

MAPA Quality Paving Awards Criteria for Private/Commercial Category



Because the private commercial projects will not be judged in-person, special attention should be paid to the application process and photos/videos. Submissions will be judged on the following modified criteria: mix quality testing, degree of difficulty, uniqueness of the project, aesthetic quality, and demonstrated attributes of asphalt pavements including speed of construction, perpetual pavements, and recyclability. Make sure to include the scope of work with any phasing plan in your application. Elements that will impact these criteria include timeline, weather, unique paving techniques, mix designs, or lift thicknesses, and working with or around other construction trades and/or traveling public to insure access or business operations.

SCORING

Each criterion will be scored on a scale from 0 to 10 with ten being the highest quality. The scores are then multiplied by a weight factor. The weight given each criterion is based on the significance of what the public will see and feel as well as which criteria has significant effect on the serviceability of the pavement.

<u>Criteria</u>	<u>Weight Factor</u>
Mix Quality Control	30%
Overall Appearance	30%
Complexity/Difficulty	25%
Demonstrated Attributes of Asphalt	10%
Uniqueness of the Project	5%

Quality Control Testing

- Mix Quality Control Volumetrics, Gradation, Asphalt Content, etc.
- Density test results
- Lift thickness

Overall Appearance

- Is the finished project aesthetically pleasing
- Joints
- Segregation
- Smoothness
- Attention to hand work especially around items like curb/gutter, islands, drains or other obstacles.

Complexity / Difficulty

- Describe anything that made the project different or required specific attention or planning
- Safety for paving employees and others (construction personnel or general public)
- Timing
- Weather
- Working with or around other trades, current business employees, customers, or the general public
- Unique paving techniques
- Unique mix design or lift thickness

Attributes of Asphalt

- Speed of construction
- Perpetual pavements
- Sustainability

Uniqueness of project

- Any specific solution or problem the project solved for the owner
- Anything unique about where and/or how the asphalt was placed