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## 2011 STAR AWARDS CALL FOR ENTRIES

(AUSTIN, TX) April 6, 2011 – The Texas Association of Builders (TAB) is now accepting submissions for the 2011 Star Awards. The highly-coveted Star Awards are given annually to recognize excellence in all areas of the home building industry.

Both members of the Texas Association of Builders and non-members may enter to win one of these prestigious awards that recognize the industry's best from the Southwest region of the United States: Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

The Call for Entries this year includes categories for Custom Builders, Volume Builders, Remodelers, Developers, Multifamily Builders, Associate Members and Individual Achievements. Entries can be submitted online at [www.TexasBuilders.org](http://www.TexasBuilders.org).

All home building, remodeling and promotional projects completed between January 1, 2009 and July 8, 2011 may be entered for consideration. The Early Bird entry fee is \$100 per entry received by the deadline of 5 p.m. on June 17, 2011. The entry fee for submissions after June 17, 2011 is \$125. The final deadline to receive entries is 5 p.m., Friday, July 15, 2011.

Entries will be judged by a distinguished panel of industry experts. Finalists and winners will be showcased during the Sunbelt Builders Show™ October 20 - 22, 2011 at the Austin Convention Center.

The Texas Association of Builders is a non-profit organization with almost 10,000 members, serving the needs of home builders and remodelers throughout Texas, as well as the companies that service them. The Star Awards are presented annually to honor the best in new building, remodeling, and restoration. To view the entire list of previous Star Award winners, please visit [www.TexasBuilders.org](http://www.TexasBuilders.org).

Founded in 1946, the Texas Association of Builders is an affiliate of the National Association of Home Builders and has 34 local home builders associations across Texas. Representing almost 10,000 members, 550,000 jobs and \$35 billion of the Texas economy, the state and local associations play a crucial role in providing housing for Texans. For more information about the Texas Association of Builders, visit [www.TexasBuilders.org](http://www.TexasBuilders.org).

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