



# Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” Awards



One of the highlights of our annual convention is the recognition we give to companies and individuals in the construction industry through the Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” Awards Program. Winners are selected by a panel of *independent* judges that evaluate submissions based on the 7 Award Criteria.

## AWARD CATEGORIES:

- A. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Under \$5,000,000 Vertical Construction
- B. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Between \$5,000,000 & \$15,000,000 Vertical Construction
- C. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Over \$15,000,000 Vertical Construction
- D. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Under \$5,000,000 Transportation, Marine, Heavy, Earthmoving
- E. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Between \$5,000,000 & \$15,000,000 Transportation, Marine, Heavy, Earthmoving
- F. Meeting the Challenge of a Job, Over \$15,000,000 Transportation, Marine, Heavy, Earthmoving
- G. Excellence in Construction Award for a Specialty Contractor: Transportation, Marine, Heavy, Earthmoving
- H. Excellence in Construction Award for a Specialty Contractor: Vertical Construction
- I. Sustainability in Construction Award

## AWARD CRITERIA FOR ALL AWARDS:

Contractor’s excellence in the following areas will be judged:

1. state-of-the-art advancement
2. project management
3. innovation in construction techniques or materials
4. safety management and record
5. client service
6. community relations
7. sensitivity to the environment & surroundings

## AWARD RULES:

- I. The Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” Awards Program is open to all general contractor, specialty contractor and associate firms who are **members** in good standing with the Associated General Contractors of Alaska. Contest rules allow only one submittal per company or individual for each category. The same project **cannot** be submitted in more than one category with the exception of the Sustainability in Construction Award category.
- II. Only projects completed, or substantially completed, in Alaska by an Alaska AGC member **from September 30, 2019 to September 30, 2020**, are eligible to compete in the Awards Program. Awards will be presented in the above categories based on submissions given to a panel of independent judges consisting of individuals with extensive construction background and no affiliations with contractors submitting awards. There will be one winner per category.
- III. Each entry or nomination must be on the official form or a photocopy thereof. All entries/nominations must be received at the AGC of AK headquarters, 8005 Schoon St, Anchorage, AK 99518, no later than end of business day on ***Wednesday, September 23, 2020***. NO EXTENSIONS WILL BE GRANTED FOR ANY REASON. Each submitting member is responsible for the costs associated with their entry. Typical expenses will include all display materials, enlargements or multi-media images. Call the AGC office if you need assistance or seek advice with the project submission.
- IV. Award winners will be announced at the Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” awards luncheon during the AGC Conference on November 13, 2020.



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- V. The Sustainability in Construction Award is an award open to anyone involved with construction or related technical projects who is an AGC of Alaska member—architects, planners, engineers, or project owners and will be awarded to the AGC of Alaska member that went above-and-beyond normal practices to have a positive impact on the environment.
- VI. Winners in each category will receive awards recognizing their significant achievement. There is no promise, either expressed or implied, of publicity for winners, although AGC of Alaska intends to take all reasonable steps to secure such publicity in the media.
- VII. AGC of Alaska shall have the right to use those entries or any portion thereof for promotional purposes in connection with the Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” Awards Program or any other AGC of AK purpose without financial compensation to the finalists and winning entrants. You are responsible for assuring that you submit information which you have the reproduction rights. Do not submit materials that will infringe on copyrights if reproduced.
- VIII. Neither AGC of AK, its members or staff, Parker, Smith & Feek, nor the judges for the Parker, Smith & Feek “Excellence in Construction” Awards Program, assume or accept any liability for any error or omission or claim rising from the awards program, including, but not limited to, loss or damage to entries by the Postal Service or other means of transmittal, loss or damage in transit or storage, misinterpretation by members of the business advantage or any consequential damage as a result of any of the foregoing.
- IX. Entries not in compliance with these rules, as determined by the Awards Sub-Committee of the Annual Conference Committee in its sole discretion, may not be considered. All decisions of the Awards Committee and/or judges are final.
- X. We strongly urge companies to consider submitting projects to the AGC of America “Build America” awards. [Click here for more information on the submittal process.](#)

### Submittal Checklist:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed Entry Form.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A one-page summary describing WHY the project should receive an Excellence in Construction Award
- \_\_\_\_\_ A narrative explaining HOW the entry meets each of the following criteria:
  1. state-of-the-art advancement
  2. project management
  3. innovation in construction techniques or materials
  4. safety management and record
  5. client service
  6. community relations
  7. sensitivity to the environment & surroundings
- \_\_\_\_\_ Entries must include color photos. **10 PRINTED PHOTOS!!** Photos should highlight the construction process, including finished process and any unique conditions. Photos must also be on Thumb or Flash Drive or CD (at least 10 but no more than 15 photos in chronological order), in jpeg 300 dpi format. **Please choose and clearly label one photo as your best photo for the project to be featured.** Please do NOT put these into the body of your word document or pdf file only. They should be separate files.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 100-word summary of project for possible publication (Both hard copy and CD or Flash Drive in Word or text format) Please make sure this is only 100 words.
- \_\_\_\_\_ If submitting for the Sustainability in Construction Award, please explain in no more than two pages how this project positively impacted the environment.



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NAME OF NOMINEE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Must be an AGC of Alaska Member)

CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION OF PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

EXCELLENCE IN CONSTRUCTION: Check one of the following categories based on the overall project size (not your portion): (Select the category that best fits your level of involvement on the project. Specialty Contractor on the project or General Contractor on the project.)

- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: UNDER \$5,000,000 TRANSPORTATION, HEAVY, MARINE, EARTHMOVING
- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: BETWEEN \$5,000,000 and \$15,000,000 TRANSPORTATION, HEAVY, MARINE, EARTHMOVING
- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: OVER \$15,000,000 TRANSPORTATION, HEAVY, MARINE, EARTHMOVING
- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: UNDER \$5,000,000 VERTICAL
- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: BETWEEN \$5,000,000 AND \$15,000,000 VERTICAL
- GENERAL CONTRACTOR: OVER \$15,000,000 VERTICAL
- SPECIALTY CONTRACTOR: TRANSPORTATION, MARINE, HEAVY EARTHMOVING
- SPECIALTY CONTRACTOR: VERTICAL CONSTRUCTION
- SUSTAINABILITY IN CONSTRUCTION AWARD *(this award might include: water quality and conservation, reduced habitat disturbance, site preservation and habitat restoration, materials salvaged and/or recycled from project, recycled-content uilding mterials used in project, strategies for construction waste management, including pollution prevention and clean-up, and air quality)*



Overall project size: [ ] Under \$1 [ ] \$1-\$5 [ ] \$5-\$10 [ ] \$10-\$15 [ ] \$15-20 [ ] \$20-\$25 [ ] \$25-\$30 [ ] Over \$30  
We are tracking this information for future planning for award categories.

**This Submittal must be accompanied by 1 each Hard Copy (paper) and 1 each Electronic Copy (CD or Flash Drive) of the project as outlined in Submittal checklist of the Rules.**

Forward nominations to: The 2020 Parker, Smith & Feek "Excellence in Construction" Awards  
Associated General Contractors of Alaska  
8005 Schoon St., Anchorage, AK 99518  
(Only one submission per form, form may be copied for additional entries)

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