# PERPETUAL PAYENJENT AVARDA NOMINATION FORM

Nominations Due By December 1



PERPETUAL PAVEMENT

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THE PERPETUAL PAVEMENT AWARDS RECOGNIZE EXISTING LONG-LIFE ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE UNITED STATES. THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT ALLIANCE WILL HONOR ASPHALT PAVEMENTS DEMONSTRATING OUTSTANDING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION.

#### Eligibility

Any road, highway, airport, or other facility paved with asphalt in current use is eligible. Owners may nominate more than one pavement for an award. However, only one award may be granted per agency each year. (If more than one section is deemed eligible, one may be considered in subsequent years.)

#### **AwardCriteria**

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- » Pavement must be a minimum of 35 years old.
- » Pavement must have hot-mix or warm-mix asphalt binder and surface layers.
- » No rehabilitation or series of rehabilitations over the preceding 35 years have increased the total pavement thickness by more than four (4) inches. Thus, the overall structural gain during the 35 years of a pavement's life preceding the nomination cannot exceed four (4) inches.\*
- » Resurfacing intervals of no less than 13 years on the average.\*
- » Minimum project length is two (2) miles for all roadway types except municipal. For municipal roadways the minimum project length is four (4) continuous blocks or 1,200 feet.
- » In the case of "staged construction," the 35-plus year time frame against which the award criterion is evaluated begins when all staged construction is completed.
- » Municipal roadways must have acceptable crown and surface texture. A representative of the state asphalt pavement association or other industry representative and the contracting authority will be responsible for conducting a field evaluation to determine if the project meets an acceptable crown and surface texture prior to submitting the application.

#### **Submittal Requirements**

- » Pavement can be submitted by the state Department of Transportation, municipality or other owner of the pavement.
- » Awards in this category are limited to one owner/agency project per state, per year.
- » Entries must be received by December 1.

#### **Necessary Information**

- » An estimate of traffic loading to date (ESALS or other appropriate method of quantifying traffic).
- » Current traffic level.
- » Construction and maintenance history. Include:
  - Original construction date
  - Pavement thickness
  - Repair dates, including types of repair done and thicknesses
  - Brief description of maintenance activities throughout life of pavement
  - Summary of what makes this project worthy of receiving this award, including factors such as size of project, performance, climatic conditions, special soil conditions, special drainage methods, and/or unique construction requirements.

#### **Evaluation Process**

Engineers at the National Center for Asphalt Technology (NCAT) will evaluate the information provided on the basis of:

- » Performance in consideration of environmental and soil conditions, traffic, construction and maintenance record.
- » Summary provided by owner.
- » Pavement structure continues to demonstrate value.

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#### **1. Pavement Description**

Original Project Identification				
Location (include specific details: County, Route, Mile Marker, etc.):				
Owner Company or Agency: -				
Year opened to traffic:	Overall project length:	Number of traffic lanes:		
Current traffic level (ADT or other appropriate measure):				
Estimated loading to date (ESALs or other appropriate measure):				

#### 2. Design of Original Pavement and Subsequent Pavement Maintenance

On a separate sheet, please list the following data for the original pavement design. In addition, document all activities associated with pavement surface maintenance and rehabilitation. This information should include:

- » Layer thicknesses as constructed and dates
- » All resurfacing and maintenance activities and dates

#### 3. Photographs

Please include at least five high quality digital photographs of this pavement. These will be used for marketing and promotional purposes. If available, both historical and current photos are desirable.

ALL photographs submitted become property of the APA and may be used in marketing materials. ↑ mail: Please submit images on a thumbdrive. (Nomination forms can be submitted on the same thumbdrive). ↑ email: Please attach images in a high-quality jpeg format. (If images are too large, to email, please contact mkirk@asphaltroads.org for alternate delivery suggestions).

#### 4. Category that best describes this pavement:

Interstate or controlled access highway	🗖 Divided highway
Local road or access road	🗖 Arterial
Airport/Airfield	Collector

🗖 Other

(example: race track, parking lot, container yard)

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#### Please answer the following as applicable to this pavement.

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y, State, Zip Code:	
gnature of Representative:	
gnature of Chief Engineer or equivalent:	
Media/Press Contact's Name and Title:	
one and Email Address:	

#### Mail or e-mail your completed nomination form by *December 1* to:

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