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PUBLIC AGENCY MEMBERSHIP

Flexible Pavements of Ohio
An association for the development, improvement and advancement of quality asphalt pavement construction in Ohio
Today’s era of constrained funding has forced local governments to look for ways to adequately maintain their roadways and stretch their paving budgets. Now more than ever local governments need to ensure they are receiving the highest value and return on investment for their limited transportation funds.

Join Flexible Pavements of Ohio (FPO) and you will gain access to the technical and educational resources of an association dedicated to the advancement of quality asphalt construction.

ACCESS TO THE COLLECTIVE RESOURCES OF AN ENTIRE INDUSTRY

Maintaining a close working relationship with the construction industry helps you make better decisions. Membership in FPO will help you stay abreast of the issues, developments and technologies that affect the way you build roads in your community. Members receive educational mailings, discounts on training seminars and conferences - including the Ohio Asphalt Expo - and access to premier academic and research organizations throughout the state and nation.

Even the most seasoned county or municipal engineer can benefit from the collective resources of an entire industry. Public officials in municipalities without a city engineer will find that FPO to be an invaluable resource for advice and technical support. Just pick up the phone and FPO’s staff of veteran professional engineers will answer your question or help you access an experienced contractor member or affiliated industry organization.

Flexible Pavements has been providing leadership and support to Ohio’s asphalt industry since 1962.
FPO is an association that exclusively represents the interests of the asphalt paving industry in the state of Ohio to federal, state and local governments and other construction and business organizations. FPO supports an active education and outreach program designed to improve and advance quality asphalt construction. The association provides educational, technical and marketing support to its members; conducts industry training seminars; and serves as a technical resource for pavement owners and specifiers. The association, which counts more than 100 member companies and political subdivisions, was founded in 1962.

An industry advocate to all levels of government. We monitor legislation at the state and national level for provisions that affect our industry and private and public sector members. The association regularly visits with our congressional delegation in Washington, D.C. and routinely meets with the leadership of the Senate, House and executive branch of our state government to advocate for the interests of our industry and our membership.

An industry representative to Ohio’s regulatory agencies. FPO maintains a constructive working relationship with the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and other important regulatory agencies in the state. We review new and potential rules and regulations, inform the membership and provide technical information to promote compliance.

A national partnership with allied industry associations. FPO’s partnerships with the National Asphalt Pavement Association, the State Asphalt Pavement Associations, the Asphalt Pavement Alliance and the Asphalt Institute ensure the interests of Ohio’s asphalt industry are well represented in the national associations. Tap into these resources through FPO.

Asphalt pavement education and technical certifications. Flexible Pavements provides educational opportunities and technical presentations on the latest information on asphalt pavement design, construction and maintenance. These training seminars are provided by FPO throughout
the state of Ohio and include courses which meet the training requirements for various Ohio Department of Transportation technical asphalt pavement certifications. In addition, members qualify for special registration rates for all FPO sponsored training.

**Technical support from knowledgeable industry experts.** FPO members have access to the best technical support and consultation available, and can take advantage of FPO's industry experts when addressing construction, design and maintenance challenges.

**Access to special events and seminars.** FPO's Annual Meeting and Ohio Asphalt Expo provide a venue for trade show exhibitors, networking and educational opportunities.

**Industry leadership opportunities.** FPO is governed by a Board of Directors comprised of elected representatives from member companies. Members may also serve on several advisory committees charged with specific challenges like marketing, environment, education and more. In addition, FPO annually convenes a Public Agency Forum for asphalt industry and public sector members to conduct a roundtable discussion on asphalt technologies and paving practices.

This interactive forum provides a unique partnering opportunity for Ohio's asphalt industry and public agency customers. As a member you will be encouraged to actively participate in FPO committees and the Public Agency Forum.

**Access to a vast electronic reference library.** FPO's webpage, www.flexiblepavements.org, has been developed specifically to serve the needs of our members and customers. The webpage includes full access to FPO's extensive electronic library of training materials, technical bulletins, conference presentations and construction specifications.

**Partnership with Ohio's institutions of higher education.** FPO is the point organization for the asphalt industry to Ohio's university system. FPO routinely consults on industry related university research and provides guest lecturers for civil engineering courses. In addition, FPO works to ensure tomorrow's engineers know the performance advantages of asphalt through the administration of the Ohio Asphalt Scholarship Fund. Started in 1995, this program awarded 355 scholarships valued at more than $430,000 by 2012.

**Access to timely, in-depth industry information.** Members receive a subscription to FPO's quarterly publication, Ohio Asphalt, as well as industry e-mail alerts, mailings, and technical documents with the latest industry information that will impact your paving program.
Membership in Flexible Pavements of Ohio is an investment in the future of your paving program. As a member of Flexible Pavements of Ohio, you’ll get a return on the investment in your membership with unparalleled training opportunities and access to the many technical resources available to our members.

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