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4th Annual I&S (Industry & Service) Awards Dinner

Tuesday, April 24, 2007, 5:30 - 9:00 PM
Aqua Turf Country Club, Southington, CT

Join your colleagues and friends to commemorate our successes and challenges representing the home building, remodeling and land development industry, and to Congratulate the following individuals:

***Charles J. LoDolce Award:* Robert G. Wiedenmann, Jr.**

This award, named after the HBA of CT's founder and 1st President, granted only six times in our association's history, is the very top award provided by the HBA of CT.

***CT Dream Award:* State Representative Mary Fritz**

This award, to honor the American Dream of home ownership in CT, is granted to a public official who has demonstrated consistent support for the programs, policies or positions of the HBA of CT

***CT Housing Hall of Fame Inductee:* Frank Ferrero**

HBA of CT Housing Hall of Fame Inductees are long-time members chosen for their lifetime of commitment to the residential construction industry and the HBA of CT.

Distinguished Service Awards:

☆ **Tim Hollister, Partner, Shipman & Goodwin**

☆ **Partnership for Strong Communities**

☆ **Renee Main, BAEC and Director of Workforce Development, HBACT**

Distinguished Service Awards are granted to individuals or organizations who have gone above and beyond the call of duty to support housing and the programs and policies of the HBA of CT

We are also pleased to recognize at this statewide event the following local association award winners (*see reverse*):

**Local Association Award Winners
to be Recognized at the 2007 HBA of CT I&S Awards:**

Builders of the Year:

- ☆ Anthony, Silvestri, Silvestri Development Group (BA Eastern CT)
- ☆ Richard Rosano, R R Builders, LLC (HB&RA Fairfield County)
- ☆ Mark Lovley, Lovley Development, Inc. (HBA Hartford County)
- ☆ Liz Verna, Verna Properties (HBA New Haven County)
- ☆ Dan Storrs, Phoenix Home Builders (HBA Northwest CT)

Remodelers of the Year:

- ☆ John DeCiantis, DeCiantis Construction (BA Eastern CT)
- ☆ Kent Eppley & Michael Palumbo, ERI Building & Design (HB&RA Fairfield County)
- ☆ Ed Draghi, Ed Draghi Construction, LLC (HBA Hartford County)

Associates of the Year:

- ☆ Chip Poehnert, First Horizon Home Loans (BA Eastern CT)
- ☆ Maureen Hanley-Bellitto, Commerce Bank (HB&RA Fairfield County)
- ☆ Linda Cote, Webster Bank (HBA Hartford County)
- ☆ Ruth Ratner, Keller Williams Realty (HBA New Haven County)
- ☆ Mario Giguere, Truss Manufacturing (HBA Northwest CT)

Thanks to the generous sponsorship of Bank of America, the evening will also feature a

Keynote Address by:

**Alison Lynn Reaser, Ph.D., Chief Economist, Investment
Strategies Group, Bank of America**

Plan on attending the 2007 I&S Awards on April 24!

See Registration and Sponsorship Flyers enclosed or on our web site at

www.hbact.org (under the Events, Awards & Councils menu, click on I&S Awards)

Tables of ten or twelve for dinner are on the basis of availability.

EARLY registration is strongly encouraged.