

2023 COUNTY PROJECT DESIGN COMPETITION

The Road Design Conference is once again upon us! And, as we all know, that also means that it's time for the **Project Design Competition (PDC)**! The competition has been hotly contested over the years. Do you have what it takes to bring home the **Traveling Trophy** and bask in the glory of being the State PDC Champion? We invite ALL counties to participate and show off your projects to the other counties of Washington. We welcome county projects of all types, be it specialized or experimental nature; work concerning new features, design elements, methods, or processes; and works in progress. The goal of this completion is to bring new ideas or interesting solutions to old problems to the table. It is a valuable opportunity to share our engineering knowledge in the advancement of design projects across the state!

The counties will display their projects in the main hall throughout the conference, during which time participants can circulate and talk to project designers and ask questions about the designs. The projects will remain available to the conference participants throughout the conference so that they can be closely examined. Participants will get one vote each, which will be placed on the project they deem to be the best of the year. Voting stickers will be included in everyone's registration packet. We will announce the winning project at the wrap-up session on the final day of the conference.

When submitting a project display, please include one project per county. Please limit project displays to a maximum of two 24-inch by 36-inch display or equivalent. Video presentations will be accepted, with a provided display describing the video's contents. Counties may bring stands or easels to setup their project displays along with an 8x11 report describing the project and design process to include:

- Overview Information
 - Title of project
 - Name of the County
- Full contact information on the description of the county participation efforts (number of members and time committed)
- Project summary details
- An explanation on the economics of the product in terms of cost and potential value added to the public
- One or two innovative points
- If you would like to share documents with other counties, they can be made available from CRAB following the conference.