

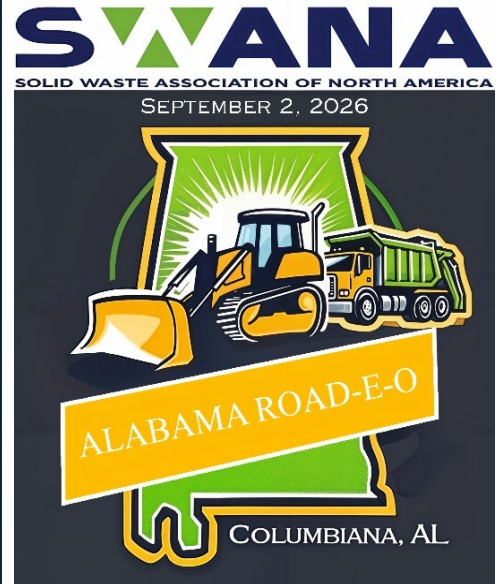
2026 ALABAMA ROAD-E-O

All Activities at Shelby County Landfill
4154 AL-70, Columbiana, AL

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 1st

SWANA's ROAD-E-O Was Established:

- To promote professionalism on the part of drivers, mechanics, and equipment operators in the field of solid waste management.
- To create a spirit of competition and goodwill throughout the participating organizations.
- To provide additional services by the Chapter to a segment of the solid waste professionals who seldom have the opportunity to show off their skills.



Event Schedule

September 1st, 2026

2:00 PM – 4:30 PM Volunteer Check In & Course Setup
6:00 PM Welcome Event & Reception

September 2nd, 2026

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM Contestant Check In
8:00 AM – 8:30 AM Written Test
8:30 AM – 12:00 AM Equipment & Truck Competition
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Lunch Provided (*Sponsored by Thompson CAT*) and Safety Training
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Finish Competition (*If Necessary*), Award Ceremony to Follow

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Equipment Category Events

Dozer, Rubber Tire Loader, Excavator, ADT

Collection Truck Category Events

Automated Side Loader, Front End Loader, Roll-Off

Prize Money Each Event

1st Place \$200

2nd Place \$150

3rd Place \$100

Top Gun's

Top Gun competitors who qualify for the SWANA International ROAD-E-O will be sent to the international ROAD-E-O by the Alabama SWANA chapter, but SWANA retains the right to set a limit on covered expenses. (One per each category)

Hotel Reservation

Contact the property and request the room block [SWANA-Alabama ROAD-E-O].

Block dates: September 1-3, 2026

Rooms will be reserved first-come, first-served basis.
Once blocks are full or released, there are no guarantees for availability or discounted rates.

Hampton Inn Calera

93 Metro Drive, Calera, AL 35040
205-668-6565

\$129 + Tax (King or Double)

Home2 Suites Calera

109 Metro Drive, Calera, AL 35040
205-578-6850

\$149 + Tax (King or Double)

Exhibit Floor

During the event if you have already competed in the competition, you can head over to the Exhibit Floor where vendors will be present to showcase their new latest and greatest equipment lineups. There will also be a section set aside for a cornhole tournament and Mini-X competition.

Sponsorship Opportunities

EQUIPMENT DONORS

- Name will be printed on the back of the ROAD-E-O T-Shirt.
- Equipment Sponsors will get recognition at the Fall 2026 forum.
- Equipment Sponsors will get (2) email blasts prior to the ROAD-E-O.

GOLD SPONSOR (\$800)

- Name will be printed on the back of the ROAD-E-O T-Shirt.
- Gold Sponsors will get recognition at the Fall 2026 forum.
- Gold Sponsors will get (2) email blasts prior to the ROAD-E-O.
- Gold Sponsors will have an area to set up a booth or bring equipment on the Exhibit Floor.

SILVER SPONSOR (\$400)

- Name will be printed on the back of the ROAD-E-O T-Shirt.
- Silver Sponsors will get recognition at the Fall 2026 forum.

**All sponsorship levels will receive two (2) T-shirts.*

**SPONSORS MUST COMMIT BY
AUGUST 1st**

To Ensure Recognition as Listed Send
Logos if applicable, to
gabby.sanders@coffeecounty.us

Volunteer Opportunities

The ROAD-E-O relies on volunteers to make the event happen. This event is for frontline individuals (drivers and heavy equipment operators) to demonstrate their operating skills. We need volunteers to make those individuals feel respected and appreciated. We are looking for volunteers that can assist on September 1st with course construction. On September 2nd, we will also need volunteers for judging, registration, food organization, clean-up and other general activities. Volunteers receive a t-shirt and lunch. There is no cost for volunteers. To register, please visit our website at <https://www.alswana.org/events>.

Registration Information

Competitor Registration Fee for ONE (1) Event	\$100
Competitor Registration Fee for TWO (2) Events	\$150
Non SWANA Member (Additional Fee)	\$25

Limit Two events per competitor.

Volunteer Registration Fee	No Cost
Sponsor Registration Fee	No Cost

To register please visit our website at <https://www.alswana.org/events>. In the event a registered competitor needs to cancel, they should notify SWANA-Alabama Chapter by August 15th for a refund. Refunds are not offered after August 15th.

Please Contact gabby.sanders@coffeecounty.us with questions.