



BEATING THE DRUM FOR ARPA AWARD 2025

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BRIAN CLARK, SOUTHWEST ASPHALT

The Beating the Drum Award recognizes individuals who have offered tremendous support to the association and served with distinction. Recipients of this award are individuals that have spent a significant amount of time on political issues, regulatory matters, community relations projects, or highly technical issues facing the industry. They are noted for their overall expertise and diplomacy in order to create positive change for our members.



This year's Beating the Drum for ARPA Award goes to Brian Clark with Southwest Asphalt. A proud veteran and quiet force within our industry, Brian Clark of Southwest Asphalt leads with humility, heart, and unwavering dedication. As a past chair of ARPA's Future Leaders Committee, Brian stepped up without hesitation and hasn't missed a charitable event since. From House of Refuge projects to blood drives and beyond, Brian is always there, sleeves rolled up, never seeking credit, just results. His quiet leadership speaks volumes, and ARPA is better because of it. Thank you, Brian, for your service to your country, your company, and this Association.