



ANNOUNCEMENT

DON CONAWAY PARTNERING AWARD

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Dear Colleagues:

Partnering is thriving in the Ohio Transportation Construction Industry. Now that Partnering is the expected and standard way of conducting business on every ODOT project, the time has come to distinguish those particular projects and staffs who have exemplified best practices in successful Partnering. On behalf of the Department and OCA, it will be with great honor that we recognize the winners and present the first annual "Don Conaway Partnering Awards" at the 2013 Conaway Conference.

In order to create equal opportunity, there are three categories of the "Don Conaway Partnering Award" based on project size. Please take the time to nominate the best projects that your district or company built this year in each category. Follow the link to ODOT's Division of Construction Management Partnering website <http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/ConstructionMgt/Pages/Partnering.aspx> for further details and to submit nominations for the first annual "Don Conaway Partnering Award." The deadline is December 31st, 2012. We look forward to reading about all of the successful Partnering experiences, and anticipate that the choice for the awards will be very difficult with many great projects to choose from.

Thank you for all of your efforts to make Partnering a success in Ohio!

Respectfully,



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