



## APAO 2011 ANNUAL PAVING AWARDS General Information

This is information for entering your company's project paved between September 30, 2010 and September 30, 2011 for Asphalt Paving Awards for 2011. Applications are available on our website or by requesting from us.

The program for past years has been successful, so we will be following that format again. Remember, the winners will be announced at the Awards Banquet - not before then.

- 1) Awards will be given to the top three (3) in each category.
- 2) First, second and third places will be *announced* at the Banquet.
- 3) The *Awards Banquet will be held February 21, 2012 during the Oregon Asphalt Conference.*

The nominating process and categories are the same as in the past. The categories are:

1. Commercial/Industrial - Major commercial or residential parking lots, airport runways/taxiways, log sort yards, etc.
2. Rural - Rural two lane projects - 1,000 tons +; 2+ lanes, non-highway, road with shoulders, no substantial curb or gutter. Either new or overlay, HMAC or EAC.
3. State Highway -OOOT Highways (No machine patching or in-place recycle) - 2+ lanes. Overlay, Inlay, or new construction, or a combination.
4. Urban - Urban projects with curbs - 350 tons+; 2 lane residential or business streets with curbs and gutters. Should have catch basins, manholes, or valve boxes and includes two intersections.
5. Urban Arterial - 4+ driving lanes on a 2-way street or 2 lanes plus turn lanes or more on one-way streets. Must include substantial amount of curb & gutter, manholes or catch basins and at least two intersections.
6. Special-Pond liner, driveways, bike path, pig pen or other. This is an award that focuses on special applications and challenges.
7. Smoothness - 2 or more lane highway with smoothness measured with the OOOT profilograph.

We need the nominations in this office by **September 23, 2011**. Nomination received after that date will be accepted IF we can fit them into the rating schedule.

Take time to evaluate your job in detail before you nominate it. Please limit your nominations to **two** projects per *category*. For private projects, including driveways, businesses, etc., include a contact (owner) name and telephone number. Raters look at more than just the AC surface. The *appearance* of the total job *does make a difference!* A perfect job is not expected, but we do expect every nominated job to be very good.

A map with the project location clearly marked **is required** - do not assume we know the area. Also please fill out the nomination forms and the attached narrative sheet as *completely as possible*. The narrative should briefly highlight the aspects of the project which may or may not be evident to the rating team; such as, unique or difficult site conditions, working conditions (traffic, night work).

Thanks and good luck!

Sincerely,

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