



September 8, 2020

Dear NARI National Awards Committee

The NARI New York Chapter is proud to nominate Barry Goggin for the NARI National Lifetime Achievement Award for his contributions to the remodeling industry, our NARI New York Chapter and NARI National over the past 40+ years.

Please see the attached supporting documentation. We believe Barry to be a most deserving member of this honorable distinction.

Sincerely,

Regina Biondo
Executive Director
NARI New York



Regina Biondo

From: Regina Biondo
Sent: Monday, November 18, 2019 2:43 PM
To: Barry Goggin
Subject: Award Speech

Copied & pasted from my agenda:

REGINA BIONDO: "Lifetime Achievement Award" –

The best way to recap a career contribution to an association is to highlight participation over time.

This recipient has been a NARI member for 30 years.

He holds the following:

Certifications:

Master Certified Remodeler
Certified Kitchen and Bath Remodeler
EPA Certification

His Chapter Participation Includes:

A Board member for 12 years
A Past president and Board Chairman
Board of Directors Historian
Re-Appearance as our 2018-2019 Board Chairman
A 12 time Community Service volunteer
Multiple Trade Show volunteer

The Committees that he has served on include:

An Evening of Excellence Committee Member and Past Chairman
An Awards Committee Chairman
A Nominating Committee Chairman
A Membership Committee Chairman
The (formerly) Remodeling Today (now known as Design & Remodel)
magazine task force leader
A Trade Show Task Force Leader
A Community Service Chairman

His National Participation includes:

Acting National Awards Committee chairman 2018-2019
National Awards Committee member and Vice Chairman
National House of Delegates member 2007 to 2013
Nation Awards Judge 2012, 2013, 2014, and also 2016
National Achievement Awards judge 2017, 2018
Outside chapter Awards Judge 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

The Remodeling Industry Awards that he has won include:

A 23 time Local Coty award winner
A 13 time Regional Coty award winner
2004 National Coty award winner
2011, 2014, 2017 Chrysalis Award winner
2012 NARI Green Remodeling Recognition Award
Remodeling Magazine's 2006 Big 50 award recipient
2009 and 2010 A.I.M. award recipient for recruiting most new members
2010 NARI Local Chairman's Award Recipient
2009, 84 Lumber's Joe Hardy leadership award recipient
2013 NARI Chapter's Outstanding Service Award recipient
And 2014 President's MVP Award recipient

Look around you tonight. We're surrounded by dozens and dozens of quality people - many of whom we can honestly call *friends*.

NARI is not here because of the efforts of one person. We are the combined time, talent and treasure of many, since 1954.

And while the make-up of the team experiences change over time due to attrition, retirement or just plain burn-out, the rock of leadership remains consistent, strong, nurturing and committed to NARI and the remodeling industry.

This particular "rock" has always been an example for us: as a leader, a businessman, a referral partner, a compassionate citizen and most of all, a FRIEND.

NARI has a lot of friends - and even a lot of good friends - but we'd be hard pressed to find another that is a better friend to us than this year's Lifetime Achievement Award Recipient.

MR. PRESIDENT...

PAT BENTIVEGNA: I am Honored to Present The Lifetime Achievement Award to BARRY GOGGIN.

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Holiday Party @ The Bentivegna's
Friday, December 13th
Catering by Nader Gebrin of Bravo Nader
(Accepting donations of an unwrapped toy for Make-A-Wish)

RESUME

Barry Goggin
60 Colby Drive
Dix Hills, NY 11746

Education:

Nassau Community College (1972) – AAS in Marketing
Dowling College – (1999 at age 47) -BBA in Marketing

Employment History:

1978 to 2019 - Self employed Home Improvement Contractor

Job Responsibilities – Coordinating all of the activities of a full service remodeling company including hiring subcontractors, marketing, new business development, project management and sales as well as developing plans with architects and securing permits.

Projects included: dormers, room additions, roofing, siding, basements, garage conversions, kitchen and bathroom remodeling, patios and deck. Also, custom built six homes from the ground up.

Trade organization memberships:

Suffolk County Contractors Association – 1983 to 1985
Long Island Builders Institute – 1985 to 1989
National Association of the Remodeling Industry – 1989 to present



MEADOWVIEW CONSTRUCTION, INC.

Builders & Remodelers

FOUNDED: 1978 as Barry Goggin Construction Corp.
Meadowview Construction started in 2010 for Green remodeling

STAFF: Barry Goggin MCR, CKBR, President
Ingrid Coutard, Office Assistant

EDUCATION AND BACKGROUND:

Dowling College – BBA degree
Certified Remodeler (CR) by National Assoc. of Remodeling Industry (NARI)
Certified Kitchen and Bath Remodeler (CKBR) by NARI
Master Certified Remodeler (MCR) by NARI
Certified Lead Remodeler by Federal EPA
Annual NARI classes to retain Certification
NARI Green Certification Course

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI) – 1989 to present
Member of Board of Directors – 2005 to 2014
Vice President – 2007, 2008
President - 2009 - 2010,
Chairman of the Board 2010-2011
Member of NARI National House of Delegates - 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011
Certification Class Instructor - 2008

AWARDS:

NARI Local Award Winner – 23 times
NARI Regional Award Winner -13 times
NARI National Contractor of the Year Award 2004
Chrysalis Award Winner 2011, 2017
Remodeling Magazine, Big 50 Award Recipient, 2006
Chamber of Commerce, Man of the Year, 1998
Suffolk County Legislature, Outstanding Volunteer Award, 1998

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Ronkonkoma Chamber of Commerce – President 1994 to 1997
Habitat for Humanity projects - 2006, 2008
Nari Community Service Projects - 1985, 1988, 1995, 2001, 2006, 2009, 2011
Gerald Ryan Outreach Center Rebuild - 2008
Jerry Lean Home Improvement Radio Show Guest - 2007
"Bring Andrew Home" Community Project - 2011

HOME IMPROVEMENT LICENCES:

Suffolk County.....47737 H Nassau County.....H182873000



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January 31, 2007
254 St. James Ave. N.
St. James, NY 11780

National Association of the Remodeling Industry
315 Walt Whitman Road
Suite 306
Huntington Station, NY 117467

To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I write to applaud the efforts of one of your members, contractor, Barry Goggin. Recently, my husband and I decided to remodel our very small cape-style home. Our family had grown since first purchasing the house and we were in desperate need for a larger and updated place to raise our three children. We love our neighborhood and hated the thought of having to leave it so we decided to add on to our existing house. However, little did we know that finding someone to do the work would be so tiring and disheartening. Having been misled and disappointed with other contractors, we had just about given up on the project and were ready to put our house on the market. Knowing in my heart that I did not want to leave the neighborhood I love, we decided to make one more phone call.

Immediately after speaking to Mr. Goggin, I felt that he could possibly be the one that could help us to achieve our goal. His professionalism and good nature were apparent to us from the beginning. We appreciated his honesty and straight-forwardness from the onset. After presenting our ideas to him, Mr. Goggin was able to offer his ideas as well. We consulted an architect and shortly thereafter had come up with a new renovation plan that was both realistic and exciting for us. We signed a contract with Mr. Goggin with complete confidence in him.

Very often you hear horror stories of how renovation projects turn out badly. Unfortunately, contractors in general do not have good reputations when it comes to dealing with their clients. However, this was not our experience. Upon undertaking this project, my husband and I were completely overwhelmed given the size of our renovation. Mr. Goggin was able to put us at ease and virtually guide us through the whole project one step at a time. We never felt any pressure from him and never felt that we could not trust him. Working with him was a true pleasure. The quality of his work and craftsmanship are commendable and we very often receive compliments on the outcome of the renovation. Because of our experience with him, we enthusiastically recommend Mr. Goggin to anyone looking for a general contractor. I truly believe that he is someone that your organization can be very proud to have as a member.

Sincerely,
Nancy Muscarella

Otto Koscica
230 Cuba Hill Road
Huntington, NY 11743

September 12, 2009

Dear Sir or Madam:

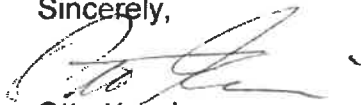
We would highly recommend Barry Goggin Construction Corp as a general contractor. Mr. Goggin had done an extensive amount of work on our home and gave us peace of mind during what would have otherwise been a very stressful renovation. I have many years of experience in commercial construction and am well aware of the pitfalls involved in hiring contractors and the time required on our end to make sure the project ran smoothly. I had interviewed and received proposals from a number of different contractors but none of them left an impression of professionalism and confidence that Mr. Goggin did.

I was comfortable with Mr. Goggin and felt that due to his experience and the way he presented himself that I would not need to devote time I did not have to monitoring the project. His proposals were very professional and he had also suggested a number of good ideas to incorporate into the project as well as some cost cutting options which we appreciated. Choosing Barry Goggin to do our project was one of the best decisions we have made.

The construction proceeded very quickly and the quality of work was excellent. The subcontractors were first rate and always took time to answer our questions and make sure we were happy with the work. Our neighbors started inquiring as to who our contractor was and were impressed that the project was progressing so rapidly. Mr. Goggin was very good at avoiding problems that may occur during a remodeling project by anticipating them and taking the appropriate action.

I deal with contractors of all types in my profession, some good and of course some bad. Barry Goggin is by far one of the best contractors I have run across. He has met all of our expectations and more.

Sincerely,



Otto Koscica



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KATRINA PAYNE, OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

February 13, 2017

Mr. Barry Goggin
C/O Meadowbrook Construction
214-09 Pond Road
Ronkonkoma, NY 11779

Dear Barry,

As the first snow comes down in the winter, Carol and I have had a chance to see our beautiful redone home in the magnificent simple winter snow with our modern lighting and new exterior design. It seemed like a good opportunity to summarize our past more than one year experience of working with you and your team in helping redesign our home. From every aspect, from head to toe, from a new front yard, backyard, roof, magnificent paving, front entrance way, new patio, new porch, outdoor kitchen, and natural gas fire pit, it is just too beautiful to put into words.

This was obviously an extraordinary effort requiring your talent and skills, coordination of different teams and patience with us as things were redesigned. Planned projects went through, unplanned problems were corrected with no fuss and your continued attitude that "nothing is a problem".

Carol and I cannot thank you enough. The beautiful book that you gave us with sunset pictures of the front yard and back yard with your motto that "experience never gets old" summarizes our entire wonderful experience working with you the past year.

We feel like you have become one of the family and wish you and your family the very best of health and happiness for this new year.

Sincerely yours,

Steven M. Goldberg, M.D. FACC, FACP, FAHA, FCCP
Past President of the Medical Staff
Northwell Health System, Manhasset
Educator of the Year, Dept. of Medicine
Physicians Advisory Committee, United Healthcare National
Clinical Assoc. Prof. of Medicine, Dept of Cardiology, Hofstra University
North Shore L.I.J. Medical School
National Advisory Committee for Heart Failure OptumHealth

Was it all about the money? (written 12-2-13)

Like most contractors that join Nari I originally thought that it would help me make more money. I thought that my homeowners and potential customers would be very impressed with my affiliation with such an elite remodeling organization that they would be more willing to sign with me than a non Nari member. I also thought that some of the advertising opportunities that Nari presented in their member marketing would help my phone to ring more than it had been. I even had the notion that with one or more of those Nari certifications I would stand out above my competitors. I remember once even believing that some of the Nari associate members would recommend me if I gave them some of my business. Guess what ? I was right.

In the past twenty-four years as a Nari member all of the above has happened. To put it in simpler terms, I made more money and I made a lot of friends along the way. About ten years ago I was even convinced to get active in the chapter and then was asked to be a member of the Board of Directors and help make the decisions that shape the future of the organization. As a board member I worked my way up to become president of our chapter. I still sit on the board and participate in about five committees and it is very rewarding to say the least.

So I guess you want to hear how I made more money. Since I keep track of where all my leads come from I can easily list those jobs I can credit to my Nari membership. One of the major promotions that our chapter offers is the Remodeling Today magazine published twice a year and distributed all over Long Island and handed out at the Home Shows. I have received eleven jobs from my ads in that publication that amounted to \$1,202,700.00. Yes it cost me money to advertise but the return was huge. I received a job from a homeowner who was referred by a former Nari member who was out of business but was a friend of mine. Her job and the three referrals that came from her amounted to about \$855,000.00. Another source of work came from a Nari member who I had referred to my customers for his landscaping business and his referrals to me amounted to \$524,000.00. One day I got a call for a kitchen job who got my name from the Nari photographer who was in her house photographing the stairs and rails done by another Nari member. I got that job and it was \$90,000.00. While I was chapter president I had a booth in the Home Show. Our chapter also had a booth at that show talking to homeowners about Nari and in their conversations the volunteers at that booth told the homeowners that the Nari president, me, was at the show at his own booth. The work that I signed from those homeowners and subsequent referrals totals \$677,000.00. Just last year I received a referral from a Nari architect members and that job was \$520,000.00. I'm not finished yet. Finally, one of my longest friends in Nari in the business of Home Improvement loans has referred me to her clients and that total is \$105,000.00.

You don't need to get a calculator because I will tell you that the total of all of these jobs that I credit to my affiliation to Nari is \$3,973,700.00. If you were to divide that by the twenty-four years that I was a member you would get an average of \$165,570.00 a year in revenue. All of that from a \$560.00 annual dues, dinner meetings costs and Coty award fees. The rewards that I can't put on a spreadsheet is the friendship and free advice I received over the years from other Nari members. Our chapter is a free resource center for all those that take advantage of it. There is a wealth of knowledge sitting at your table every month at the dinner meetings.

While on the executive board I got to travel (for free) with the executive committee to eight different cities and participate in National discussions about our industry. I made friends with contractors all over the country. I also traveled for the National Awards night every year for the past nine years and that was just the icing on the cake.

So after you read this you can join Nari if you want but if you don't that will leave more referrals to the rest of us that pay their dues and don't just sit in our office and wait for the phone to ring but get involved. If you don't plan on getting involved and making friends and building relationships with other members don't bother joining. Save your money, you're gonna need it.

Barry Goggin MCR, CKBR

Final Total updated June 2019 to included additional referrals:

\$5,751,700.00

