



NATIONAL STONE, SAND
& GRAVEL ASSOCIATION

National Stone, Sand & Gravel Association 2022 Photo Contest

Submit your Best Aggregate Industry Photo! Show us what is happening in your facilities with a photo that answers this prompt: *“Our Aggregates and Industrial Sand Products Used in the Community.”*

This photo could show the modernized infrastructure that is created such as, our roads, bridges and waterways or show us donated product that is used at a ballfield, school or park. During this ROCKtober send NSSGA your best end product photo being used in the community and enter to win the title of “ROCKtober 2022 Aggregates Industry Photo of the Year” and be highlighted at the NSSGA Annual Convention.

How To Enter:

- Email photo as an attachment to klynch@nssga.org
- The body of the email must include the photographer’s name and contact information.

Contest Rules:

- Your company must be a current member of NSSGA to enter.
- Deadline for entries is Oct. 31, 2022.
- Each participant may submit one photo relevant to this year’s theme.
- Photos are accepted in the following digital format: JPG files with at least 300 dpi. Only high-quality digital images are eligible for entry.
- The submitted photos must be the photographer’s original work.
- Photos do not need to be taken within the contest timeframe to be eligible to win.
- Photos with date stamps or photographer’s name on the photo will be disqualified.
- Photos that have been digitally altered beyond standard optimization (cropping, reasonable adjustments to exposure, color, and contrast, etc.) will not be chosen. Any images not meeting these specifications will be disqualified.
- NSSGA will at its sole discretion determine eligibility. NSSGA reserves the right to reject and disqualify any images that are considered inappropriate. By entering this contest, you represent that you have all rights to grant, and do hereby grant NSSGA a royalty-free, worldwide, perpetual, non-exclusive license to use, publish, display, distribute, reproduce, edit, adapt and create derivative works of the submitted photograph, in whole or in part, in any media now known or hereafter discovered,



including in use on websites, in publications and for promotional purposes, without compensation or prior notice to the participant, his or her successors or assigns, or any other entity.

ENTERING A SUBMISSION IN THIS CONTEST CONSTITUTES PARTICIPANT'S IRREVOCABLE ASSIGNMENT, CONVEYANCE, AND TRANSFERENCE TO SPONSOR OF THE FOREGOING RIGHTS.

Judging:

- A selection of 5 NSSGA Staff will select the winners.
- Judging will be based on: composition and arrangement, interest, prominence of the aggregates industry and image quality.
- Contestants agree that the sole and final judgment as to all matters concerning the contest and interpretation of contest rules are at the sole discretion of the NSSGA and their officers and staff.

Prizes:

- Each participant may submit one photo. Judges will select the first, second and third prize winners. Prizes which will be awarded in the following amounts:
 - First: \$500
 - Second: \$300
 - Third: \$200
- All winning photos will be featured in the NSSGA magazine, social media, and future communications materials.

Contact Kerry Lynch, klynch@nssga.org, with any questions.

