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**Western Council of Construction Consumers Announces
2012 Owners' Project Excellence Awards Winners
To Be Honored at Annual Gala Dinner, in
Lafayette, CA, 6 PM, October 16, 2012**

Western Council of Construction Consumers announces its 2012 Owners' Project Excellence Awards Winners. These 14 projects from throughout California and Arizona, will be honored at a Gala Dinner event, 6 PM, October 16, 2012, at the Lafayette Park Hotel & Spa, in Lafayette CA.

Western Council is dedicated to recognizing excellence in project performance with a primary goal of educating and informing its members, as well as the industry. Project Excellence Awards recognize continuous improvement and excellence in engineering, design, and construction, of quality, cost-effective, and innovative construction projects. Award winning projects demonstrate effective execution; new, innovative ideas and strategies for improving the construction process; and successful management of the relationships between the owner, contractors and service providers.

Western Council added Special Distinction Awards to the Owners' Project Excellence Awards program this year: Innovative Solutions and Sustainability Excellence.

Excellence instructs and inspires all in the industry. The Owners' Project Excellence Awards Gala provides a unique opportunity for owners and professionals in the construction, design and consultant industry to both honor, and learn from, the trendsetters, while connecting with professionals throughout the industry and the west.

Cocktail hour, networking, and a sumptuous meal - steak, salmon, or vegetarian - will precede the ceremony, which will include visual presentations for each project, and presentation of project, distinction, and appreciation awards. Tickets are \$135. Tables of 8 or 10 are available at a discount. Call Hotel for FREE pick up and drop off at Lafayette BART Station.

A limited number of Sponsorships, and Display Ads in the full-color commemorative program, are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

For tickets, sponsorships and program advertising, contact:

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A List of 2012 Owners' Project Excellence Awards Winners is attached

2012 Western Council Owners' Project Excellence Award Winners

PROJECT NAME	LOCATION	CATEGORY	AGENCY/ FIRM	PROJECT AWARD	DISTINCTION AWARD
Science & Natural Resources Building, Columbia College	Sonora, CA	Buildings - New	Kitchell	Distinguished	Innovative Solutions
Twin Cities Police Station	Larkspur, CA	Buildings - New	Kitchell	Distinguished	Sustainability Excellence
Mammoth Lakes Courthouse	Mammoth Lakes, CA	Buildings - New	Sundt	Distinguished	
Physical Sciences Building, San Bernardino Valley College	San Bernardino, CA	Buildings - New	Kitchell	Exceptional	
CIRM Building 3, Buck Institute for Age Research	Novato, CA	Buildings - New	Kitchell	Exceptional	
Tesla Water Treatment Facility	Tracy, CA	Infrastructure	San Francisco Public Utilities Commission / PMA Consultants LLC	Exceptional	Innovative Solutions
Inland Empire Transportation Management Center	Fontana, CA	Buildings - New	Vanir Construction Management, Inc.	Outstanding	
South Pasadena Middle School Expansion	South Pasadena, CA	Buildings - New	Vanir Construction Management, Inc.	Outstanding	
5th Avenue Alternative School	Redwood City, CA	Buildings - New	Roebbelen Contractors, Inc.	Outstanding	Sustainability Excellence
A T & T Foundry Innovation Center	Palo Alto, CA	Buildings - Renovation	Roebbelen Contractors, Inc.	Significant	Sustainability Excellence
Education Services Building, Folsom Cordova Unified School District	Rancho Cordova, CA	Buildings - New	Roebbelen Contractors, Inc.	Notable	
Maricopa County South Court Tower	Phoenix, AZ	Buildings - New	Gilbane Building Company	Notable	
H. W. Kolb Elementary School	Dublin, CA	Buildings - New	Roebbelen Contractors, Inc.	Notable	
La Clinica De La Raza - Monument	Concord, CA	Buildings - Renovation	Roebbelen Contractors, Inc.	Notable	

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