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Association of Asphalt Paving Technologists

STUDENT CHAPTER AT AUBURN UNIVERSITY

## Student Innovative Asphalt Competition – Judging Sheet

Judge Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Innovator: \_\_\_\_\_

Innovation Title/Description: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***Innovation & Creativity (30 points)***

- Originality/Uniqueness of the idea
- Creative approach to asphalt materials, construction, or other challenges
- Imaginative or bold concepts

Score: \_\_\_\_ / 30

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***2. Critical Thinking & Problem Solving (25 points)***

- Thoughtfulness in identifying a problem or challenge for the industry/research
- Logical reasoning behind the idea
- How well the innovator justifies why it could work (even if currently impossible)

Score: \_\_\_\_ / 25

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***3. Charisma & Presentation (25 points)***

- Enthusiasm, engagement, and confidence
- Ability to communicate the idea clearly
- Visuals or descriptive explanations to enhance understanding

Score: \_\_\_\_ / 25

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***4. Overall Innovative Impact (20 points)***

- Potential to inspire new ideas or approaches
- “Wow factor” / memorability
- Forward-thinking perspective

Score: \_\_\_\_ / 20

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Score:** \_\_\_\_ / 100

**Overall Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

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