110 - Mesa County Dust Control Program–Asphalt Chip Seal

Mesa County maintains over 700 miles of gravel or earthen surfaced roads. When traffic counts reach 300 vehicle trips per day, we surface those roads with asphalt chip seal, which is considered a “low type” bituminous surface. This treatment eliminates all fugitive dust and the road becomes an all-weather road.

Mesa County may, at its option, chip seal roads having lesser traffic volumes where roads have steep grades and/or curves that require stabilization beyond what magnesium chloride provides.