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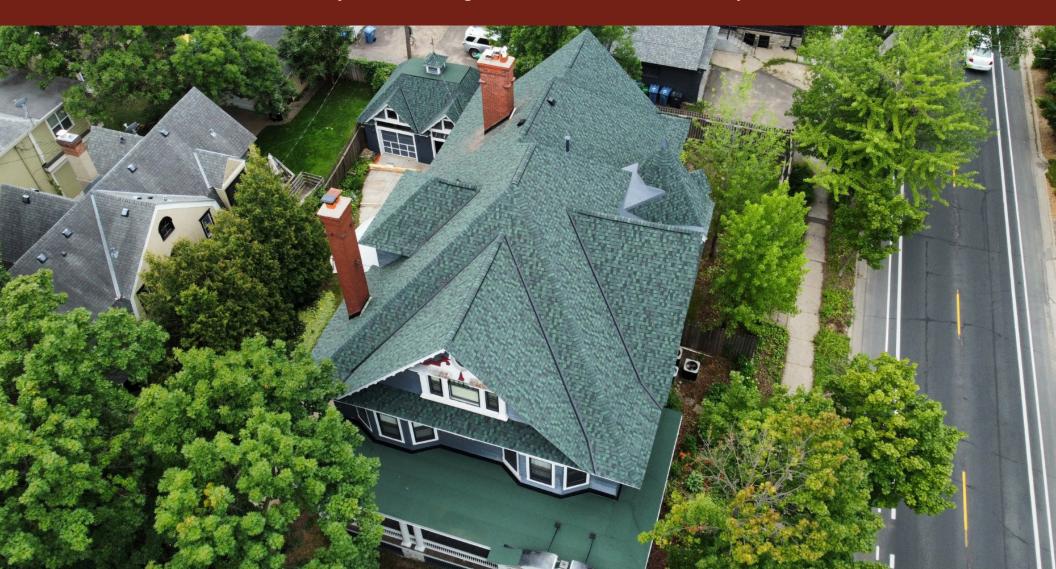
EXCELLENCE IN
ASPHALT ROOFING
AWARDS PROGRAM





#### 2024 Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Awards

The 2024 Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Awards Program recognizes the top low- and steepslope asphalt roofing projects across North America based on four categories: Why Asphalt, Project Challenges, Distinction, and Beauty.



# The Asphalt Roofing Manufacturers Association (ARMA) has celebrated excellence in the roofing industry for over a decade with its awards program. Each year, ARMA receives entries showcasing asphalt roofing as the ideal solution for residential and commercial projects. The program celebrates success stories, innovative solutions, and complex artistry while promoting the core benefits of asphalt roofing systems.

The judges evaluate the projects and award the highest-scoring ones with **Gold**, **Silver**, **or Bronze medals**, acknowledging outstanding performance and achievement. Winners receive national industry recognition and monetary prizes. Aside from the medal winners, the judges may propose specific projects for **Best-In-Class categories**.

The professionals featured in this brochure have impressive work that exemplifies the beauty, affordability, and reliability of asphalt roofing. Information about applying to the 2025 Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Awards Program will be available later this year. For more information, visit asphaltroofing.org.

#### About the Awards





#### Fleshman Creek

Livingston, Montana



ARMA Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Award

**Dennis General Contractor** received a **Gold Award** for their work on **Fleshman Creek**.

Dennis General Contractor replaced the entire roof of the Fleshman Creek project after discovering rotten sheathing throughout. The pitches varied from 3/12 to 10/12, requiring 53 custom-bent valley metal pieces. With 57 different facets on the roof, the team exhibited skillful craftsmanship by installing custom valley metal tailored to fit multiple pitches and framing in crickets to eliminate dead valleys. The project was completed in seven days, showcasing the team's precision and coordination.

Opting for asphalt shingles in Montana's demanding climate was a strategic decision. The selection provided enhanced protection against hail and wind and remained within the client's budget. Malarkey's Legacy® Shingles, chosen for its Class 4 impact rating, 130 mph wind warranty, and eco-friendly materials, provided optimal performance. The "Black Oak" color complemented the exterior and showcased the versatility of asphalt shingles in accommodating various facets and pitches. The project's success garnered praise from the homeowner, who was thoroughly impressed with the quality of Dennis General Contractor's work. Fleshman Creek, nestled in picturesque valleys, illustrates the team's expertise in preserving rustic charm while delivering a durable, eye-catching roof system.



## Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church

Sublette, Illinois



ARMA Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Award

Boss Roofing-Siding Experts received a Gold Award for their work on the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.

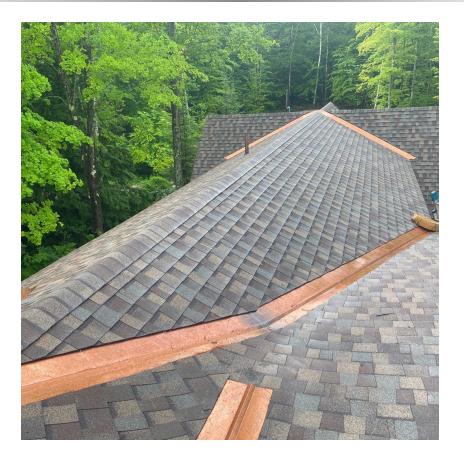
Boss Roofing-Siding Experts replaced the deteriorating roof and steeple of the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church with top-quality GAF® Timberline HDZ® Shingles in Pewter Gray. The original roof, plagued by multiple leaks, and the weather-beaten steeple necessitated restoration. The meticulous project unfolded in two phases. Phase one involved the removal of the old roof and installation of new shingles over two weeks, followed by a one-week focus on steeple restoration in the second.

The team employed essential resources such as asphalt shingles, underlayment, flashing, gutters, roofing tools, and safety equipment. Asphalt shingles emerged as the ideal choice for their affordability, durability, ease of installation, low maintenance, color variety, and versatility. Due to the historic significance of the church, the project required special considerations to preserve its architectural integrity as a listed historic landmark. Safety took precedence for the steeple, and the project adhered to a tight timeframe. The successful completion provided a resilient roof and steeple that earned gratitude from the church for Boss Roofing's exemplary handling of the endeavor.



## Asphalt and Copper on the Lake

New London, New Hampshire





**Conde Roofing** received the **Silver Award** for their work on **Asphalt and Copper on the Lake.** 

Conde Roofing excelled in the Asphalt and Copper on the Lake roofing project, navigating numerous challenges in this new construction building. Their meticulous attention to detail and innovative solutions set them apart in the industry. The choice of asphalt as the primary roofing material proved ideal for New Hampshire's varied climate, offering weather resistance, durability, customization options, aesthetic versatility, slope compatibility, cost-effectiveness, and ease of installation. The integration of copper for elements like valleys, chimney flashings, and the arched entryway added a unique touch, showcasing asphalt's adaptability.

The project emphasizes the importance of coordinated installation efforts and is a testament to the reliability and durability of a properly installed asphalt roofing system. Beyond technical complexity, the project's aesthetic appeal is remarkable. The arched copper entryway, copper valleys, CertainTeed Landmark® Pro Max Def Weathered Wood Shingles, and cedar shake siding contribute to a visually stunning and harmonious design. When paired with its natural lakeside setting, the project achieves a level of beauty and sophistication, offering the homeowners protection and peace of mind.



#### Historical Beauty

Minneapolis, Minnesota



True North Roofing, LLC received the Bronze Award for their work on Historical Beauty.

Tasked with restoring a 120-year-old historic home, True **North Roofing, LLC** tackled challenges such as steep pitches and intricate roof details. The majority of the roof had a 12/12 pitch, while the turret tower boasted a 20/12 pitch. The 18-member crew showcased expertise, overcoming a sudden downpour during the second day of installation.

The unique character of the **Historical Beauty** roofing project extended beyond its architectural complexities. Situated in a bustling urban setting with an active bus stop nearby, True North Roofing navigated the obstacles of working on a protected job site amidst the demands of city rules and regulations. Three ground crew members maintained a clean and safe workspace, aligning with the surroundings.



The homeowner aimed for a roof blending historical authenticity with modern durability, choosing the Class Four **CertainTeed Northgate® ClimateFlex® Shingles** for economic value, warranty, and long-term success. The resulting roof, featuring dramatic peaks, sweeping valleys, and vibrant green shingles, stands as a majestic testament to craftsmanship, historical reverence, and contemporary energy in the Uptown area of Minneapolis.



#### 300 M Street

Washington, D.C.



ARMA Excellence in Asphalt Roofing Award Prospect Waterproofing Company received the Commercial/Mixed Use Award for their work on 300 M Street.

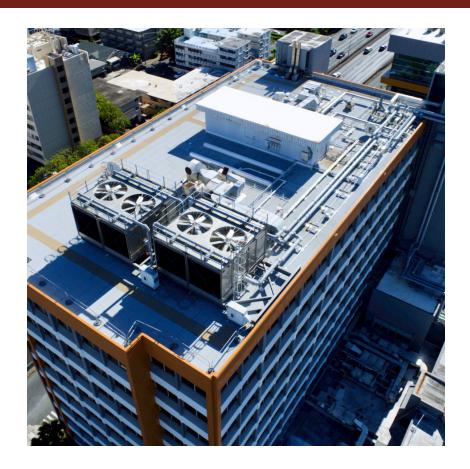
In the heart of Washington, D.C., the Cielo at **300 M Street** is a lavish 427-unit apartment building that spans a city block. The scope of **Prospect Waterproofing Company's** work on this new construction project was extensive, involving 58,000 square feet of hot rubberized asphalt IRMA roofing **(American Hydrotech, Inc.)**, 17,000 square feet of green roofing, 22,000 square feet of architectural pavers on pedestals, and 12,000 square feet of hot rubberized asphalt waterproofing across multiple building elevations. The project, spanning two years, successfully achieved LEED Gold certification by incorporating sustainable elements such as green terraces and roofs, contributing to stormwater management and reducing the impact on the city's infrastructure.

Monolithic Membrane 6125® (MM6125), the original hot fluid-applied rubberized asphalt membrane with over 60 years of proven performance in waterproofing and roofing applications, played a crucial role. MM6125's single-component composition, seamless application, and 40% post-consumer recycled content aligned seamlessly with sustainability goals. The completed project is a testament to excellence, offering residents a distinctive and sustainable living experience.



#### Kapi'olani Medical Center

Honolulu, Hawaii

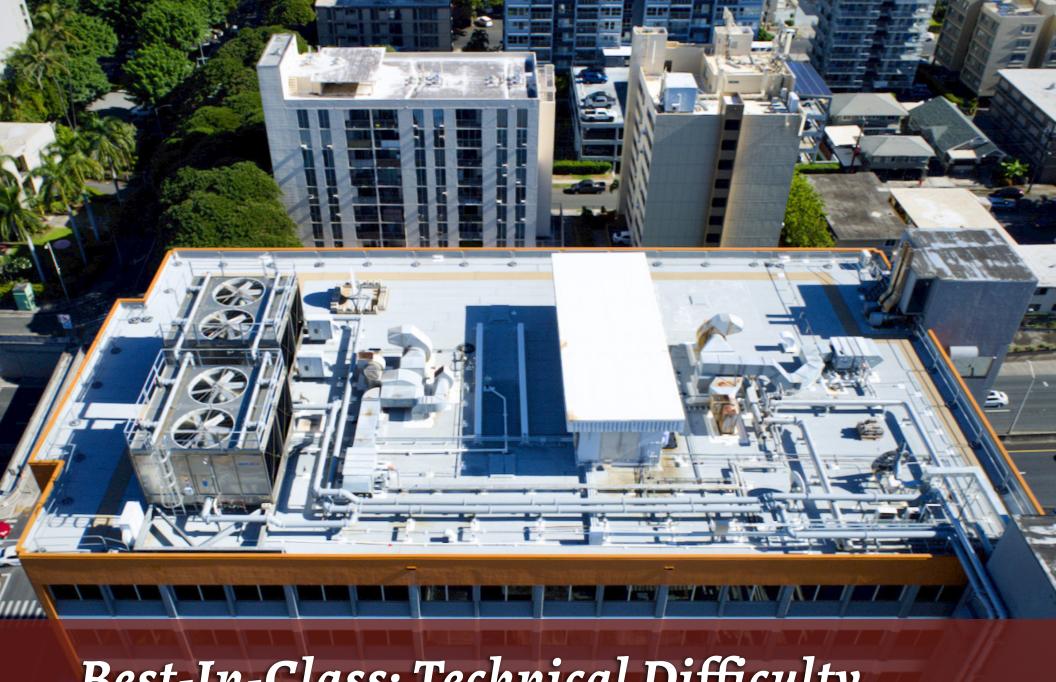




Commercial Roofing & Waterproofing Hawaii, Inc. received the Technical Difficulty Award for their work on the Kapi'olani Medical Center for Women & Children.

The **Kapi'olani Medical Center**, a healthcare symbol in Hawaii for a century, faced critical roof leaks, necessitating a meticulous re-roofing effort. With over 70% of the roof occupied by vital mechanical equipment, including cooling towers, planning and execution were challenging. The project entailed removing and replacing the compromised Physician's Office Building roofing system, requiring precision due to the medical facility's nature. Working around existing equipment and penetrations, **Commercial Roofing & Waterproofing Hawaii, Inc.** stripped the roof down to the deck, installing a new **Polyglass modified bitumen system** with proper flashings.

The unique staging setup demonstrated adaptability, minimizing disruptions for adjacent buildings housing newborns and children. The asphalt roofing system eased concerns about strong odors in a medical setting. The **SBS Polyglass system's** use of smaller tools facilitated work in tight spaces, ensuring watertight details. Hawaii's diverse climate challenges were met with the SBS-modified self-adhered membrane's quick waterproofing capability. The project exemplified building a durable, long-lasting roof capable of withstanding the projected utility and constant access.



# Best-In-Class: Technical Difficulty

Commercial Roofing & Waterproofing Hawaii, Inc.



#### **About ARMA**

The Asphalt Roofing Manufacturers Association (ARMA) is a trade association representing North America's asphalt roofing manufacturing companies and their raw material suppliers. The association includes the majority of North American manufacturers of asphalt shingles and asphalt low slope roof membrane systems. Committed to advances in the asphalt roofing industry, ARMA is proud of the role it plays in promoting asphalt roofing to those in the building industry and the public.

For more information, visit <u>asphaltroofing.org</u>.