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ST. LOUIS, MO September 24 -- The **Decorative Concrete Council (DCC)**, a specialty council of the **American Society of Concrete Contractors (ASCC)**, St. Louis, Mo., has announced the winners of its 13th annual **Decorative Concrete Awards** competition. The winners were recognized at ASCC's Annual Conference, September 23, 2021.

Ruttura & Sons Const. Co., Inc., West Babylon, NY won the **WOW! Award,** best overall project, for **Little Island** @ Pier 55, Manhattan, NY. Little Island is a \$250 million Hudson River Park Trust project which takes the idea of piers and parks to a new level. The most visible portion is the pots, fabricated giant cups put together with pieces called petals. 39 sets of formwork were made after extensive 3D computer modeling to create the 132 pots.

While the pots were modeled, cast, and assembled, marine contractors drove the pilings in stages, up to 200 ft. below the river. The project includes a total of 267-cylinder piles, each supporting approximately 250 to 350 tons.

The "jewel" of the project, according to Kevin Zimont, a project executive with construction management firm Hunter Roberts Construction Group, is the 700-seat amphitheater. "Architectural concrete designed for a 100-year life cycle made it difficult to satisfy the architect's wishes," says D. Thomas Ruttura, Ruttura & Sons Const. Co.

Other winners are:

Cast-In-Place Stamped, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Bomanite Artistic Concrete**, El Paso, TX, for *El Paso Zoo Chihuahua Desert Exhibit*.

Cast-In-Place Stamped, Over 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, Alchemy Concrete, Inc., Amherst Junction, WI, for *Nelson: Witenblauw*.

- Cast-In-Place Stamped, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Salzano Custom Concrete**, Aldie, VA, for *National Harbor Showcase Intersection*.
- Cast-In-Place Stamped, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Kaufman Construction, Inc.**, Casselton, ND, for the *Voss Residence*.
- Polished Concrete & Overlays, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Floor Seal Technology**, Milpitas, CA, for *Skyline Community College*.
- Polished Concrete & Overlays, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Hyde Concrete**, Pasadena, MD, for *6721 Columbia Gateway*.
- Polished Concrete & Overlays, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Surfacing Solutions, Inc.** Temecula, CA, for *Alila Marea*.
- Cast-in-Place Special Finishes, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **T.B. Penick & Sons, Inc.**, San Diego, CA, for *UC San Diego Mesa Housing Pedestrian & Bicycle Bridge*.
- Cast-in-Place Special Finishes, Over 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Bomanite International Ltd.**, Bury, United Kingdom, for *OCT Harbour Plus Rose Square*.
- Cast-in-Place Special Finishes, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Musselman & Hall Contractors,** Kansas City, MO, for *St. Louis Aquarium at Union Station*.
- Cast-in-Place Special Finishes, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Bomanite of Tulsa**, Tulsa, OK, for *Choctaw Cultural Center*.
- Vertical/Facades, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Coloscapes Concrete**, Loveland, CO, for *Confluence*.
- Concrete Artistry, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **T.B. Penick & Sons**, San Diego, CA, for *3rd Street Improvements, Phase 2*.
- Concrete Artistry, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Fisher Companies**, Midland, MI, for *Kalkaska Trout Inlay*.
- Concrete Artistry, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Scott L. Aker, Architect, LLC**, Philadelphia, PA, for *June 5 Memorial Park*.
- Multiple Applications, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Trademark Concrete Systems**, Camarillo, CA, for *SoFi Stadium*.
- Multiple Applications, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Colorado Hardscapes**, Greenwood Village, CO, for *Red-Tailed Hawk Inclusive Playground*.

- Multiple Applications, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Tom Ralston Concrete**, Santa Cruz, CA, for *Santa Cruz Chinatown Monument*.
- Stained, & Dyes Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, Bob Harris, SSI, Waxahachie, TX, and Lee Ann Harris, Decorative Concrete Institute, Temple, GA, for Harris Re-creation of the Church of San Salvador.
- Architectural Cast-in-Place Concrete Structures Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, Ruttura & Sons Const. Co., West Babylon, NY; Long Island Concrete, Queens, NY; and Fort Miller Co., Inc., Greenwich, NY for Little Island @ Pier 55.
- Architectural Cast-in-Place Concrete Structures Over 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Ruttura & Sons Const. Co.,** West Babylon, NY, for *Brooklyn Navy Yard*.
- Cementitious Overlays, Over 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Beijing Orangestone Hardscape Co.** Ltd., Beijing, Beijing China, for *Zhuhai Chime-Long Hengqin Island Theatre*.
- Cementitious Overlays, Over 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Concrete Coatings**, Grand Prairie, TX, for *Lakeshore Amenity Center*.
- Cementitious Overlays, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Captivating Concrete**, Prescott, MI, for *Self's Reclaimed Basement*.
- Countertops/Furniture/Firepits, 1st Place, Lamberson Construction Concrete by Design, Horton, KS, for *Happy Bassett Barrel House*.
- Countertops/Furniture/Firepits, 2nd Place, **Hyde Concrete**, Pasadena, MD, for *Mason & Rook Mobile Bar*.
- Decorative Resinous Coatings, Under 5,000 SF, 1st Place, **Knox Concrete LLC**, Lewiston, ID, for *Brandon Beier*.
- Decorative Resinous Coatings, Under 5,000 SF, 2nd Place, **Birmingham Decorative Concrete**, Leeds, AL, for *P&M Mechanical*.

The **DCC** is composed of contractors, manufacturers, and suppliers of decorative concrete products. The Council is dedicated to improving the technical and business expertise of the contractors that pursue this specialty market. For more information go to http://www.ascconline.org or call (866) 788-2722.