

STAMPED ASPHALT



Relative Installation Cost	Moderate
Life cycle Cost	Moderate
Maintenance/Repair Cost	High
Effective Longevity	Moderate
Installation	Easy
Repair	Difficult
Maintenance	Moderate
Retrofit	Difficult

Description: Economical aesthetic treatment for standard asphalt concrete. An imprint tool is used to create pattern(s) while asphalt is still warm and pliable.

Applications:

- Gore area
- Medians
- Sign posts
- Mow edge

Advantages:

- Installation and repair can be done by standard maintenance equipment
- Variety of colors and patterns
- Faster installation than stamped concrete or pavers so less worker exposure time to traffic



Limitations:

- Use on slopes is difficult for stamping equipment
- Requires 'leave out' area
- Difficult to match colors during repair
- UV degradation of color may occur

Common Problems:

- Deformation or cracking may occur
- Subject to surface scaring
- Bleed through may occur in hot climates