

Wes Carroll Named 2012 Builder of the Year

Raleigh, N.C. – Wes Carroll, president of Upright Builders, was announced as the 2012 Builder of the Year during the annual installation and holiday party of the Home Builders Association of Raleigh-Wake County (HBA) held last December at the Renaissance Hotel in North Hills.

“The recipient of this award must demonstrate the high standards of our association and play an active role,” said Cindy Sheldon, an executive with Triad and Triangle Division for D.R. Horton and the 2012 HBA president. “This year’s winner demonstrates the leadership abilities and the character of what, we, as builders, strive to be.”

Carroll served as president of the HBA in 2011. As a builder and member for over 22 years, Carroll has also been active on the HBA Board of Directors and Executive Committee. Since 1990, he continues to serve on the Parade of Homes Committee to successfully grow that event each year.

Under Carroll’s leadership in 2011, the HBA’s Triangle Sales and Marketing Council won Best Sales and Marketing Council of the Year, the Remodelers Council grew to become the fourth largest in the country, a new association website was launched, new fundraising goals were met for both Build-PAC and Foundation Club, and three major charity projects were completed – Justin’s Room with April’s Angels, a Rachel’s Rescue Remodel that was featured on national television, and a Kitchen Remodel for Helping Hand Mission’s New Bern House.

Sheldon added, “Even as a past president, he continues to volunteer as the Parade Chair, Board of Directors, Executive Committee, Nominations, National Board member and the list goes on. Wes Carroll’s determination and work ethic continue to be great assets for our association.”

About the HBA

The Home Builders Association of Raleigh-Wake County (HBA) is the voice of the home building industry throughout Wake County, and provides members opportunities for business development, education, professional growth, networking and community involvement. The membership, comprised of builders, remodelers, developers, and sales & marketing professionals, is affiliated with the National Association of Home Builders, which represents over 120,000 member companies nationwide. Currently the HBA is the second largest home builders association in the country. The members of the HBA are building excellence together for the neighborhoods and communities of tomorrow. Find more information at www.hbawake.com.