



September 21, 2005

Scott Hobbs
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Dear Scott,
Congratulations!

It is our pleasure to notify you that you have been selected from among your peers to receive *two* **2005 Home Building Industry ("HOBI") Awards.**

The **HBA of Connecticut HOBI Awards** are the most prestigious awards presented in Connecticut for excellence in design, construction, sales and marketing and financing by members of our organization.

You have won **Best Custom Home 7,000 -8,000 s.f. in Fairfield County** for *East Point Lane home in Old Greenwich* and **Best Antique Home Restoration Over \$1 Million** for *Taconic Road home in Greenwich.*

Awards will be presented at the **HBACT HOBI Awards Banquet on Wednesday, October 19, 2005** at the Aqua Turf Country Club, Southington, CT. Winners of the *Custom Home of the Year, Spec Home of the Year, Remodeled Home of the Year and Community of the Year* will be announced for the first time on that evening. Please see the **2005 HOBI Awards Dinner Registration** information enclosed. This celebrated event is black-tie optional.

All award recipients will be listed in the event's program book, highlighted in a Power Point presentation and announced again from the podium after dinner as awards are received. As an additional benefit, all winners will be featured in the **Winter 2005** issue of *Connecticut Builder* magazine.

In your own marketing efforts, you may also use the fact that you are an **HBA of Connecticut 2005 HOBI Award** winner on the condition that you 1) *accurately state the specific award(s) that you have won;* 2) *the award year,* 3) *that the award(s) are sponsored by the "HBA of Connecticut, Inc.,"* and 4) *if in print advertising, use the HBA of Connecticut's logo* (see above). If you have any questions about these marketing requirements or would like a state HBA logo sheet, please call the HBA of Connecticut office.

If media or others with whom you deal inquire about the HBA of Connecticut, please state that the HBA of Connecticut is a statewide professional trade organization representing home builders, remodelers, developers and many subcontractors, suppliers and professionals that provide services to this diverse industry. We have approximately 1,300 member companies organized through five local association chapters covering the whole state.

Congratulations again! Your hard work and dedication to this industry and the HBA is a credit to be held out for all your peers to witness.

Sincerely yours,

Greg Ugalde

Gregory Ugalde
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2004/2005 HBA President

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