

Transportation

## **Product Evaluation**

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# RE: Review of POLY-MOR High Density Expanding Resin

#### **PRODUCT**

POLY-MOR High Density Expanding Resin is manufactured and distributed by Poly-Mor Canada Incorporated located in Edmonton, Alberta.

# **VENDOR CLAIMS AND INFORMATION**

#### **CLAIMS**

The POLY-MOR High Density Expanding Resin is a multi-step process designed to identify and facilitate the repair and restoration requirements of voids under highways, roadways, airport pavements and other transportation assets. Once the POLY-MOR is injected, the polymer begins to expand and forms a stable, strong, lightweight replacement base material. Web link for this product: <a href="http://www.poly-mor.ca/">http://www.poly-mor.ca/</a>

### **DESCRIPTION**

POLY-MOR High Density Expanding Resin is a high density expanding polymer material. The POLY-MOR polymer material is inert, environmentally neutral and does not contribute to soil or water contamination.

# **POTENTIAL USAGE**

POLY\_MOR High Density Expanding Resin is used as follows:

- Seals ((drives out standing water)
- Stabilizes (fills any ground voids)
- Insulates (protects against freezing or thawing)

### **STANDARDS**

No standards submitted.

# ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION COMMENTS

### **EXPERIENCE**

Alberta Transportation has no experience with this product. Alberta Transportation has experience with the use of light weight grouts for filling voids.

### **APPLICABLE STANDARDS**

At present Alberta Transportation does reference specification 2.4 Culverts for grouting of abandoned culverts.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

POLY-MOR High Density Expanding Resin be listed as a Proven Product under Alberta Transportation Products List, Void Filling – Proprietary, based on the information provided. Final acceptance as a proven product will be based on field performance.

# TRIAL PROJECTS

Highway 16 on EBL retaining wall at Broadmore Boulevard

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