



APWA Projects of the Year – 2021

The **APWA Public Works Project of the Year Award** encourages and rewards outstanding Public Works projects in Ventura County.

Awards are given in **five** categories:

1. **Structures**—public structure rehabilitation, municipal buildings, parks.
2. **Transportation**—roads, bridges, transit, bicycle and pedestrian improvements.
3. **Environmental**—water/sewer pipelines, water or wastewater treatment facilities, storm water, NPDES programs, watershed management, solid waste, groundwater development & replenishment.
4. **Historical Restoration/Preservation**—adaptive buildings reuse and refurbishment, restoration aimed at maintaining historic features.
5. **Disaster or Emergency Construction/Repair**—safety projects, community relations, disaster recovery or mitigation.

Nominations: Application requires a short project description to describe the project purpose and attributes. Also, include the design/construction team members and project cost. Applicants also need to submit the attached nomination form.

A project must be “substantially completed” and available for public use within two calendar years prior to nomination. Although a project may only be nominated once, an Agency may apply to more than one category with independent projects.

Please submit your applications in PDF format to Kash Hadipour, Project Awards Committee Chair at kash.hadipour@atkinsglobal.com (949) 289-2115

Winners will be recognized and will present their project at Chapter APWA meetings in 2022

Selection Criteria:

- ❖ Construction management techniques including innovative technologies, scheduling creativity, project scope, and/or administrative originality;
- ❖ Safety performance and safe management practices during construction;
- ❖ Effective community relations related to minimizing public inconvenience, public safety precautions, education programs, tours, press relations;
- ❖ Environmental awareness and enhancement, including minimizing/restoring nature, ‘green’ project considerations, habitat sensitivity;
- ❖ Extraordinary accomplishments under challenging conditions, including adverse weather, difficult site conditions, public controversy, extreme expedience;
- ❖ Exceptional quality control, value engineering, construction innovations or other creative money or time savings that optimized the outcome.

All projects selected for a Chapter Award will be encouraged to apply for a National APWA Project of the Year Award, with the Chapter’s endorsement.

Submit your project(s) by November 15 to participate!

We encourage you to nominate a key member of the Project Team for the Professional of the Year award!

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