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## **U.S. Green Building Council of West Michigan Announces 2019 Leadership Award Recipients**

GRAND RAPIDS, MI—The U.S. Green Building Council of West Michigan (USGBC-WM) is pleased to announce the recipients of the 2019 Leadership Awards:

2019 Certified Green Home —Preissner Residence, Architectural Resource, LLC, Ann Arbor, MI

2019 Outstanding Green Building —502 Second St NW, Catalyst Partners, Grand Rapids, MI

2019 Green Community— Habitat for Humanity of Kent County, Grand Rapids, MI

2019 Volunteer of the Year— E3M Solutions, Grandville, MI

2019 2030 Leadership —Transformando West Michigan, Grand Rapids, MI

2019 Innovative Project — Circuit West, Grand Rapids, MI

2019 Green Schools Champion — Josh Gottlieb (Kalamazoo Public Schools), Kalamazoo, MI

The honorees will accept their awards at [USGBC-WM's 2019 Annual Party & Leadership Award Ceremony](#) the night of January 16th, 2020 at the The Ballroom at McKay Towers in Downtown Grand Rapids, MI.

The USGBC-WM Leadership Awards promote outstanding green building projects, programs, and efforts by recognizing projects, organizations, and people who have made extraordinary contributions to achieving healthy, energy efficient green buildings in the state of Michigan. “We look forward to sharing the stories of these individuals & organizations at our annual party,” said Cheri Holman, executive director of the USGBC-WM, “These leaders are displaying how important it is to continually raise the bar over the traditional status quo.” The winners embody the core values of transforming the way buildings and communities are designed, built and operated.

For more information and to get tickets for the USGBC-WM's 2019 Annual Party & Leadership Award Ceremony, please visit [www.usgbcwm.org/2019-annual-party-and-leadership-awards/](http://www.usgbcwm.org/2019-annual-party-and-leadership-awards/)

### **About USGBC-WM**

The U.S. Green Building Council of West Michigan, organized in 2004, is a program-based nonprofit dedicated to transforming the way buildings and communities are designed, built and operated, in a way that improves the quality of life in Michigan. The organization accomplishes its mission through education, advocacy, programs and competitions including the [Grand Rapids 2030 District](#), [Michigan Battle of the Buildings](#) and the [Energy Assistance Program](#).

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