

2025 Aurora Award Winners

ABOUT THE AURORA AWARDS

Presented annually by the Florida Home Builders Association (FHBA), the Aurora Awards celebrate excellence in homebuilding, design, and community development across the Southeastern United States. Now in its 47th year, the program honors builders, architects, interior designers, remodelers, and developers whose work sets the standard for innovation, quality, and livability. Recognized as one of the most prestigious awards in the building industry, the Aurora Awards highlight projects that inspire, elevate communities, and shape the future of residential construction.

Congratulations to our 2025 Winners!

2025 Golden Aurora- Best In Show

Watersound, Sarasota, FL by Nautilus Homes

COMMERCIAL / RETAIL CATEGORIES

Best Recreation Facility or Amenity

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- Pelican Sound River Club, Naples, FL by Wegman Design Group
- The Courthouse at Windsong, Prosper, TX by LRK
- Trinity Falls Amenity Center, McKinney, TX by LRK

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Azario Culinary Center, Lakewood Ranch, FL by Fieldstone Architecture & Engineering
- Mosaic Amenity Center, Prosper, TX by LRK
- The Haven at Amavi, Maitland, FL by Total Solutions Group
- The Hub at Skye Ranch, Sarasota, FL by Fieldstone Architecture & Engineering

Commercial Project

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Copperleaf Golf and Club, Estero, FL Built by Curran Young Construction, Designed by Wegman Design Group
- IncredibleBank, Cape Coral, FL by Curran Young Construction

Best Rehabilitation Project - Includes Office, Commercial and Industrial

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

· Naples Players Theater, Naples. FL by BUILD LLC



SILVER AWARD WINNERS

 Copperleaf Golf Club, Estero, FL Built by Curran Young Construction, Designed by Wegman Design Group

Best Interior Renovations – May include tenant improvements

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- 2PA Offices, Glen Allen, VA by Poole & Poole Architecture
- Sandbox VR St Pete, St. Petersburg, FL by Coelum Construction LLC
- The Colony Bay Club, Bonita Springs, FL by AM Design Group

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Catfish Commons Bank Tenant Improvement, Maitland, FL by Total Solutions Group
- G6 Development Company Office, Panama City, FL by G6 Development Company LLC
- Le Ciel Venetian Towers, Estero, FL by Wegman Design Group
- Rob Bowen Design Global HQ, St. Petersburg, FL by Rob Bowen Design
- The Avenue Sales Center, Naples, FL by BIG Renovations & Design Inc.

CUSTOM & RENOVATED HOMES CATEGORIES

Best Renovated or Restored Single House

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- A Port Royal Classic, Naples, FL by Freestyle Interiors
- Brisa Del Lago, Lakewood Ranch, FL by Trinity Custom Homes
- North Bay Drive, Lynn Haven, FL by G6 Development Company LLC
- Party Central, Maitland, FL by Total Solutions Group
- The Manor at Lakewood Ranch, Lakewood Ranch, FL by Christner Brothers Inc.

Best Renovated or Restored Residential Project

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Delray Luxury Renovation, Del Ray Beach, Fl by Clive Daniel Home
- Quail West Luxury Renovation, Naples. FL by Quail West Luxury Renovation
- Seaside Sanctuary, Naples. FL by BIG Renovations & Design + Charles Design Studio

Best Custom Home under 2,500 sq. ft

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

• DreamDesign®69: Ervin Residence, Fernandina Beach, FL by Starr Custom Homes

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

Beach Cottage at Fort Myers Beach, Fort Myers Beach, FL by KGT Builders



Best Custom Home 2,500 to 4,999 sq. ft.

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

• Lido Rose, Sarasota, FL by Trinity Custom Homes

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Caravel Model Everly at Wellen Park, Venice, FL by Lee Wetherington Homes
- Inspired Living, Gulf Stream, FL by P&H INTERIORS
- Modern Lakefront Home, Orlando, FL by Groninger Custom Homes, Inc.
- Sand Dollar at Shellstone at Waterside, Sarasota, FL by Lee Wetherington Homes
- The Grand Cayman, Punta Gorda, FL by Harbor Home Builders
- The Sandhill Key at Aripeka, Melbourne, FL by Joyal Homes

Best Custom Home 5,000 to 10,000 sq. ft.

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- Quarry House, College Grove, TN by Scott Wilson Architect LLC
- Watersound, Sarasota, FL by Nautilus Homes

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- 6730 Sable Ridge Lane, Naples, FL by McGarvey Custom Homes
- Cornwell Farm Custom Farmhouse, Great Falls, VA by James McDonald Associate Architects
- Defined Line, Boca Raton, FL by P&H INTERIORS
- Elevated & Timeless, Jacksonville, FL by Lisa Gielincki Interior Design
- Old Naples Showcase Estate, Naples, FL by London Bay Homes
- Pickett Breeze, Sanford, FL by Turning Leaf Custom Homes
- Spanish River Estate, Boca Raton, FL by Paterson Project Management Inc.
- Timeless Tranquility, Maitland, FL by Total Solutions Group
- Waterside Cove, Jupiter, FL by Affiniti Architects

Best Custom Home over 10,000 sq. ft.

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- 796 Cassena Road, Naples, FL by McGarvey Custom Homes
- Coastal Cove, Jupiter, FL by Affiniti Architects
- Chateau Du Soliel, Great Falls, VA by James McDonald Associate Architects
- Wanderlust, Franklin, TN by Scott Wilson Architect LLC



TARGETED USE RESIDENTIAL CATEGORIES (For Sale or Rent)

Best Mixed-use Project

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- 7600 Broadway, San Antonio, TX by LRK
- Aster & Links, Sarasota, FL by Humphreys & Partners Architects, L.P.
- Stella, Naples, FL by MHK Architecture

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Industry Tallahassee, Tallahassee, FL by BSB Design
- UrbA Phase I, Arlington, VA by CBG Building Company

Best Multifamily Housing Community

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- Aster & Links, Sarasota, FL by Humphreys & Partners Architects, L.P.
- NOVEL Independence Park, Tampa, FL by CBG Building Company

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Manor Barrett, Kennesaw, GA by Related Group
- Orleans Station, Memphis, TN by LRK
- Town Triangle Crossing, Raleigh, NC by Related Group
- Town Vineland, Orlando, FL by Related Development

Best Campus Housing

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

• Accolade at Collegiate Village East, Orlando, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc.

Best Renovated or Restored Targeted use Residential Project

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

Lofts at Cathedral, Jacksonville, FL by Group 4 Design, Inc.

Best Senior Living Community

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

 Providence Living at Pembroke Pines, Pembroke Pines, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

• Encore at Tradition, Port St. Lucie, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc.

Best Affordable Housing Community

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Ambar Trail, Homestead, FL by Group 4 Design, Inc.
- Parramore Oaks Phase II, Orlando, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc.



SINGLE FAMILY PRODUCTION HOUSING CATEGORIES

Best Single Family Detached Model Home -2,500 to 5,000 sq. ft.

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- St. Michael, Sarasota, FL by BSB Design
- The Franklin, Collierville, TN by Magnolia Homes

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

• Isle Royal at Sunstone, Venice, FL by Mattamy Homes

Best Single Family Detached Model Home — Over 5,000 sq. ft.

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

• Chateau Chic, Maitland, FL by Total Solutions Group

INTERIOR MERCHANDISING CATEGORIES

Best Interior Merchandising Rental Apartment or Condominium (one unit)

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

West Coast Casual, Naples, FL by J. Lynn Design Group

Best Interior Merchandising – Community Amenity or Clubhouse

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- Bonita Bay Club Naples, Naples, FL by AM Design Group
- The Assembly Clubhouse, Charleston, SC by Builders Design
- The Kelly at 23rd, Panama City, FL by Group 4 Design, Inc.
- Tortoise One Clubhouse, West Palm Beach, FL by Builders Design

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Babcock Ranch Clubhouse, Punta Gorda, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Corsa At Estero Crossing, Estero, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc.
- Estero Vista, Fort Myers, FL by Forum Architecture & Interior Design, Inc.
- Hospitality-Ave Maria Clubhouse, Ave Maria, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- SOTA75 Clubhouse, Altamonte Springs, FL by Builders Design

Best Interior Merchandising of a Home priced \$250,000 to \$500,000

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

Relaxed Beach House, Naples, FL by J. Lynn Design Group



Best Interior Merchandising of a Home priced over \$500,000

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

Hyde Park III at Caldera, Spring Hill, FL by Builders Design

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

Key West II at Two Rivers, Zephyrhills, FL by Homes by WestBay

Best Interior Design of a Custom/Spec Home priced \$500,000 to \$1,000,000

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

• Beach Cottage at Fort Myers Beach, Fort Myers Beach, FL by KGT Builders

Best Interior Design of a Custom/Spec Home priced over \$1,000,000

GRAND AWARD WINNERS

- 4173 EDGE, Naples, FL by EDGE Interiors
- Lakewood Ranch Modern Farmhouse, Sarasota, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Naples-Luxury Oasis in Bonita Springs, Bonita Springs, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Sand Dollar in Shellstone, Sarasota, FL by Builders Design
- Sapphire at Wild Blue, Sarasota, FL by Builders Design
- Sunset Beach Home, Fort Myers Beach, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Tesoro, Miromar Lakes, FL by AR Homes Fort Myers (Lyons Housing, LLC.)
- Volheim Residence at Bella Collina, Montverde, FL by Masterpiece Design Group

SILVER AWARD WINNERS

- Barefoot Elegance in Wildblue, Fort Myers, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Form & Glow, Boca Raton, FL by P&H INTERIORS
- Gulf Coast Whimsy, Naples, FL by Freestyle Interiors
- Kalea Bay Mid-Century, Naples, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Luxury at Pine Ridge Estate, Naples, FL by Clive Daniel Home
- Old Naples Showcase Estate, Naples, FL by Romanza Interior Design
- The Grand Cayman, Punta Gorda, FL by Harbor Home Builders
- West Coast Casual, Naples, FL by J. Lynn Design Group

KITCHEN & BATH DESIGN CATEGORIES

Best Kitchen Design of a Model Home

GRAND WINNERS

 Sand Dollar Model at Shellstone at Waterside Kitchen, Sarasota, FL by Lee Wetherington Homes

SILVER WINNERS

- Refined Retreat: A Hamptons-Style Kitchen, Alachua, FL by Evans Construction & Design
- The Grand Cayman, Punta Gorda, FL by Harbor Home Builders



Best Bath Design of a Model Home

GRAND WINNERS

Caravel Model Everly at Wellen Park Primary Bath, Venice, FL by Lee Wetherington Homes

SILVER WINNERS

- The Grand Cayman, Punta Gorda, FL by Harbor Home Builders
- The Franklin, Collierville, TN by Magnolia Homes

Best Kitchen Design for a Custom/Spec/One of a Kind Home

GRAND WINNERS

- Old Naples Showcase Estate, Naples, FL by Romanza Interior Design
- Watersound, Sarasota, FL by Nautilus Homes

SILVER WINNERS

- 4173 Kitchen EDGE, Naples, FL by EDGE Interiors
- Brisa Del Lago Best Kitchen, Lakewood Ranch, FL by Trinity Custom Homes
- Flynn Residence Kitchen at Diamond Sands, Jensen Beach, FL by Masterpiece Design Group
- Seafoam Model, Port Charlotte, FL by Safeguard Contracting, LLC
- Seasoned Softness, Naples, FL by BIG Renovations & Design Inc.

Best Bath Design for a Custom/Spec/One of a Kind Home

GRAND WINNERS

- Ebony Acres, Safety Harbor, FL by Rob Bowen Design
- Old Naples Showcase Estate, Naples, FL by Romanza Interior Design
- Sunset Beach Home Primary Bath Suite, Fort Myers Beach, FL by Clive Daniel Home

SILVER WINNERS

- Atlantic View, Fernandina Beach, FL by MCG Homes
- Cocobay at Pelican Bay, Naples, FL by KGT Builders
- Lido Rose Bath, Sarasota, FL by Trinity Custom Homes

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SPECIALTY DETAILING CATEGORIES

Best Interior Detailing for a Home priced over \$1,000,0000

GRAND WINNERS

- Golf by the Gulf, Naples, FL by Freestyle Interiors
- Harmony & Balance, Boca Raton, FL by P&H Interiors
- The Manor at Lakewood Ranch, Sarasota, FL by Christner Brothers Inc.
- Watersound, Sarasota, FL by Nautilus Homes



SILVER WINNERS

- Caravel Model Everly at Wellen Park Interior Detailing, Venice, FL by Lee Wetherington Homes
- Lido Rose Interior Detailing, Sarasota, FL by Trinity Custom Homes
- Sciame Homes: Eden on the lake, Palm Beach, FL by Sciame Homes
- Sciame Homes: The Rogue, Palm Beach, FL by Sciame Homes

SALES AND MARKETING CATEGORIES

Best Logo

GRAND WINNERS

G6 Development Company by G6 Development Company LLC

SILVER WINNERS

Naples Bay Club by B-Squared Advertising

Best Brochure

GRAND WINNERS

The Huxley by B-Squared Advertising

Best Direct Mail (Print Only)

GRAND WINNERS

Mattamy Golf Cart Mailer by Mattamy Homes

SILVER WINNERS

Park Place on Gulf Shore by B-Squared Advertising

Best Print Ad

GRAND WINNERS

The Huxley by B-Squared Advertising

SILVER WINNERS

Kalea Bay by B-Squared Advertising

Best Video

GRAND WINNERS

BC Stone Homes - Build on Your Land by BC Stone Homes

SILVER WINNERS

- Brightmore Amenity Preview by Mattamy Homes by Mattamy Homes
- Kalea Bay by B-Squared Advertising



Best Online Marketing Campaign

GRAND WINNERS

• B-Squared Advertising 2024 Summer Campaign by B-Squared Advertising

SILVER WINNERS

- AR Homes® Advantage by AR Franchising, Inc.
- Trends Tuesday by Builders Design

Best Website

GRAND WINNERS

Total Solutions Group by Total Solutions Group

SILVER WINNERS

- J. Lynn Design Group by J. Lynn Design Group
- The Huxley by B-Squared Advertising

Best Innovative Use of Technology

GRAND WINNERS

Building Homes with a Scan by Fieldstone Architecture & Engineering

Best Special Promotion

GRAND WINNERS

• Designed to Inspire: A Monthly Showcase of Elevated Living by Evans Construction & Design

Best Overall Advertising Campaign

GRAND WINNERS

• INTrend Vol. 4 by Builders Design

SILVER WINNERS

Kalea Bay by B-Squared Advertising