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KATHY RAAB WINS GARY KOMAROW EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD

WAUKESHA, Wis. – Kathy Raab, CAE, CNAP, Executive Director of the Metropolitan Builders Association of Greater Milwaukee, recently received the Gary Komarow Executive Officer of the Year Award from the Executive Officers Council (EOC) of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB), located in Washington, D.C.

The council represents the staff executives who manage the more than 650 state and local home builder associations that comprise NAHB.

The Gary Komarow Award named after NAHB's former Chief Legal Counsel, is presented to an executive officer whose accomplishments and achievements have gone above and beyond promoting the goals of the EOC and assisting the advancement of fellow executive officers.

Kathy Raab leads one of the most successful Home Builders Associations in the country. After accepting the award, Raab stated: "I am honored to receive the Executive Officer of the Year Award. This recognition is a testament to the incredible team and supportive community around me. Together, we continue to advance the residential home building industry, and I am grateful for the opportunity to contribute to our shared success."

The folks at the NAHB could not be happier: "Kathy Raab's dedication and commitment to this industry serves as an inspirational how-to for other executive officers striving for excellence in association management."

This award is timely for Kathy and her staff, as the MBA wraps up its biggest event of the year, The Parade of Homes.

"The Gary Komarow Executive Officer of the Year Award honors the outstanding accomplishments of an Executive Officer," said Natalie Fryer, president of the NAHB Executive Officers Council and executive officer of the Home Builders Association of Fayetteville. "With unparalleled dedication and exemplary leadership, Kathy has steered her association to new heights. Her strategic vision and unwavering commitment to excellence have earned her the esteemed title of Executive Officer of the Year, an honor truly deserved. Congratulations to Kathy!"

ABOUT THE METROPOLITAN BUILDERS ASSOCIATION (MBA)

The Metropolitan Builders Association located in Waukesha, WI., is a not-for-profit trade association that represents nearly 700 companies involved in the construction, development, and remodeling of single and multifamily housing, plus light commercial property in Waukesha, Washington, Ozaukee, Jefferson, and Milwaukee counties. Collectively, its members employ tens of thousands of workers in the Milwaukee area and conduct millions of dollars of business each year. For more information, visit: www.MBAbuilds.org or the Metropolitan Builders Association's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/MetropolitanBuildersAssociation