



Innovators in Motion

Since 1999, **Innovators in Motion**—formerly *Character Under Construction* and *People Who Move America Good Scout Awards*—has honored exceptional leaders across the construction and transportation sectors. These industries are defined by building, progress, and impact, and this event recognizes professionals who exemplify leadership, innovation, and service while investing in the future workforce through Scouting.

Innovators in Motion highlights the vital connection between industry leadership and youth development. Scouting introduces young people to hands-on careers, with Eagle Scouts frequently excelling in skilled trades and technical professions. Merit badges in **Architecture, Engineering, and Traffic Safety** equip Scouts with foundational skills directly aligned with construction, transportation, and infrastructure careers.

Supporting Innovators in Motion is an investment in the region's leading youth development mission—empowering the next generation of builders, engineers, and innovators. Since 2020, the event has raised **more than \$350,000**, funding programs that cultivate leadership, technical skills, and character in tomorrow's workforce.

2026 Program Highlights

- **Keynote Speaker:** *Maryland Transportation Secretary Kate Thomson*
- **2026 Awards Presented:**
 - Leadership in Infrastructure Award
 - Best Project Excellence Award
 - Industry Volunteer of the Year
 - Construction Excellence Award
 - Sustainable Infrastructure Award

Past Notable Honorees

Cathy McMorris Rodgers, Eastern Washington's Chief Advocate in Congress; Mike Buch, Buch Construction; Amer Hammour, Executive Chairman, Madison Marquette; Stuart Levin, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company; Bob Fox, Founder, FOX Architects; and many other distinguished industry leaders.


Why Participate

- **Network with Industry Leaders:** Engage with senior executives and decision-makers in construction, transportation, and infrastructure.
- **Celebrate Excellence:** Honor individuals and organizations advancing these essential industries.
- **Support a Proven Cause:** Your participation directly funds leadership and workforce development initiatives that equip Scouts for successful careers in the trades, engineering, and transportation.

Event Details

 **June 11, 2026**

 **6:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

 **Northwest Stadium** | 1600 Ring Rd., Landover, MD



- Reception in the exclusive **Audi Tunnel Club**
- Awards program and seated dinner in the **Commanders Home Locker Room**
- **Visionary Foreman sponsors (\$15,000+)** invited onto the field for a commemorative photo.

Join us for **Innovators in Motion** as we celebrate industry pioneers, inspire the next generation, and strengthen the foundation of leadership in construction and transportation.



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