Nixon-Egli Equipment Co., LeeBoy & Perez Asphalt Construction Ltd.





Above: Perez Asphalt Construction's new LeeBoy 8515C.

Left: Roy Perez (left), Herminio Mendoza, Juan Chavez, in the paver Tom Edwards (left), Frank Perez, standing on the right; Kelly Edwards Josh Edwards and Juan Lopez.

Perez Asphalt Construction Ltd. has been paving driveways to highways in the central valley since 1982. Frank Perez started Perez Asphalt Construction Ltd., and it is still family owned and operated today. Frank's daughter Kelly Edwards is the vice president and her son Josh Edwards is the third generation to work at the company. They are located in Bakersfield and the scope of their work covers private, commercial and public works projects. They own three paving machines and their most recent purchase was a LeeBoy 8515C from Nixon-Egli Equipment Co.

"We were in the market for a mid-size paver to better meet the requirements of some of our projects with limited access and tight quarters," said Kelly Edwards, Vice President, Perez Asphalt Construction, Ltd. "The first and only brand we looked at was the LeeBoy. My operators, who have had experience on the LeeBoy machines, steered the decision in that direction. They are the ones who use it daily and I value their opinion."

"The ease of operation and machine maintenance of the LeeBoy 8515C were equally important factors that supported the purchase," continued Kelly. "This machine has also increased our productivity and enabled us to cut down on our hand-work, which has saved us in labor costs."

"The team at Nixon-Egli Equipment was great to work with. The whole process from start to finish was handled smoothly, added Kelly. Their representative Chris Doring was very attentive and has continued to follow-up with us. We haven't had to use any parts or service on the new machine yet, but we know Nixon-Egli Equipment will be there for us now and in the future.

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