



2026 SENH EXCELLENCE IN STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING AWARDS CALL FOR ENTRIES

Structural Engineers of New Hampshire (SENH) announces the Call for Entries for the 2026 SENH Excellence in Structural Engineering Awards Program. The purpose of the program is to recognize creative achievement and innovation in structural engineering by SENH Members and local Engineering firms.

ELIGIBILITY

Entry must be submitted by a licensed Professional Engineer (PE) and Member of SENH whose practice or activity is primarily in the field of structural engineering. Projects must have a majority of the structural design performed by SENH Members (50%). The project must have been completed, constructed and achieved substantial completion between January 1, 2023 and March 1, 2026.

CATEGORIES OF AWARDS

Awards will be presented in four project categories:

- Buildings: Design of new commercial, industrial, institutional, public, or residential buildings.
- Building Renovations: Renovations of existing commercial, industrial, institutional, public, or residential buildings.
- Bridges and Transportation Structures: Vehicle or Railroad Bridges, Other transportation structures.
- Special Structures: Towers, dams, parking garages, pedestrian bridges, marine structures, signs, specialty structures, and unique structures.
- A Small firm Project Award may also be presented for an eligible project at the discretion of the Jury.

One entry in each category will be chosen to receive the SENH Excellence in Structural Engineering Award. An SENH Merit in Structural Engineering Award may also be awarded in each category. The "Merit Award" signifies recognition for achieving a good standard or performance level, while the "Excellence Award" indicates a significantly higher level of achievement, signifying outstanding performance that surpasses the typical "Merit" level. Non-Winning projects from last year's program (2025) may be re-submitted (one-time resubmittal only), if all eligibility requirements are met.

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES

Visit the SENH website (https://senh.org/Excellence_in_Structural_Engineering) for program information, entry form, entry requirements, project eligibility requirements and other criteria.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES

All entries must be either emailed (limit file size to 20 MB) or mailed to the SENH admin by 6:00 PM EST on Friday, February 27, 2026.

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

The awards winners will be announced and the awards will be presented at a ceremony during the SENH May 2026 meeting and be featured in the next issue (August 2026) of the SENH newsletter, posted on the SENH website, and published in a local media outlet (newspaper).