WRHBA Proudly Recognizes Four of their Own

WATERLOO REGION (April 11, 2015) – Waterloo Region Home Builders’ Association (WRHBA) hosted its 24th Annual Industry Luncheon on March 27th, featuring World Renowned Expedition Leader, Ben Webster.

WRHBA’s Industry Luncheon is not only the Association’s most prestigious and highly attended annual networking event, but it is also the largest industry luncheon within Waterloo Region. This year, WRHBA took this very special occasion to recognize four of its own. As Webster stated in his keynote address, “for many Canadians, “Everest” is buying a new home. The industry helps fulfill that dream”. WRHBA acknowledges the following extraordinary individuals whose dedication has made that dream come true for countless Waterloo Region natives:

TD Commercial Banking, Recognized for Twenty-Five Years of Continued Membership

TD Commercial Banking celebrated 25 years of continued membership with WRHBA. TD is also a long standing Presenting Sponsor of the Industry Luncheon including volunteering their time on the organizing committee and day of event activities. Their outstanding support stands as a testament to their commitment to the new home buyers, developers, builders, and industry professionals within Waterloo Region and beyond.
Tim Ingold was recognized for his significant contributions to the Association as a member of the Board of Directors spanning fourteen years. During this time, Tim served on the Executive Committee, which entailed a five year commitment where he succeeded to President in 2005 and then to Past President the following term. From there, he continued his service at the Board level until 2014; and although he has retired from the Board, he remains actively engaged on several other committees including the Past President’s Council, the Industry Luncheon organizing committee and a host of Adhoc Committees working on special projects and programs.

Tim Ingold consistently takes ownership when addressing industry issues and he is highly regarded amongst his peers for successfully ensuring that the Association’s voice is heard. It is through leadership such as his that WRHBA fulfills its mandate of housing affordability and consumer choice.

Mattamy Homes Limited, WRHBA Builder Member of the Year

Brad Trussler accepted the Builder Member of the Year Award on behalf of Mattamy Homes Limited.

As a grassroots organization, WRHBA encourages and seeks participation from its membership in addressing the vast and varied issues before it. Mattamy led the way in providing support and in sharing their resources and expertise which played a significant role in WRHBA's advocacy efforts at the local level this past year. Mattamy's outstanding contributions to the Association are demonstrative of their commitment to consumers of newly constructed residential homes.

Marie Schroeder, Celebrates 10 years as Executive Officer for WRHBA

WRHBA President, Steven Harris presented Marie Schroeder with a ten year service award recognizing her outstanding loyalty, dedication and professionalism in serving this award winning Home Builders’ Association comprised of over 225 member companies.

Charged with overseeing the day to day operations of the Association, Marie also works closely with volunteer member representatives to positively impact legislation, regulation and policy that affect the industry at all levels of government. Through her steadfast commitment, she ensures that the Association is well organized in supporting its vision to be a leader of industry by fostering a vital membership through advocacy, resource sharing, and education, and in its commitment to improve new housing affordability and choice.

Marie's professional approach and easy rapport with the over 115 WRHBA volunteers, that are actively
serving on a multitude of committees, has ensured the ongoing success of this vibrant Association.

The work of the Association is significantly enhanced whenever committed, skilled and keen individuals choose to get involved and work together. WRHBA is honoured to recognize the preceding individuals for their significant contributions to the community, the Association and the housing industry at large.

For more information on WRHBA including how to become a member, please visit - www.wrhba.com.

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