



Wisconsin
Ready Mixed
Concrete
Association

36TH ANNUAL WRMCA CONCRETE DESIGN AWARDS CALL FOR ENTRIES

SUBMITTAL GUIDELINES

- Ready mix supplier must be a WRMCA member.
- Ready-mixed concrete projects must have been completed in 2016 or 2017.
- Photos of project must be in digital format - cd, zip drive or emailed. A maximum of 10 photos that cannot **include identifiable WRMCA member trucks**. You are highly encouraged to show all phases of construction. Please include a photo of the finished project.
- Mail the completed entry form and supporting materials to WRMCA, 44 East Mifflin Street, Suite 305, Madison, WI 53703 or email to cschwenn@wrmca.com by **Friday, December 1, 2017**.

CRITERIA

The completed Concrete Design Award Entry Form must include a description of the project (**exclusive of firm names**) detailing the advantages of using ready-mixed concrete and include the following judging criteria (**350 word limit**):

- Use of ready-mixed concrete; include design mix
- Engineering design skill; include unique design demands (structural, strength requirements, etc.)
- Project aesthetics
- Construction techniques and challenges; include project schedule
- Percentage of ready-mixed concrete used in relation to total project
- Use of ready-mixed concrete in relation to site challenges, landscape design, and other materials used on the project

CATEGORIES

Entries may be submitted in the following categories:

1. **Agricultural:** Including barnyards, feedlots, manure pits, and bunker silos.
2. **Commercial:** A building application related to commerce or business, such as offices and stores.
3. **Concrete Overlay:** A parking lot covered with a concrete overlay or ultra-thin overlay.
4. **Decorative Commercial:** Falling under a commercial, municipal, industrial or education, health care and public category incorporating decorative aspects of concrete.
5. **Decorative Residential:** Including foundation, driveway, walkway, patio, pool, and retaining wall.
6. **Education, Healthcare & Public:** Institution such as a church, hospital, school, charity, or assisted living center.
7. **ICF:** A non-residential or house structure utilizing Insulating Concrete Form technology.
8. **Industrial:** A project application related to, industry, such as a warehouse or manufacturing facility.
9. **Municipal Facilities:** Federal, state, or local government, such as a courthouse or correctional facility.
10. **Municipal Infrastructure:** Federal, state, or local government, such as a bridge, dam, street, highway, parking structure, or water storage.
11. **Parking Lot:** Must have cast-in-place concrete surface.
12. **Pervious:** Any project application using pervious concrete.
13. **Other:** A project which does not fit within any of the categories listed above.
14. **Site-Cast Tilt-Up:** A structure where concrete is cast into horizontal forms at the job site, most often on the structure's concrete floor slab, cured and tilted into a vertical position, and moved into place with a mobile crane.

JUDGES

Entries will be evaluated by a panel consisting of Wisconsin/UP construction professionals. Entrants waive their rights to make claims against judges, sponsors or WRMCA. The judges have the right to:

- Move entries into other categories
- Create new categories
- Eliminate categories

Statewide Concrete Design Awards can be given in each category. However, if none of the category entries warrant an award, no award will be given. Regional Concrete Design Awards may be awarded for project entries located in any of the five WRMCA Regions, including:

- Region One - Southwestern Wisconsin
- Region Two - Southeastern Wisconsin
- Region Three - Northeastern Wisconsin
- Region Four- North Central WI/MI Upper Peninsula
- Region Five - Northwestern Wisconsin

Winning a Statewide Concrete Design Award (best in category, Wisconsin and Michigan's UP) does not eliminate a project from consideration for a Regional Concrete Design Award (best concrete project in the region). Every entry is eligible to win both a Statewide and Regional Concrete Design Award.

NOTIFICATION

- A notification letter will be sent to all project team members included on the entry form inviting them to attend the award ceremony **on Friday, March 16, 2018** at the Osthoff Resort in Elkhart Lake.
- Winners will be notified of the category(ies) their respective projects placed.
- Winners are strongly encouraged to send at least one company representative to the awards ceremony.
- All members of the winning project construction team (owner, architect, engineer, concrete contractor, and ready-mix supplier) will be invited and will receive their own award. **Please be sure to include contact information, preferably email for each company involved in the project.**
- Winning projects may be requested to furnish additional materials for the presentation (images/description).
- If the project did not win but was completed in 2017 ... You are strongly encouraged to resubmit your entry for the 37th Annual Concrete Design Award Program.
- All entries and supporting materials become the property of the WRMCA and will not be returned.

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BUILDING TRUST



WRMCA Concrete Design Awards Entry Form

Deadline: December 1, 2017

Project Category: _____

Project Name: _____

Address/Location: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Project Completion Date: _____ Cubic Yards of Concrete Used: _____

\$60 Entry Fee : Check Visa or MC#: _____ Exp Date: _____

Billing Address: _____

Project Submitted By

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____

Ready Mix Supplier(s) - MUST BE A WRMCA MEMBER

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____

Engineer

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____

Architect

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____

Contractor

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____

Owner/Developer

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

E-Mail (Preferred): _____ Phone: _____