



SENATOR CAROL ALVARADO

## ACEC Texas Presents Senator Carol Alvarado with the “Champion of Infrastructure” Award for the 89<sup>th</sup> Legislature

**Austin, TX** – The American Council of Engineering Companies of Texas (ACEC Texas) is pleased to recognize Senator Carol Alvarado (D-Houston) with the **Champion of Infrastructure Award** for her work on behalf of Texas engineering firms during the 2025 Legislative Session.

The Champion of Infrastructure Award recognizes elected officials who support the engineering business community by promoting policies that encourage infrastructure development and create a fair, business-friendly environment in the State of Texas. The award recipients are chosen by the members of the ACEC Texas Public Policy Council.

First elected to the Texas Legislature in 2008, Senator Alvarado has been a leader amongst her colleagues in the Senate and for the Houston region. She has been a strong supporter of the engineering community, most notably on transportation issues as a multi-term member of the Senate Committee on Transportation. She also serves as Chair of the Texas Senate Democratic Caucus.

“Senator Alvarado has been a faithful supporter of Texas engineering firms, having worked on several policy issues that affect our industry, including local government matters, public procurement, and infrastructure development” said ACEC Texas President Peyton McKnight. “She understands the importance of advocating for policies that continue to create a healthy business environment for her district and our state. ACEC Texas is honored to recognize Senator Alvarado as a Champion of Infrastructure for a second consecutive legislation session.”

ACEC Texas is the business association of Texas engineering firms. The organization is committed to advancing the private practice of consulting engineering, enhancing markets for private engineering services, educating the public on the importance of infrastructure investment, and promoting sound business practices within the industry and its client base.