

## **Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame - Bylaws**

Started in 2004 by the Florida Transportation Builders' Association Board of Directors, the Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame honors, preserves, and perpetuates the outstanding accomplishments and contributions of individuals that have brought and continue to bring significant recognition to the State of Florida in the field of transportation construction.

**The Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame is governed by a board of directors of up to 20 members made up of past Florida Transportation Builders' Association chairmen from the previous decades, the current FTBA Chairman, and members providing a geographic representation of the state.** This Hall of Fame board determines the criteria for selecting inductees, the eligibility of candidates and a selection process for induction to the Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame. All candidates must meet criteria established by the board for membership.

Nominations for induction into the Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame are made by open call to the FTBA membership. Nominations will be accepted from both current and former members of FTBA. The FTBA Hall of Fame Board of Directors Nominating Committee shall also nominate candidates for induction. The Hall of Fame board of directors then designates those nominees who are to be inducted in a given year. **Nominees who are not selected are automatically a candidate for induction when the next class is selected.** This file will contain biographical and other data on many outstanding individuals.

The transportation construction industry is delighted about the creation of a Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame. Individually and collectively, our industry makes significant contributions to the advancement of engineering and technology, leading to an enhanced economic, cultural, and political future for the state and nation. Those honored will serve as symbols inspiring others to pursue rewarding and challenging careers in all transportation construction fields.

## **Criteria for selection into the Florida Transportation Builders' Hall of Fame**

1. A candidate must have, by his, her accomplishments in the field of transportation construction, greatly contributed to the development of the transportation construction industry in Florida.
2. Past/Active Members of the Florida Transportation Builders' Association; Owner or Employee
3. Florida Department of Transportation Officials
4. Major Industry Supporters

### **Approval Process for Individual and Company Honorees**

- All nominated candidates not elected remain as a candidate for the next class selected.
- The cutoff date for nominations from the membership will be December 31.
- All nominations to be considered for induction must be submitted to the Nominating Committee of the Hall of Fame board, and must include a summary of each candidate's accomplishments.
- The Hall of Fame board of directors shall select the slate of honorees.

Honorees are selected based on a scoring system. Each Hall of Fame board member will be presented with a list of the names for consideration for the coming year. They will then rate individual applications on a scale ranging from one, two, three, etc. (1,2,3), with one being the highest score. Upon completion of the scoring system by all board members, the applicants with the most number-one votes will be offered for admission in the honoring class for the current year. The Hall of Fame board of directors will decide upon the number of recipients for each annual ceremony.

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## **Board of Directors Membership**

### **FTBA Hall of Fame Board of Directors Criteria – up to 20 Member Board**

**The responsibility of the FTBA Hall of Fame Board is to determine each class of Hall of Fame inductees.**

- Hall of Fame Board shall be selected by the FTBA Board of Directors and shall include:
- Some former chairmen from the previous decades plus the current FTBA Chairman.
- Members representing each of the FDOT Districts as much as possible.
- Board members serve at the pleasure of the FTBA Executive Committee.

### **FTBA Hall of Fame Nominating Committee – 7 Member Committee**

- The FTBA Chairman shall designate a 7 member Nominating Committee.
- A Chairman will also be appointed to represent the nominating committee to the full Hall of Fame board.