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Rick Engineering Company's Dawn Fortuna, AICP, Receives National Recognition

Phoenix, AZ – <u>Rick Engineering Company</u> (RICK) is pleased to announce that, Dawn Fortuna AICP, was recognized at this year's American Society of Highway Engineers (ASHE) National Conference as the 2017 ASHE Member of the Year.

After Dawn was recognized locally as the 2017 ASHE Phoenix Sonoran Section Member of the Year, she was nationally nominated for her outstanding contributions as a member and Past President of the Phoenix Sonoran Section. Since joining the Phoenix Sonoran Section shortly after its inception, Dawn has served on the local board for seven years and is the current Chair of the National Partnerships Committee.

"It's an honor to be recognized on a national level by the ASHE," said Fortuna. "I'm lucky to love what I do for a living and I look forward to continuing my work in Arizona."

With an illustrious career spanning more than 30 years, Dawn has worked on a number of high-profile and award-winning projects including her role as Project Manager for the MCDOT Low Volume Roads Program. Her contributions to the industry are immense with involvement in the community, professional associations and at RICK. She previously has been recognized as WTS (Women's Transportation Seminar) Member of the Year.

Dawn was invited by ASHE National to receive the 2017 Member of the Year Award during a banquet dinner held last Saturday, June 17, at the Sheraton New York Times Square Hotel in New York, NY.

About Rick Engineering Company

Rick Engineering Company is a multi-disciplined planning, design, and engineering corporation. For six decades, RICK has planned, designed, and engineered hundreds of commercial, recreational, and residential communities across the Western U.S. As communities have increased in density, the company has developed experience in all types of urban developments such as mixed-use and urban infill settings. The company provides civil engineering, community planning, landscape architecture, urban design, environmental studies, transportation/traffic planning and engineering, redevelopment and urban revitalization, water resources/storm water engineering, construction management, surveying, mapping, photogrammetry, 3D laser scanning, and geographic information systems (GIS).