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Sunshine Coast Builder wins Multiple Awards

At tonight's 2011 HIA Sunshine Coast/Wide Bay Housing Awards Morwood Constructions was awarded Renovation/Addition Project over \$600,000 for a Buderim property. The same property was later awarded Renovation/Addition Project of the Year. Tony Morwood was also named the Sunshine Coast Host Trainer of the Year for his work with apprentices.

The awards were held at a cocktail function before a large audience at The Events Centre, Caloundra and were compered by renowned personality, Steve Hill.

The awards held by Australia's peak industry body for residential construction, renovation and development recognise the achievements of the housing industry, as it leads the way in the design, construction, innovation and housing technology.

In congratulating Tony and Morwood Constructions, HIA Branch Manager – Sunshine Coast/Wide Bay, Stuart Collins said "Each year the HIA Sunshine Coast/Wide Bay Housing Awards attract an outstanding array of entries across a number of different housing forms with this year being no different".

He further said "The awards showcase the ingenuity that exists within the local housing industry and this year the awards were taken to an even higher level. This can only be achieved through strong competition and is a tribute to all entrants in this year's awards".

Mr Collins also remarked that "Even in these challenging times for the housing industry, entries have remained steady and there has been no compromise on quality.

"The awards are a strong statement of the commitment and resilience of HIA members in Queensland to deliver exceptional housing products that will stand the test of time. The evidence tonight undoubtedly shows they have once again risen to the challenge" he said.

Many winners are likely to progress from tonight's awards to win State and perhaps even Australian Housing Awards with Sunshine Coast/Wide Bay builders having a long history of wider success" said Mr Collins.

As in previous years the awards night was well supported by the building industry.

Mr Collins noted that "Without the involvement of our many partners, important industry events like this would not be possible and thanked them for their contribution in recognising excellence within industry".

A full winners and finalists list is attached.

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