



ASCE Region 9

2020 Outstanding Project Awards

Project of the Year

Paradise Camp Fire Debris Removal and Services

Location Paradise, California
Owner CalRecycle
Engineer Odin Construction
Contractor Odin Construction

Airports & Ports Project

Tenth Avenue Marine Terminal Modernization – TIGER Grant Phase I Project

Location San Diego, California
Owner Port of San Diego
Engineer Harris & Associates

Architectural Engineering Project

Great Wolf Lodge

Location Manteca, California
Owner Great Wolf Lodge
Engineer Buehler Engineering, Inc.
Architect Stantec

Bikeways & Trails Project

El Dorado Trail Extension – Missouri Flat Road to El Dorado

Location Placerville, California
Owner El Dorado County Department of Transportation
Engineer El Dorado County

Bridge Project

Cow Camp Road Bridge over Gobernadora Canyon

Location Orange County, California
Owner County of Orange and Rancho Mission Viejo
Engineer Michael Baker International

Community Improvement Project

Biola Sidewalk Project

Location Biola, California
Owner County of Fresno
Engineer County of Fresno Public Works & Planning

Construction Project

AES Huntington Beach Energy Project and Alamitos Energy Center

Location Long Beach, California
Owner AES Corporation
Engineer Kiewit

Energy Project

Chevron Lost Hills Solar Project

Location Lost Hills, California
Owner Chevron
Engineer SunPower Corporation

Environmental Engineering Project

Fremont Weir Adult Fish Passage Project

Location Sutter County, California
Owner California Department of Water Resources
Engineer California Department of Water Resources



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Flood Management Project

San Bernardino Flood - Amethyst Basin

Location Victorville, California
Owner San Bernardino County Public Works
Engineer San Bernardino County Public Works

Geotechnical Engineering Project

Coast Boulevard Sea Cave Emergency Stabilization Project

Location San Diego, California
Owner City of San Diego
Engineer Dudek

Historical Renovation Project

University Heights Water Tower Seismic Retrofit

Location San Diego, California
Owner City of San Diego
Engineer Infrastructure Engineering Corporation

Parks & Recreation Project

Mast Park Improvement Project

Location Santee, California
Owner City of Santee
Engineer Dokken Engineering

Roadway & Highway Project

Spring Valley Lake Community Road Revitalization Project

Location Elk Grove, California
Owner County of San Bernardino
Engineer County of San Bernardino

Small Project

Effluent System Reliability Project

Location Elk Grove, California
Owner Regional San
Engineer Brown and Caldwell / HDR Joint Venture

Structural Engineering Project

Moscone Center Expansion and Improvement, Underground Viaduct

Location San Francisco, California
Owner San Francisco Tourism Improvement District
Engineer Skidmore, Owings & Merrill

Sustainable Engineering Project

Design and Construction of the McMullin On-Farm Flood Capture and Recharge Project

Location Fresno County, California
Owner Kings River Conservation District
Engineer Provost & Pritchard Consulting Group

Transportation Project

Friars Road SR-163 Interchange Project

Location San Diego, California
Owner City of San Diego
Engineers Dokken Engineering



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Urban/Land Development Project

UC Merced 2020 Campuswide Expansion

Location Merced, California
Owner University of California Merced
Engineer Langan Engineering and Environmental Services Inc.

Water Project

Tiger Creek Afterbay Dredging & Dam Low Level Outlet Inspection

Location Pioneer, California
Owner PG&E
Engineer Odin Construction Solutions, Inc.

Water/Wastewater Treatment Project

Regional Recycled Water Advanced Purification Center

Location Carson, California
Owner The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
Engineer Stantec



ASCE Region 9 2020 Outstanding Individual Awards

Civil Engineer in the Public Sector

William Hall, PE
US Army Corps of Engineers Sacramento District
Sacramento, California

Civil Engineer in the Private Sector

Tony Akel
Akel Engineering Group, Inc.
Fresno, California

Civil Engineer in Community Service

Meghrie Demirdjian, MS, PE
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
Los Angeles, California

Civil Engineer in Legislative Activities

Luis Molina
m6 Consulting Inc
Westlake Village, California

ASCE Section Officer

Michael Konieczki, PE, D.WRE
HDR
Sacramento, California

ASCE Branch Officer

Jeff Meiter
Valued Engineering, Inc.
Upland, California

ASCE YMF Officer

Taylor Myers
California Department of Water Resources
Sacramento, California

ASCE Practitioner Advisor

Claris Rivera
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
Los Angeles, California

ASCE Faculty Advisor

Lijuan "Dawn" Cheng, Ph.D.
University of California, Davis
Davis, California

ASCE Life Member

Kent E. Zenobia, PE, BCEE, F. ASCE
California Department of Water Resources
Sacramento, California

Younger Civil Engineer

Ho-Shing Chau, PE
Brown and Caldwell
Walnut Creek, California

Civil Engineering Student

Matthew Jacobson
Cal Poly Pomona
Pomona, California



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Civil Engineering Student

Rogelio Garcia, EIT

University of the Pacific
Stockton, California

State Legislator of the Year

Senator Jim Nielsen

California's 4th District
Roseville, California

Lifetime Achievement

Shahnawaz Ahmad, PE

SA Associates
Arcadia, California