NEx announcement for 2024 Project Ideas Call





This announcement is to kindly invite you to submit your ideas pertaining support and development of nonmetallic materials in building and construction sector. NEx aims to support and fund ideas/projects with positive impact on sustainability, durability and innovation. NEx has successfully been able to source and fund thirty-two (32) new projects valued more than \$1.3 Million in 2022 and 2023 under NEx's core functions:

NEx supports the development and adoption of design and construction codes and specifications for nonmetallic building materials.

NEx aids and facilitates the research needed for the effective and efficient depl efficient deployment nonmetallics.

Within Advocacy and Awareness, NEx is actively engaged in advocating local and international markets on the use of of nonmetallics in the building and construction sector.

NEx supports technology transfer by developing and Edelivering educational programs and certification courses for the engineers, contractors, and construction workforce.

Polymer concrete

Construction chemicals

Building components & systems













FRP Reinforcement

FRP Structural members

Soil & foundation materials

Additive manufacturing

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Once again NEx opens the opportunity to submit project ideas/ problem statements (technology and research needs) for funding in 2024. The ideas/research needs/problem statements should align with at least one of the NEx core functions and scope. Please note that NEx expects you to submit only the ideas/research needs and problem statement, and not the solution or any IP ideas. If these ideas are selected, they will be open for all participants to submit their proposals. Your suggestions will be forwarded to the NEx Steering Committee and Board of Directors for 2024 business plan considerations. It is anticipated that Requests for Proposals (RFPs) will be issued for selected project ideas for all participants by mid-July 2023. Click to download and complete the fillable submission form. Please send the form with your submission to info@nonmetallic.org. Idea submissions will be accepted until May 15, 2023



2023

Evaluation Period (Ideas will be shortlisted)

May 15-July 1,

2023

Request for Proposals (RFPs) for shortlisted ideas open to all applicants

Mid-July - Mid-Sept

www.nonmetallic.org

Evaluation of Proposals Mid-Sept - Mid-Nov

2023

Decision to applicants December

2023

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