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GOLD-WINNING PROJECTS SHOWCASED AT 2022 CARE AWARDS

VICTORIA – The Victoria Residential Builders Association announced the Gold winners at the 2022 Construction Achievements and Renovations of Excellence (CARE) Awards of Vancouver Island held Friday, September 23rd at the Fairmont Empress Hotel.

More than 40 awards were presented at the 31st annual event attended by 200 builders, designers, trades and suppliers - Canada's leaders in west coast, home design and construction.

“Congratulations to all of the Gold CARE Award winners and finalists for their outstanding projects,” says Norm Verbrugge, Chair of the 2022 CARE Awards. “A special thank-you to our sponsors, including AI Ferraby, CFX/CTV Vancouver Island for always making the CARE Awards a wonderful evening.”

Project of the Year – Single Family and the popular *People's Choice Award* went to Christopher Developments for Lands End Muse. *Project of the Year – Multi-Family* was awarded to Concert Properties for Capital Park Residences.

The *Lifetime Achievement Award* was presented to Andrew Tidman, Tidman Construction for professionalism and leadership in the home building industry. The *Building Better Futures Community Award* went to Habitat for Humanity - Victoria for their program of affordable home ownership for lower-income families. *Bill Wansbrough Memorial Awards* were presented to White Wolf Homes and to EnViroTec General Contracting Ltd for leadership in charitable giving.

BC Housing won awards *Environmental Achievement* and *Excellence in Creating Housing Affordability*. The Heritage Award for preserving architecture was presented to Zebra Group. Made to Last Custom Homes won *Green Builder of the Year – Small Volume* and *Green Builder of the Year – Large Volume* was won by Abstract Developments.

“The CARE Awards highlight Canada's finest West Coast homes, the skilled people behind them, and their contributions to the industry and our community,” says Casey Edge, Executive Director of the Victoria Residential Builders Association.

Photos of the winners and finalists will be posted at careawards.ca and a full-colour magazine distributed in the Times Colonist on Saturday, November 5th. VRBA appreciates the support and generosity of the 2022 CARE Awards sponsors:

Gold: BC Housing; BCCA Employee Benefit Trust; Built Green; FortisBC; Hourigan's Flooring; McLaren Properties Ltd; Slegg Building Materials; Travelers Insurance Company of Canada; Victoria Real Estate Board

Silver: Coast Capital Savings; Trail Appliances

Bronze: Mike Geric Construction; National Home Warranty

Media: CFAX/CTV; Times Colonist

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2022 CARE Awards Gold Winners

Best Entry Level Market Home

Patriot Homes – Forum

Best Single Family Detached Spec Home under 2,500 sq. ft.

Jesse Baidwan Developments – Fairfield Cottage

Best Single Family Detached Spec Home over 2,500 sq. ft.

Patriot Homes and Adapt Design – Marquis

Best Single Family Detached Custom Home under \$1,000,000

Kahlon Developments and Adapt Design – La vie est belle

Best Single Family Detached Home \$1 - 1.2 M

Made To Last Custom Homes and Hoyt Design Co. – Quamichan Net Zero

Best Single Family Detached Home \$1.2 - 2 M

White Wolf Homes – Woodside

Best Single Family Detached Home \$2 - \$2.4 M

Carsa Construction, IvyHouse Design and Splinters Millworks – Driftwood

Best Single Family Detached Home over \$2.4 M

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Best New Subdivision

GableCraft Homes – Royal Bay Phase 4A

Best Outdoor Space

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Best New Home Design under 4,000 sq. ft.

Villamar Construction – Scandinavian Retreat

Best New Home Design over 4,000 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Best Home Design – Concept

White Wolf Homes – Haven

Best Innovative Feature

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Best Residential Renovation or Restoration under \$1,000,000

Green Island Builders – Falu Rote House

Best Residential Renovation or Restoration over \$1,000,000

Bowcey Construction and Step One Design – Oasis

Best Traditional Kitchen under 250 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments, Hobson Woodworks and Zebra Design – Ardmore Bay

Best Traditional Kitchen over 250 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments, Hobson Woodworks and Zebra Interiors – Lands End Muse

Best Contemporary Kitchen under 250 sq. ft.

Jenny Martin Design – Blackstone

Best Contemporary Kitchen over 250 sq. ft.

Jenny Martin Design – Adelaide

Best Bathroom

Jenny Martin Design – Adelaide

Best Master Suite under 500 sq. ft.

Seba Construction, McGeachy Media and Thomas Philips Woodworking – Seaview

Best Master Suite over 500 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Best Interior - Residential Under 3,500 sq. ft.

Samantha Weeks Design Group – The Frank

Best Interior - Residential 3,500 - 5,000 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments and Zebra Interiors – Lands End Muse

Best Interior - Residential Over 5,000 sq. ft.

Seba Construction and McGeachy Media – Seaview

Best Custom Millwork under 3,500 sq. ft.

Christopher Developments, Hobson Woodworks and Zebra Group – Lands End Muse

Best Custom Millwork 3,500 - 5,000 sq. ft.

Bowcey Construction and Splinters Millworks – Oasis

Best Custom Millwork over 5,000 sq. ft.

Seba Construction, McGeachy Media and Thomas Philips Woodworking – Seaview

Best Condominium Project or Mixed-Use Development

Concert Properties – Capital Park Residences

Best Customer Service

Concert Properties

Green Builder of the Year - Small Volume

Made To Last Custom Homes

Green Builder of the Year - Large Volume

Abstract Developments

Project of the Year – Multi-Family

Concert Properties – Capital Park Residences

Project of the Year – Single Family

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

People’s Choice Award

Christopher Developments – Lands End Muse

Excellence in Creating Housing Affordability

BC Housing

Heritage Award

Zebra Group

Bill Wansbrough Memorial Award

White Wolf Homes and EnViroTec General Contracting (two awards)

Building Better Futures Community Award

Habitat for Humanity - Victoria

Environmental Achievement Award

BC Housing

Lifetime Achievement Award

Andrew Tidman, Tidman Construction