

## Vehicle miles traveled (vmt)

### Driving trends since the 2008 recession

- Overall driving has decreased in the last several years statewide, which can be partially attributed to the economic downturn

### Corridors like I-94 from 70<sup>th</sup> Street to 16<sup>th</sup> Street

- Urban interstate, freeway, and expressway travel has not dropped, but rather continued to steadily increase at a rate close to what project traffic forecasts are projecting

### VMT is not corridor specific

- VMT captures regional, state and national trends on a broad combination of corridors; individual routes react to location-specific influences like land use and development changes.

