

Nominations for 2024 APWA Nevada Chapter Project of the Year Awards

COST CATEGORIES

- 🌟 Category 1 | \$1 million to \$5 million
- 🌟 Category 2 | \$5 million to \$10 million

The Nevada Chapter of the American Public Works Association (APWA) supports and recognizes the special achievements of public agencies engaged in the construction of Nevada public works projects. One such recognition is the selection of the PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARDS at the APWA Nevada Spring Conference, scheduled for April 17-19, 2024, in Laughlin, Nevada.

Interested agencies or their representatives are asked to nominate (by completing the attached nomination form) one or more projects that were substantially completed in calendar year of 2023. Substantial completion for the project shall be deemed to be the point at which the project can be safely and effectively used by the public without delays, disruption, or other impediments.

The Fall Conference Project of the Year Awards will be evaluated based on two items:

1. 50% on a written summary of the project using criteria described on the next page (5-pages max).
2. 50% on short presentations evaluated at the Spring Conference. Presentations do not need to include all seven of the criteria, but they should cover a minimum of three of these. Points will also be awarded for the level of engagement and originality of the presentations, so get creative!

Winning projects will receive a plaque which will be formally presented to the responsible agency at a public board meeting soon after the close of the conference. It is expected that those individuals nominating a project are also willing to prepare an agenda item to receive the award at public meeting should your entity win.

To submit a project, please complete the nomination form, prepare a written summary (5-pages max), and prepare a short presentation highlighting the project for the conference. Presentations are expected to be around 10 minutes, but the allotted time may change slightly depending on the number of submissions.

Nomination forms and supporting documents are due by April 10, 2024.

FORM AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:

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Project of the Year Rules and Regulations

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BASIS OF AWARD

The following criteria will be used to evaluate the written summaries. It is strongly recommended you specifically address each of these in the written summary and a minimum of three of these in presentations. Points will also be awarded for creativity on presentations. All factors are equally weighted:

- ✳️ Use of good construction management techniques and completion of the project on schedule.
- ✳️ Safety performance and demonstrated awareness of the need for good overall safety for workers and the public during and after construction, where applicable.
- ✳️ Community relations as evidenced by efforts to minimize public inconvenience due to construction, safety precautions to protect lives and property, provision of observation areas, guided tours, or other means of improving relations between agency and the public.
- ✳️ Demonstrated awareness for the need to protect the environment during the project. This includes any special considerations given to particular environmental concerns raised during the course of the project, as well as climate change and/or resiliency components for long-term community benefit.
- ✳️ Unusual accomplishments under adverse conditions including, but not limited to age or condition of the facility, adverse weather, soil or other site conditions over which there is no control.
- ✳️ Additional conditions deemed of importance to the public works agency, such as exceptional efforts to maintain quality control and, if value engineering is used, construction innovations as evidenced by time and/or money saving techniques developed and/or successfully utilized.
- ✳️ Use of alternative materials, practices or funding that demonstrates a commitment to sustainability, climate change resiliency, and/or use of sustainable infrastructure rating system or the equivalent.

PROJECT TYPE CATEGORIES

- ✳️ **Structures:** to include new public structures or the preservation or rehabilitation of existing public structures including, municipal buildings and parks.
- ✳️ **Transportation:** to include roads, bridges, mass transit that serve any or all modes of travel, including bicycles and foot traffic.
- ✳️ **Environment:** to include treatment and recycling facilities, landfill reclamation projects, and sewer projects.
- ✳️ **Historical Restoration/Preservation:** to include historical restoration, preservation and adaptive reuse of existing buildings, structures, and facilities that are 75 years or older to qualify as historical.
- ✳️ **Disaster or Emergency Construction Repair:** to include the techniques and timing for safety, community relations, environmental protection, adverse conditions and additional considerations.

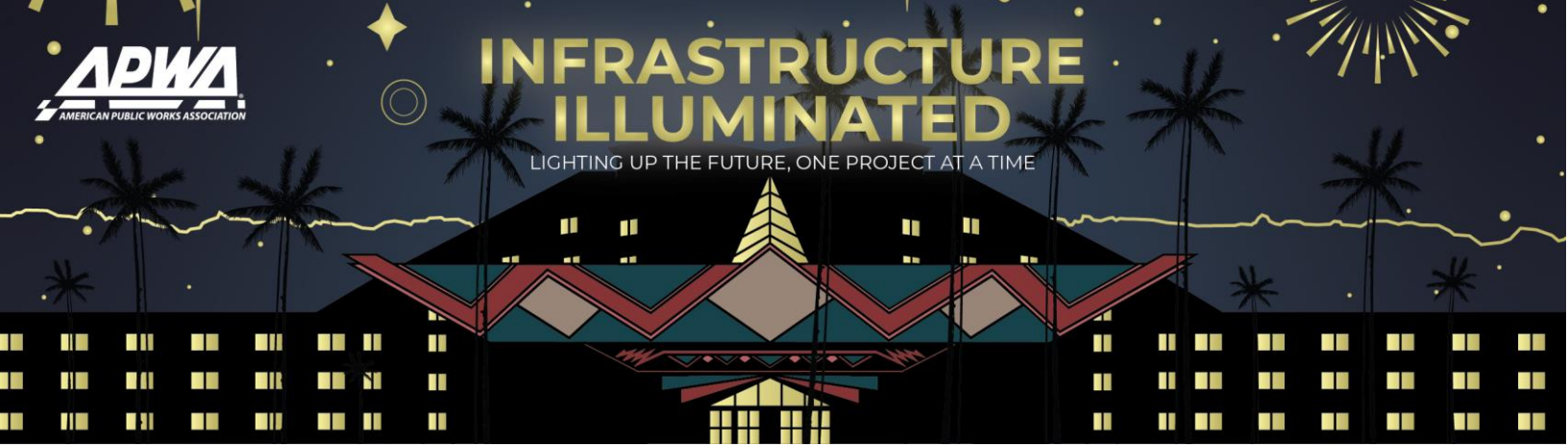
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ELIGIBILITY

- 🔥 Public works projects must be developed, owned, and maintained by public agencies.
- 🔥 A project must have been “substantially completed” and available for public or agency use within the 2023 calendar year.
- 🔥 If a project has multiple phases or segments, then “substantially completed” will be construed as that point when the final phase or segment is 90% completed and available for public or agency use.
- 🔥 A PROJECT MAY ONLY BE NOMINATED ONCE FOR RECOGNITION AS “PROJECT OF THE YEAR”

Project of the Year Nomination Form

Nomination Information	
Managing Agency	
Managing Agency Contact Name	
Managing Agency Contact Email Address	
*** The Agency must be made aware of and approve the project submittal	
	Agency has been notified.
Project Name:	
Prime Design Consultant	
Construction Manager	
Contractor (if applicable)	
Final Project Cost	

Project Type Category (select only one)

Transportation

Structures
(e.g., buildings, dams, etc.)

Environmental

Historical Preservation

Disaster or Emergency Repair

Brief Project Description

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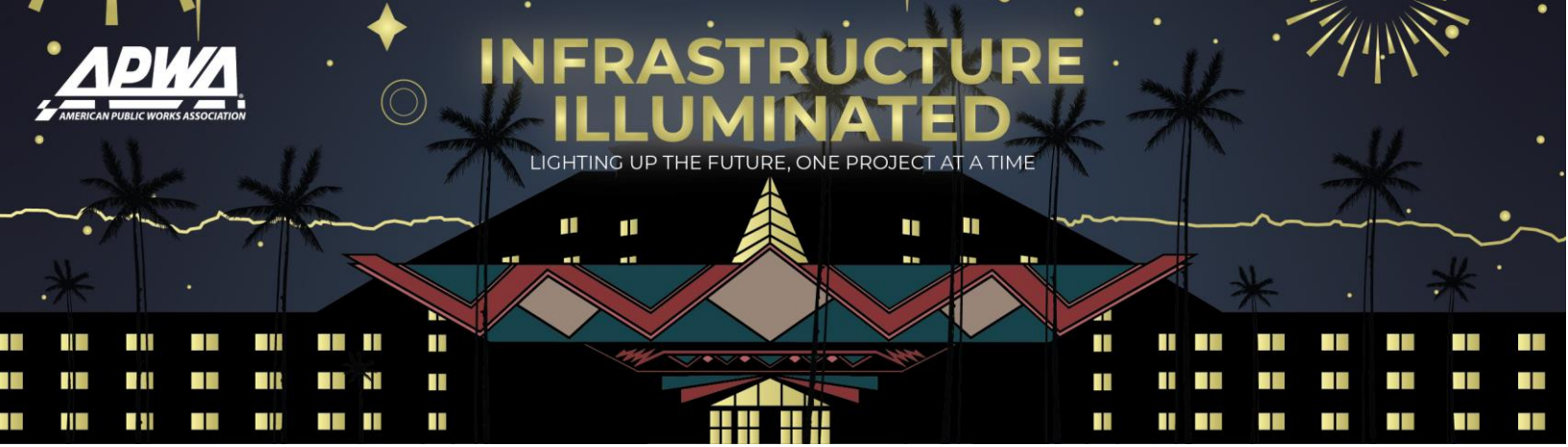
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Nominating Contact Name	
Nominating Title	
Nominating Contact Phone Number	
Nominating Contact Email	

Include summary (not to exceed five pages) addressing the basis of award/Key Evaluation Criteria.

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