Women of Asphalt continues to build on our mission to empower women in the asphalt industry.

THIS YEAR, WE FOCUSED ON HIGHLIGHTING WOMEN WHO HAVE INSPIRED CHANGE.

We continued to expand the network for women nationwide, and focused on our goals to foster a sense of community and bring awareness to the opportunities the asphalt industry can provide to women. As our organization expands, we are seeing more examples of women making an impact in their companies and on the asphalt industry!





2023 **WAS A YEAR OF SIGNIFICANT GROWTH AND EXPANSION** FOR THE **ORGANIZATION.**

DIAMOND PARTNERS (\$25,000)

- Caterpillar
- CRH
- Pave America

PLATINUM PARTNERS (\$10,000)

- Ajax Paving Company
- Asphalt Pro Magazine
- Astec Industries, Inc.
- Ergon Asphalt & Emulsions, Inc.
- Granite Construction
- Heritage Construction & Materials
- Russell Standard Corporation
- Polyco
- Wiregrass Construction Company, Inc.

GOLD PARTNERS (\$7,500)

- Cargill
- Cenovus Energy & Asphalt
- Colas
- Gallagher Asphalt Corporation
- Ingevity Corporation
- NAPA
- Surface Tech

SILVER PARTNERS (\$5,000)

- Command Alkon Incorporated
- Delaware Valley Paving
- Haulhub Technologies
- Herman Grant Company
- Pacific Geosource
- Peckham Industries
- Phillips 66 Company
- Rabine Paving
- Silver Star Construction Company

BRONZE PARTNERS (\$2,500)

- Flint Hills Resources
- Lakeside Industries
- Missouri Petroleum Products Co

COPPER PARTNERS (\$500+)

- Asphalt Pavement Association of Indiana
- Connecticut Asphalt & Aggregate Producers Association
- Illinois Asphalt Pavement Association
- Texas Asphalt Pavement Association

We increased participation in our mentorship program by 33% over 2022! The new relationships formed during this process support both the mentors and the mentees and inspire women to further their careers and support each other.

CONVERSATIONS TO LEAD AND INSPIRE
We conducted 4 webinars highlighting
exceptional women who have broken
barriers and achieved success in the asphalt
industry. Their stories provided valuable career
insights and inspiration to over 900 people
who either joined in person or listened to the
recordings later.

BRANCHES UPDATES
The 2023 new branches include West Virginia, Mississippi, South Carolina, Louisiana, Ohio, and Canada! There are now 24 branches covering 30 states along with Canada. The branches held events focused on education, networking, and giving back to their local communities and charities. We have received interest from additional states and are looking forward to more pink on our official map.

Women of Asphalt was present at the National Pavement Expo, ConExpo-Con/Agg, and Highways USA and partnered virtually with several other organizations. Volunteers from around the US participated by assisting with the trade show booths, presentations, and activities associated with the events. The annual Board retreat was hosted by Texas Materials, a CRH Company in Dallas, with the Board attending a Texas branch event!

"23 IN 2023" CAMPAIGN
We highlighted 23 outstanding women who have made extraordinary contributions in the industry. These inspirational stories have been viewed by more than twelve hundred people. They also remain on our website under the media tab.

MEMBERSHIP
Membership increased 35% over the prior year to a record number of more than 4,200 members!

NEWSLETTER
Our newly established quarterly
newsletter increased visibility of the
organization, included information on recent and
upcoming events, highlighted branch activities,
and promoted the work of the many volunteers
focused on both supporting women currently in
the industry and attracting more women to join.

The WofA job board continues to see significant activity. There were 99 postings with 83% new visitors accessing the job board. This is a free service to our members to that brings visibility to job openings with an eye on attracting women to apply.

OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL HAS GROWN

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LETTER FRUM WofA PRESIDENT

Hello WofA Members and Partners,

It has been an honor to serve as the President of Women of Asphalt this year. The Board works tirelessly with the mission of empowering women within the asphalt industry at the forefront of everything they do. Our efforts are organized through 4 pillars that are managed by members of the Board: Knowledge (education), Awareness (communication & partnerships), Community (mentoring and branches), and Governance (leadership and administration). Through the Board's work in these 4 areas, we grew our membership, increased our exposure at national events, shared inspiring stories of women, increased our participation in our mentorship program, and exposed more women to the opportunities available in the asphalt industry.

As we transition into 2024, the Board is focused on continuing to let our members and the amazing women in the industry share their stories. We have encouraged and experienced an increase in participation from our male allies and as a result, our theme for the coming year is "Stronger Together: Unite and Inspire". The theme will be a part of the first "Women of Asphalt Day" to be



held on March 27th in conjunction with The World of Asphalt. This event will include a great line-up of speakers and activities throughout the day and offers incredible networking opportunities along with access to The World of Asphalt trade show. Please visit www.WomenofAsphalt.org for more information.

The work we do would not be possible without our generous corporate partners. Membership and access to all our national programs are provided at no cost to our members allowing us to continue to increase our outreach and involvement with both women and the men who support them. To all our partners, we are incredibly grateful for both your continued financial contributions and for your encouragement.

Thank you again for your support and I'm hoping to see many of you in March!

Sheila Barkevich



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OHIO
SOUTH CAROLINA
TEXAS
UTAH
VIRGINIA
WEST VIRGINIA
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