

February 21, 2018

MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL HEAVY/HIGHWAY CONTRACTORS

**FROM: PHIL BROWNE, JOINT CONCRETE COMMITTEE
CHAIRMAN**

**RE: 2017 CAWV/WVDOH QUALITY CONCRETE
CONSTRUCTION AWARDS PROGRAM**

The CAWV/WVDOH Joint Concrete Committee announces that it is now accepting nominations for the 2017 CAWV/WVDOH Quality Concrete Construction Awards Program. Any contractor who completed a project in 2017 and believes it deserves recognition, please completely fill-out the nomination form, which is enclosed with a program overview, and return it to the CAWV Office by **Friday, March 9, 2018**.

Once all nominations are in, the Evaluation Team will review and inspect each project and select a winner in the structural and flatwork categories. Winners will be announced at the CAWV State Meeting Breakfast in March.

If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact Pat McDonald at 304-342-1166 or pmcdonald@cawv.org.

We look forward to receiving your entries.



**CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION OF WEST VIRGINIA
WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION AWARD PROGRAM**

CAWV/WVDOH Quality Concrete Construction Award Program

PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE OF PROGRAM

To recognize outstanding quality in concrete construction, reward superior workmanship and performance, stimulate competition among contractors, promote an increased desire to use concrete for its superior performance to ensure quality construction in the highway program remain a focus of the industry to the ultimate benefit of the public.

CATEGORIES

Categories are limited to structural and flatwork with one overall winner in each category. The structural project category is comprised of bridges, retaining walls, precast concrete or any other specialty structural concrete construction. The flatwork project category is comprised of concrete pavement, bridge deck overlays, curb and gutter/sidewalk work and slipform construction.

EVALUATION TEAM

A three member Concrete Construction Evaluation Team made up of individuals from the DOH, FHWA, and industry representatives who have a working knowledge of the methods and complexities required of concrete construction will select the winners in each category.

NOMINATION AND AWARD DATE

Nomination forms will be available through the WVDOH and the CAWV. Nominations can be made by each DOH project that is eligible for consideration. Affiliation with the CAWV is not required. Only one nomination per category will be allowed. The award winners will be announced at the CAWV State Meeting, in March, in Charleston.



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TOTAL

JUDGING CRITERIA

Judging will be based on weighted point scoring systems based on several characteristics of the work. Scoring will range from one to five, characteristics will be valued by a multiplier of one to three.

CHARACTERISTIC	POINTS	MULTIPLIER	
Overall Appearance/Impact	X	3	=
Complexity of Construction	X	3	=
Material Uniformity/Finish	X	2	=
Joint Appearance & Quality	X	2	=
Specification/Contract Requirement	X	2	=
Innovative Construction Methods	X	1	=
Competition Schedule Requirements	X	1	=
Geographical Location	X	1	=
TOTAL POINTS			_____

CHARACTERISTIC DEFINITIONS

OVERALL APPEARANCE AND IMPACT

How the work looks as a whole, the overall visual impact and impression of good quality construction apparent to the selection team and the public.

COMPLEXITY OF CONSTRUCTION

Effect of traffic control, phased construction, environmental concerns, construction access, size and scope, uniqueness of work or other special circumstances that had impact on constructability.

MATERIAL UNIFORMITY AND FINISH

Concrete strength and quality control, color and complexion of the exposed surfaces, neatness and uniformity of finish and quality of patching or grinding.



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JOINT APPEARANCE AND QUALITY

Quality of all joints either saved, formed or finished, straightness, joint sealing, unraveling and uniformity.

SPECIFICATION OR CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

Any special condition or requirement that would effect concrete placement or forming procedures, mix design or material, delivery or performance.

INNOVATIVE CONSTRUCTION METHODS

Any creative design or construction procedure used in forming, mixing, placement or delivery that enhanced the overall work performance or quality of finished product.

COMPLETION SCHEDULE REQUIREMENTS

Accelerated or difficult scheduling requirements, factors such as turn-key construction or multiple shifts that can effect execution of the work.

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION

Factors such as material availability, delivery, weather limitations or other situations that a remote or unusual project location may present.

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WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
CONCRETE QUALITY AWARD
NOMINATION FORM AND QUESTIONNAIRE**

**Mail completed nomination forms, questionnaire and photos to: CAWV-Concrete Evaluation Team
2114 Kanawha Blvd., E. Charleston, WV 25311 (304) 342-1166 FAX (304) 342-1074 www.cawv.org
NOMINATION DEADLINE DATE: MARCH 9, 2018**

Project Name: _____

Project Location: _____

County: _____

Owner: _____

Engineer: _____

Contractor Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Name & Phone Number: _____

Concrete Supplier: _____

Type of Work: **Structural**_____ **Flatwork**_____

Brief Description of Work: _____

Photos Included: Yes _____ No _____

Submitted By:

_____ **Name:** _____

_____ **Organization:** _____

_____ **Address:** _____

_____ **Phone:** _____ **Email:** _____

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CONCRETE QUALITY AWARD
NOMINATION FORM AND QUESTIONNAIRE**

Please answer the following questions or provide narrative description where applicable or any additional information you feel necessary so the evaluation team may consider your project forward. You may provide your own format for description if desired.

1. If the project you are submitting is in the flatwork category, please indicate or provide Mays Ride Meter, Profilograph or Straight-edge results. _____

2. Complexity of Construction: _____

3. Concrete Strength Results and Quality Control. Provide charts or graphs if applicable: _____

4. Special contract requirements or specifications: _____

5. Innovative Construction Methods: _____

6. Completion schedule requirements: _____

7. Other: _____

8. Dollar Value of Work: _____

9. Scheduled Completion Date: _____

Actual Completion Date: _____

10. DOH Inspector: _____

Phone Number: _____

11. Material Supplier: _____

Phone Number: _____

END