

6 ABC Southeast Texas Chapter Member Companies Earned National Honors for Construction Project Excellence

Nederland, Texas, Feb. 10—ABC Southeast Texas Chapter today announced 6 member companies won 6 National Excellence in Construction[®] awards presented during ABC Convention 2025 in Las Vegas on Feb. 26. Associated Builders and Contractors recognized 96 of the nation's top construction projects from 2024, including upgrades and renovations to hospitals and constructing hydraulic stations, sports complexes, government buildings and airports.

'These award-winning projects showcase the dedication, skill, and excellence that define ABC Southeast Texas Chapter members,' said Jane Gimler President and CEO of ABC Southeast Texas Chapter 'Their ability to overcome challenges, deliver highquality work, and uphold the highest standards in our industry is truly inspiring. We celebrate their achievements and their contribution to building a stronger, safer, and more innovative future for construction.'

From industrial advancements to critical infrastructure, these projects stand as a testament to the exceptional craftsmanship and expertise within our chapter."

The EIC awards honor every member of the construction team, including the contractor, owner, architect and engineer. The winning projects are judged on complexity, attractiveness, unique challenges overcome, completion time, innovation and safety.

'These projects are the epitome of excellence in construction, demonstrating quality, health, safety and innovation in our industry," said 2025 Chair of the ABC National Board of Directors David Pugh, partner, Bradley, Birmingham, Alabama. "These 6 industry-leading projects completed by members of ABC Southeast Texas Chapter show how members of ABC build projects safely, on time and on budget."

National Excellence in Construction Eagle Award Winners

- EXCEL GROUP—Linde TSMC Semiconductor, Industrial > \$25 to \$50 million, Phoenix.
- PERFORMANCE CONTRACTORS INC.- Total Energies 2024 SM Turnaround Project, Industrial > Up to \$10 million, Carville Louisiana.

National Excellence in Construction Pyramid Award Winners

- HOLES INC—Port of Galveston Cruise Terminal 25 Improvements, Specialty Construction: Commercial > Up to \$3 million, Galveston, Texas.
- SR Trident Inc— A.D. Powers Bayfront Park Seawall Restoration Project, Federal Government / Military > Up to \$15 million, Seadrift, Texas.



- GROUP Contractors LLC —Energy Transfer Partners/S&B Engineers and Constructors Flexport Project, Specialty Construction: Industrial > More than \$10 million, Nederland, Texas.
- Performance Contractors Inc.- Exxon Baytown Olefins Plant 2X Furnace Retrofit TA Program, Industrial > Up to \$10 million, Baytown, Texas.

A panel of industry experts served as the competition's judges. This year's judges included representatives from Dick's Sporting Goods, the Design-Build Institute of America, Engineering News-Record, Construction Owners Association of America, the National Institutes of Health, the National Institute of Building Sciences, the Smithsonian Institution and other select construction-related organizations nationwide.

A full list of EIC winners is available on ABC's website.

Providing employee benefits and a suite of construction-specific employer services exclusively for ABC members for 65 years, the <u>ABC Insurance Trust</u> is the proud program sponsor of the Excellence in Construction Awards.

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Celebrating its 75th anniversary in 2025, Associated Builders and Contractors is a national construction industry trade association established in 1950 that represents more than 23,000 members. Founded on the merit shop philosophy, ABC and its 67 chapters help members develop people, win work and deliver that work safely, ethically and profitably for the betterment of the communities in which ABC and its members work. Visit us at abc.org.