

**\*\*\* NEWS RELEASE \*\*\***

The Concrete Division held its annual Excellence in Concrete Awards Dinner, Wednesday, January 8, 2003, at the Montana Contractors' Association (MCA) Annual Convention at the Holiday Inn in Bozeman. Guests included several MCA members from outside the concrete division, members of the MSU AGC Student Chapter and advisors, and various award winners. In all, over 140 people were able to see first hand an excellent cross section of the interesting concrete projects from around the state.

The winning projects for the seven different categories are as follows:

**Public Facility - St. Patrick's Hospital Ambulatory Building - Nominated By: Missoula Ready Mix**

Owner: St. Patrick's Hospital  
Architect: OZ Architect  
Engineer: Beaudette Consulting  
Contractor: Gordon Construction  
Concrete Supplier: Missoula Ready Mix

**Architectural Concrete - Orange Street Bridge - Nominated By: Missoula Ready Mix**

Owner: Montana Department of Transportation  
Architect: HNTB Corporation  
Engineer: HNTB Corporation  
Contractor: Bodell Construction  
Concrete Supplier: Missoula Ready Mix  
Precast Supplier: Montana Prestressed Concrete

**Industrial/Commercial - Horseshoe Bend Water Treatment Plant - Nominated By: Swank Enterprises**

Owner: Montana Resources  
Owner: Atlantic Richfield Company - ARCO  
Architect/Engineer: U.S. Filter  
Engineer: HKM Engineering, Inc.  
Contractor: Swank Enterprises  
Subcontractor: LeProwse Construction  
Concrete Supplier: Pioneer Concrete  
Rebar Installer: L.H. Sows

**Transportation - Helena Regional Airport - Nominated By: Robert Peccia & Associates**

Owner: Helena Regional Airport Authority  
Engineer: Robert Peccia & Associates  
Engineer: Eclipse Engineering  
Contractor: Helena Sand & Gravel, Inc.  
Subcontractor: United Rentals Highway Technologies  
Concrete Supplier: Helena Sand & Gravel, Inc.

**Agricultural/Rural - United Harvest Grain Loading Facility - Nominated By: JTL Group, Inc. - Billings**

Owner: United Harvest, LLC  
Engineer: Todd & Sargent  
Contractor: Todd & Sargent  
Concrete Supplier: JTL Group, Inc. - Billings

**New & Innovative - Sweet Grass Rest Area - Nominated By: Missoula Concrete Construction**

Owner: Montana Department of Transportation  
Architect: D.T. Architecture  
Engineer: Stelling Engineers  
Contractor: Swank Enterprises  
Concrete Supplier: HiLine Redi-Mix  
Precast Supplier: Missoula Concrete Construction  
Hollowcore Supplier: Central Premix

**Residential - Hoovestal Residence - Nominated By: Helena Sand & Gravel Co.**

Owner:	Gary Hoovestal
Contractor:	Red Construction
Subcontractor:	O'Connor Concrete Services
Concrete Supplier:	Helena Sand & Gravel Co.
Artist:	Design Alternatives

A special thanks to all those companies submitting entries.

Remember, the entry does not need to be submitted by an MCA member, and qualifying projects do not need to have been completed in the current year.