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VRCA AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE -Local Company Takes Home Two Top Awards

Horizon Landscape Contractors receives recognition in two categories at prestigious event

On a night when Vancouver's leading construction companies came together to recognize achievements in construction, locally Langley based Horizon Landscape Contractors took home two of the top awards. The Vancouver Regional Construction Association held its annual awards Gala at the Vancouver Convention Centre and Horizon Landscape Contractors received the Gold Award for top trade in the field of construction and GM Brian Dougherty received the U40 Excellence in Construction Award.

Recently completed GTAP RCMP Federal Building in Green Timbers, Surrey BC was a joint venture Gold Leeds project of Bird/Boygues and Horizon Landscape Contractors. Horizon received the Presidents Trade Award for its execution of complex design features, meeting all set deadlines, assisting on challenging design changes, while keeping within budget restraints and ultimately achieving the vision of the owner. GTAP was one of four projects Horizon was a preferred trade for this past year. UBC Pharmaceutical, UBC Earth Sciences, and Broadway Tech 4 all were nominated for recognition and all ventures that Horizon was pleased to put their stamp on.

General Manager, Brian Dougherty, received the 2013 VRCA U40 Excellence in Construction Award. This was in recognition of outstanding achievement by an individual under the age of 40. Brian made several significant contributions and his impact in the construction industry did not go unnoticed. Exhibiting tremendous leadership, with a commitment to the advancement of the industry, Brian exemplified the fortitude of what encompasses an influential leader. Through volunteering of time, expertise and assistance with all whom Horizon Landscape Contractors has had the privilege to be in joint venture with, Brian exhibited all criteria and beyond to be honored with the Excellence in Construction Award.

Horizon Landscape Contractors is a proud member of the VRCA and is dedicated to the betterment of the community and to the province of BC. For information, contact Travis Priest (604) 533-9757 ext.226 or visit <u>www.horizonlandscape.ca</u>.



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