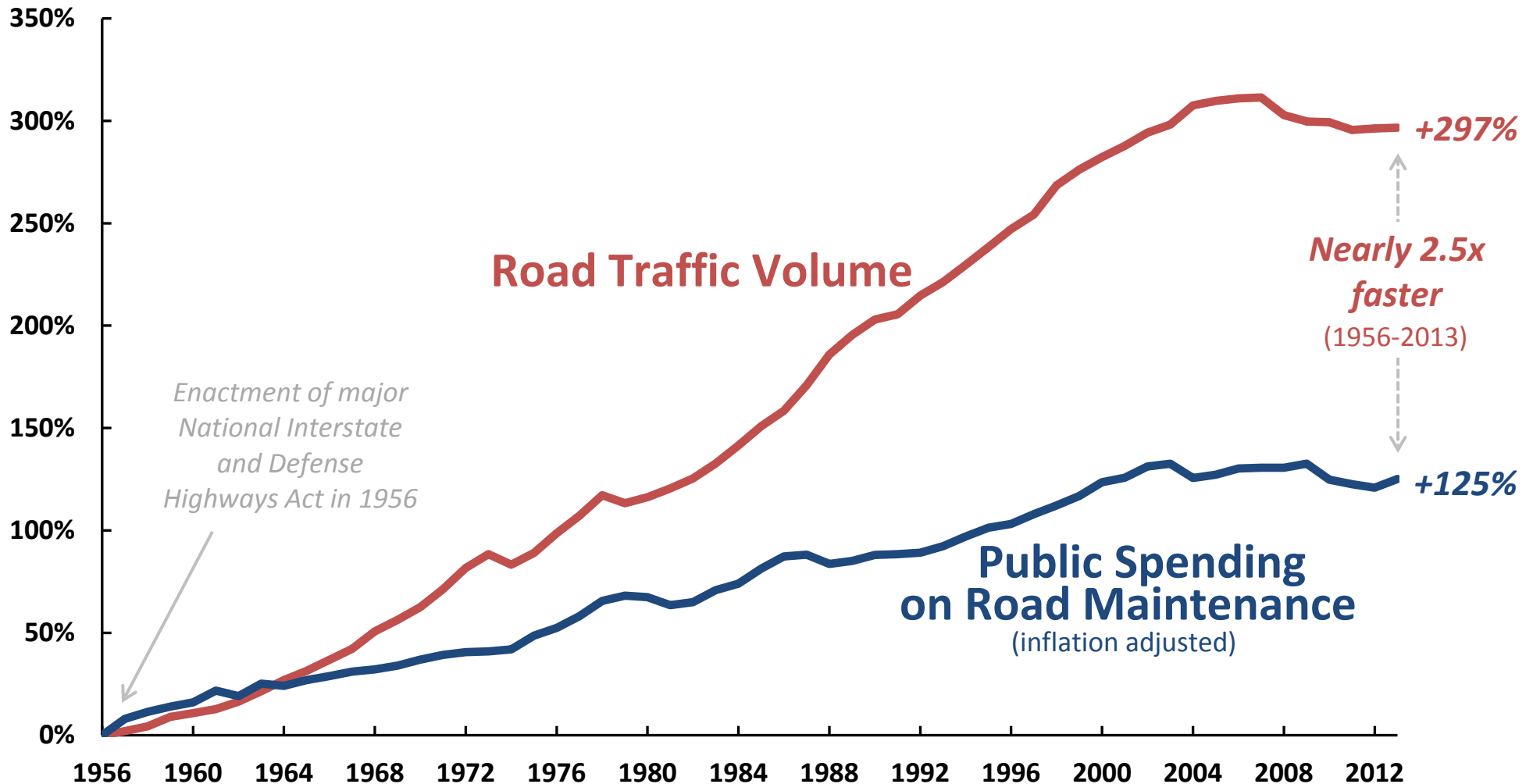


Road Traffic Volume Has Increased Nearly 2.5 Times Faster Than Public Spending on Road Maintenance



Notes: Road traffic volume is the total number of vehicle miles traveled per mile of public roads. Public spending on road maintenance includes federal, state and local spending on maintaining and operating roads. Dollar amounts are inflation adjusted using price indexes for government spending on infrastructure. Spending data are by fiscal year while road traffic volume is by calendar year.

Sources: JEC Democratic staff calculations using data from the U.S. Department of Transportation and the Congressional Budget Office.