado Springs, Denver, Northern Colorado, Grand Junction and Pueblo areas.

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