



The 2017

NRC RAIL CONSTRUCTION PROJECT OF THE YEAR AWARD – SMALL AND LARGE PROJECT CATEGORIES

Summary & Criteria

The purpose of this award is to honor innovation, expertise, and quality project management applied towards the successful execution of a rail construction project by an NRC member company in 2017. Any type of rail construction project contract that was \$10 million or less is eligible for the **small project award**. Any type of rail construction project contract over \$10 million is eligible for the **large project award**. This includes projects for freight rail, industrial track, rail transit, commuter rail, intercity passenger rail, rail on port facilities and rail on military facilities.

All qualified applications will be posted on the NRC website. One award will be given per category. The winner will be announced on Saturday, January 13 at the 2018 NRC Conference in Los Angeles, CA.

Contact Lindsey Collins at (202) 715-2916 or lcollins@nrcma.org with any questions or for more information.



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Application – For both Large and Small Project Categories

Please enter my firm's project in the 2017 NRC Rail Construction Project of the Year Award Program.

COMPANY NAME: _____

CONTACT: _____ **TITLE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ **FAX:** _____

EMAIL: _____

PROJECT NAME: _____ **LOCATION:** _____

CONTRACT AMOUNT: _____ **APPLICATION CATEGORY (LARGE >\$10M OR SMALL < \$10):** _____

CONSTRUCTION MANAGER: _____

LEAD ENGINEER: _____

MAJOR SUBCONTRACTORS: _____

MAJOR SUPPLIERS: _____

If you have any questions, please call the NRC office at (202) 715-2916.
I certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNED: _____

PRINT NAME: _____

DATE: _____

Provide a brief project description, not to exceed 150 words, and additional documents supporting the award criteria, per the instructions below:

1. Project Questions

Score: Up to **50** points. Answers should not exceed 500 words for each of the following two questions.

Requirement: Please answer the following questions.

- 1) What details demonstrate your company's innovation, expertise, and high quality of work on this particular project? This may include the development and/or application of new concepts, products, practices, and/or any other noteworthy aspect of the project. Provide explanations of specific challenges and the strategies used to overcome them.

- 2) What was your safety/loss record on the project? Provide details on cost control methods and techniques for efficient project declivity. Discuss any specific challenges or successes.

2. Customer Satisfaction Document

Score: Up to **50** points.

Requirements: Written evidence (email acceptable) that:

- 1) States that the project was completed within the last year.
- 2) States that the project met or exceeded its objectives.
- 3) Attests to the costs, schedule, quality, and management of the project.

- 3. Project Photos:** Please submit at least two and no more than four photos with this application. The application is not complete without the photos and cannot be considered for the Rail Construction Project of the Year Award without them. The photos can be of the project, the team, or any other relevant photos.

Please label the photos with the company and project names, and any other relevant information as you see fit, and submit with your application per the instructions at the bottom.

- 4. Format:** All written document materials must be submitted in either Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF formats. Acceptable image formats with text descriptions include .jpg, .png, .gif, .bmp, and .tiff.

Return application and supporting documentation by November 10, 2017 by email to: collins@nrcma.org with subject line: NRC 2017 Project of the Year Application