



NORMAN HOGUE 2020

ROUNDABOUT PROJECT OF THE YEAR

TexITE and the Roundabout Committee announces its call for project nominations for the Norman Hogue – Roundabout Project of the Year Award. This award is presented annually to a public agency whom sponsors the roundabout project nomination. This award is also presented in honor of Norman Hogue, who was an active TexITE member and co-founder of the TexITE Roundabout Committee.

The project nomination shall only:

- 1) be based on current roundabouts within Texas and in operation for at least one calendar year,
- 2) be submitted by a public agency within Texas, and
- 3) contain one roundabout location, or one corridor of up to three roundabouts (includes interchanges; maximum spacing of 1/2-mile between roundabouts)

Previously awarded roundabout projects will not be considered for future award nominations.

All documents need to be submitted in English.

The roundabout project nomination is generally evaluated using the modern roundabout guidelines listed in the National Cooperative Highway Research Proposal (NCHRP) Report No 672. The submittal is also reviewed by the Award Selection Subcommittee of the TexITE Roundabout Committee for the roundabout's drivability, any improvements in public safety, and effective use of landscaping or hardscaping elements.

CONTACT INFORMATION

AGENCY NAME: _____

CONTACT NAME: _____

E-MAIL: _____ PHONE NUMBER: _____

ROUNDABOUT LOCATION

CITY: _____

INTERSECTION: _____

(OR)

CORRIDOR: _____

INTERSECTION START: _____

INTERSECTION END: _____

SUBMITTAL PROCESS

The project submittal must include the cover page (with agency contact and roundabout location information), the Design Information Form, and the required appendix information. Project nominations must be submitted electronically to Kevin St. Jacques, Texas District Award Coordinator, at awards@texite.org by midnight (CDT) on May 15, 2020. The Award Selection Subcommittee will meet to select the outstanding roundabout project nomination. Questions regarding this call for project submittals will be directed to Kevin St. Jacques at 214-497-6465.

APPENDIX

The project appendix must include:

Design Consideration descriptions as follows (and can include two additional letter-size pages):

- 1) Overall project purpose
- 2) How and why the roundabout was selected
- 3) Special Considerations (ie: oversize/overweight vehicles, pedestrian and bicycle usage, gateway treatments, right-of-way restrictions)

Design Layouts with labels for:

- 1) All entry and exit radii for each roundabout leg
- 2) Crosswalk setback and distance from yield line
- 3) Daily and hourly traffic volumes on roundabout approaches
- 4) Fastest path layouts with entry, circulating, and exit speeds labeled (R1/V1, R2/V2, R5/V5)

The project appendix can include:

- 1) Photos of the existing roundabout or corridor, central island and each approach (with the related traffic signs)
- 2) Photos or layouts of the landscaping or hardscaping elements. Label these elements and describe the type and height measurements (in U.S. customary units)
- 3) Records of public and stakeholder involvement
- 4) Documentation of online project pages, drive-thru videos, and media involvement
- 5) Documentation showing a LOS or approach queuing analysis for the roundabout or corridor

The appendix shall not exceed twelve pages (including the Roundabout Design Information Form). The largest page size shall be ledger size (11 inch x 17 inch).

