HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION
EXCELLENCE IN INFRASTRUCTURE AWARD
RULES AND EVALUATION

SCORING CRITERIA
Jobsite Fabrication & Design
Quality of Craftmanship
Technical & Unusual Challenges
Conditions at Site
Comparison to the Norm
Surpassing Accepted Standards
Community Outreach
Testimonials
Oral Narrative

CONTRACT VALUE CATEGORIES
Under $1,500,000
$1,500,000 - $5,000,000
$5,000,000 - $10,000,000
$10,000,000 - $20,000,000
Over $20,000,000

AWARDS COMMITTEE
Denny Showalter, Chair, Insight
Bob Myers - Allan Myers
Erick Smith - William A. Hazel
James Deverna, Superior Paving
Joey Tominovich - Aldridge Electric
Kyle Hatterick - E Contracting
Josh Taylor - William A. Hazel
Frank Gonzalez - Sunbelt Rentals
Dann Nash - WG Construction
Nick Burns - Gillespie Precast
Jenna Burum - The Anderson Co.
Jacob Kirby - Vulcan Materials
Shafiul Alam - Peoples Bank

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Want to join the Committee? email events@hcca.net

The Heavy Construction Contractors Association seeks to highlight the quality of the projects our members build, the technical difficulties they face and overcome, and the value the completed projects bring to the community through the Excellence in Infrastructure Awards. All high quality projects, whether considered 'infrastructure' or beyond, are encouraged to submit.

Note: So member firms of all sizes can compete, the awards committee has established four awards' categories based on the project contract value.

RULES OF ENTRY

1. All nomination forms and supporting materials must be received by the HCCA no later than February 28, 2026.
2. Nominations are limited to three entries per Member Company and two per category. The appropriate category must be clearly specified on the nomination submittal form and all accompanying documents
3. Category selection shall be based on total contract value to include labor, equipment, materials, overhead, etc.
4. All nominations must be for work performed by members of the HCCA.
5. Nominated projects shall reach substantial completion between January 1, 2025 and December 31, 2025.
6. Jobs sites must be located in Virginia, the District of Columbia, or Maryland. Directions to and/or a map of the project site must be submitted.
7. A completed HCCA Infrastructure Award Nomination will include: Nomination Form, Photos, Testimonial from owner, stakeholders, and/or community and an optional written narrative (no more than 2 pages).
8. Photos should be submitted in PDF or PowerPoint format, titled with project name and category.
9. On March 19 between 9:00AM-12:00PM, the nominating person will have a ~10 minute conference call with the committee to further explain their photos, PowerPoint, and/or documentation.
10. We encourage winners to invite owners, subcontractors, suppliers, inspectors and any other critical roles on the project to the awards ceremony on April 15, 2026.

Supporting Materials:
Written Narrative: Nominee may provide additional information on a maximum of 2 pages.
Oral Narrative: On March 19, committee will schedule a ten minute zoom call allowing the nominating person to explain their submission in depth and with passion.
One Page Testimonials: Nominee should provide no more than three letters from owners, stakeholders, and community.
Photos: Maximum of 10 photos submitted in PDF or Powerpoint format
Questions? Call 703-392-7410

Nomination Information

Name of HCCA Firm:_____
Contact Name:_____
Contact Email:_____
Contact Phone Number:_____

Project Information

Project Name:_____ Contract Price (HCCA firm):$_____
Project Location:_____ Project Total Cost: $_____
Contract Duration:_____
Project Owner:_____ Owner Contact (Name, Email):_____
Prime Contractor:_____ Prime Contact (Name, Email):_____

Project Details

Please respond to each of the following subjects in a separate Word document. Be as detailed and illustrative as you can!

1. Description of Overall Project:
    a. Description of Role of Nominating Company:
    b. Estimated number of workers on project:
2. Key Staff, Stakeholders, & Business Partners:
    a. Other HCCA Firms on Project:
3. Extraordinary Fabrication/Design :
4. Technical/Unusual Challenges:
5. Special Equipment:
6. Schedule Challenges:
7. Public Outreach Effort:
8. Other Notes