

# Engineering Excellence Awards Committee

**ACEC STRATEGIC PLAN:** The six strategic goals under the plan are:

1. Become recognized by all engineering companies in the United States as their legislative advocate for the promotion and protection of their business interests.
2. Become recognized by all engineering companies in the United States as their primary resource on business practices.
3. Become recognized by all stakeholders in the built environment as the national voice of the engineering industry.
4. Grow ACEC/PAC to a \$1 million-per-year PAC by 2010, while “capturing” the influence of our most politically active individual members.
5. Grow the Minuteman Fund to respond to critical state issues and federal appellate cases while maintaining a “war chest” of \$1 million.
6. Grow the number of member firms by 2% each year, grow the number of member firm employees by 3% each year, and recruit 90% of the eligible *ENR* “Top 500 Design Firms” as ACEC members by 2010.

## **PURPOSE:**

The Committee ensures that ACEC conducts a high level Engineering Excellence Awards program; recognizes outstanding engineering achievements; and promotes the portrayal of these achievements to the public.

## **2006-2007 GOALS:**

1. Ensure a high level of excellence for the EEA competition.
2. Recommend ways to enhance the EEA competition as an image builder for the engineering industry.
3. Enhance the judging and entry process and recruit a diverse panel of judges with positions of national prominence.
4. Increase the number of entries in the competition.
5. Review whether and how the panels can be displayed during the year.
6. Give consideration to the idea of creating a tape or DVD on EEA within budget

## **PROGRESS REPORTS:**

The Committee shall make quarterly reports to the Chairman (copied to the President) on progress made in achieving Committee goals.

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