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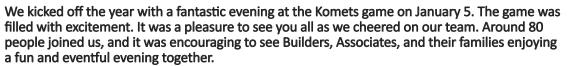
Seated: Glenn Claycomb, Treasurer; Nic Hoeffel, Vice-President; Nate Delagrange, President; Greg Gerbers, Immediate Past President; Logan Buescher, Secretary

Not pictured: Harrison Heller, Luke Hoffman, Alex Miller

President's Pen

Hello all.

As always, we are hosting many events this year that offer valuable opportunities for connection, growth, and collaboration within our industry. I encourage you to attend as many as you can. These events not only provide moments of fun and fellowship with fellow Builders and Associates but also valuable opportunities for networking and community building. I urge you not only to join us at our upcoming events, but to invite a possible future member.





Looking ahead, I would like to highlight a couple of important upcoming events. First, the IBS Show is happening February 25-27 in Las Vegas. This premier event for the homebuilding industry showcases the latest products, technologies, and trends. It is a fantastic opportunity to learn, network, and gain insights that can help your business grow. If you plan to attend, please reach out to Rebecca, who can connect you with other local members attending.

Next, we have IBA Legislative Day on Monday, March 10 in Indianapolis. This event will include a visit to the Statehouse, where we will have lunch with our legislators—a great opportunity to ask questions and discuss key issues with our representatives and senators over a meal. You can even take a tour if you're interested.

Finally, I would like to extend my sincere thanks for your continued support of the HBA. The events we host and attend play a crucial role in our success, both individually and as a whole. They provide us with visibility, create connections, and bring in new members. I hope to see you at our upcoming events!

Warm Regards

Nate Delagrange

President, Home Builders Association of Fort Wayne

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Member Events

SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, March 13

Builder Appreciation Event

Carter Lumber 6630 Lincoln Highway East 7:30-9am





Home Builders Association of Fort Wayne, Inc. Online registrations at

hbafortwayne.com/events or contact elise@hbafortwayne.com to register

FULL DETAILS ON PAGE 21!

MARCH MADNESS kick-off! Thursday, March 20





Food & Drinks provided by Van's Home Center!

> **HBA Members** can register now for this free event!







House Notes

Rebecca Cameron, Executive Officer

Members --

Grab your calendar and a pen -- we've got several things in the works you won't want to miss! First and foremost, our Town & Country New Home Tour is scheduled for April 26-27 and May 3-4 and registration is now open! Builders may register homes until Friday, February 21; Associates are encouraged to participate as an In-Home Vendor, pairing with a builder of choice, or run an ad in the official event guidebook. Full details are available on page 28.



IBA's annual Legislative Conference is scheduled for Monday, March 10 in Indianapolis. Builders, don't miss this chance to meet and speak with state Representatives and Senators during lunch at the Statehouse.

Our annual Builder Appreciation event is scheduled for Thursday, March 13, with a breakfast meeting hosted by Carter Lumber. More details and invitations to come.

On Thursday, March 20, we'll be partnering with Van's Home Center for a Meet Me @ 3 event kicking off March Madness. Be sure to join us that afternoon to check out Van's showroom and enjoy food & beverages while watching the greatest tradition in college basketball get underway.

Thank you to all who participated in Network Night on February 6! We had 34 Associates staffing booths to showcase their products and services for Builder members. We appreciate all who participated, especially our sponsors Rabb Water Systems, Wayne Pipe & Supply, Carter Lumber, Overhead Door Company of Fort Wayne, First Federal Savings Bank, Home Lumber, Meridian Title, First Merchants Bank, The DeHayes Group, Metropolitan Title and Central Supply Company.

Have a great month!

Rebecca



Q4 2024 CLAIM DEADLINE: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2025

HBA Builder/Remodeler Members may claim manufacturer rebates for residential jobs completed between October 1 through December 31, 2024.

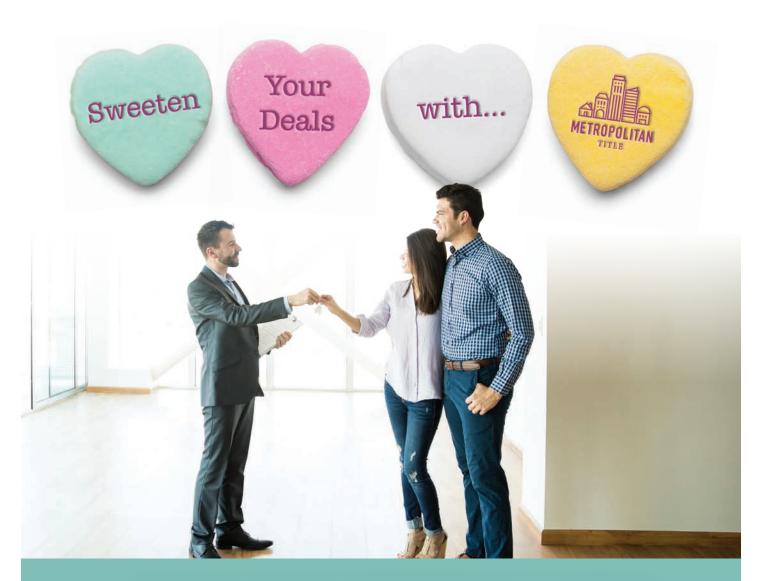
Q4'24 is also the last opportunity for builder members to claim for residential jobs completed in 2024. Any builder who has not yet participated by registering and submitting a rebate claim is welcome to claim for all residential jobs completed January 1 through December 31, 2024 with their Q4'24 HBA Rebates Claim.











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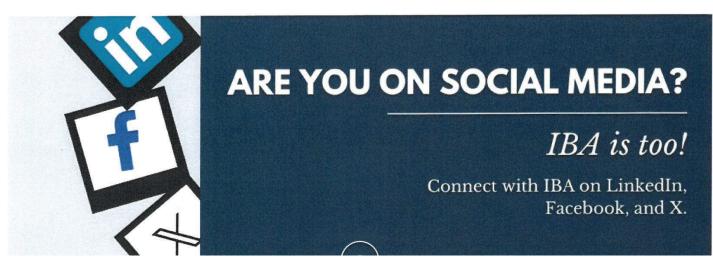
Upcoming Events Business.buildindiana.org/events



2025 State & National Association Calendar of Events NAHB



DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
January 15	IBA Executive Committee Meeting	IBA Office, Indianapolis
February 25 - 27	International Builders' Show	Las Vegas Convention Center
February 26	Networking Night at IBS	El Segundo Sol, Las Vegas
March 10 - 11	IBA Legislative Conference	Embassy Suites, Indianapolis
May14	IBA Executive Committee Meeting	TBD
June 10-13	NAHB Spring Leadership Meeting & Legislative Conference	Marriott Marque, Washington DC
July 23	IBA Executive Committee Meeting	Idle Creek Golf Course, Terre Haute
September 17	IBA Executive Committee Meeting	French Lick IN
November 17 - 19	NAHB Fall Leadership Meeting	Hyatt Regency Denver, Denver CO
December 4 - 5 Coming in Spring 2025 Coming in Fall 2025	NAHB Area 9 Leadership Conference Certified Aging-In-Place (CAPS) Program NAHB Build PAC Golf Outing	Embassy Suites, Notre Dame -South Bend TBD TBD
	Certified Lead Renovator Training	TBD
	Certified Aging-In-Place (CAPS) Program	TBD



Spike Updates

DON'T LOSE YOUR SPIKE CREDITS!

Per NAHB, any recruiter with less than 25 spikes who does not recruit a new member or accumulate retention credits for a year will lose their spike points. Make sure your recruited members are renewing or that you are recruiting a new member into the association!



HIGHLIGHTED NAMES INCREASED POINTS LAST MONTH!



STATESMEN (500-999)

- 649 Rob Wacker
- 594 Herb Delagrange
- 587 Jeff Thomas

SUPER SPIKES (250-499)

- 444 Bob Buescher
- 275 Jamie Lancia

ROYAL SPIKES (150-249)

- 242 Jay Shipley
- 238 Roger Delagrange
- 238 Matt Momper
- 234 Duane Kees
- 210 Charlie Giese
- 197 Jim Klotz
- 159 Barclay Allen
- 155 Kay Feichter

RED SPIKES (100-149)

- 141 Greg Gerbers
- 141 Matt Lancia
- 136 Ric Zehr
- 109 Kevan Biggs
- 107 Jerry Korte
- 102 Rodney Robrock

GREEN SPIKES (50-99)

- 85 Logan Buescher
- 81 Josh Barkley
- 81 Gregg Richhart
- 75 Jim Bauman
- 73 Lynn Delagrange
- 65 Luke Hoffman
- 56 Brad Cayot
- 50 Tyler Kees

LIFE SPIKE (25-49)

- 47 Brad Jackson
- 45 Austin Lundquist
- 44 Terry Stauffer
- 37 James Burkhardt
- 28 Jeff Bushey
- 26 Chad Delagrange
- 25 Brad Wallace

BLUE SPIKES (6-24)

- 23 Chad Korte
- 22 Michael Coe
- 21 Brad Lombard
- 18 Mark Heller
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- 8 Nate Delagrange
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January Board Meeting Minutes

HBA Board of Directors Meeting Tuesday, January 14, 2025

Present: Nate Delagrange, Nic Hoeffel, Glenn Claycomb, Logan Buescher, Greg Gerbers, Barclay Allen, John Belote, Tyler Cady, Brad Giese, Al Hamed, Mike Jenkins, Jhonelle Kees, Austin Lundquist, Amy Schiltz, Nick Toney, Rebecca Cameron **Absent:** Harrison Heller, Luke Hoffman, Alex Miller

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order @ 8:00 a.m. by Nate Delagrange, President

Concurrence Items: Motion to Approve and Accepted Logan Buescher, motion; Nate Delagrange second

Membership:

Three new members for approval:

- Ground Effects Landscaping
- JF Design Build LLC
- New Venture (reinstate)

Logan Buescher motion; Austin Lundquist, second

Financial Report: 2024 EOY budget negative; motion to table budget to Financial Committee. Glenn Claycomb, motion; Greg Gerbers, second

2025 budget: Current membership: 333; will need to reach 390 to hit membership budget. Focusing on (6) major events in 2025:

Town + Country New Home Tour, PAC Golf, HBA Golf, Chili Cook-Off, Remodeling Expo, Inaugural

Glenn motion to table 2025 budget approval; Al Hamed, second

IBA Legislative Conference, March 10 – discussion on importance of attending

Logan Buescher, motion to adjourn; Al Hamed, second

Meeting adjourned: 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Logan Buescher Secretary



Thank you, PAC Sponsors!

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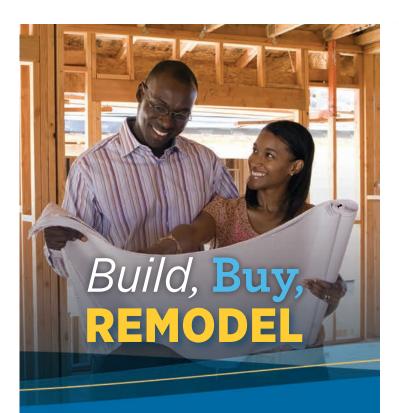
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Get involved with an HBA committee in 2025!

Membership Committee

Chair: Greg Gerbers

Responsible for recruiting new members, membership retention and onboarding of new members. Meets the third Monday of each month, 7:45a, at the HBA office.

Workforce Development Committee

Co-Chairs: Glenn Claycomb, Alex Miller

Creates opportunities for members and area construction trades students to interact and foster productive professional relationships, ensuring the local home-building industry's future stability and strength. Meets the first Tuesday of each month, 8:30a, at the HBA office.

Programming + Marketing Committee

Chair: Austin Lundquist

Assists with date and location selection for all social events (Golf Outings, General Membership Meetings, Inaugural, Chili Cook-Off, Meet Me @ 5, etc.), as well as acquisition of door prizes. Develops marketing and brand-awareness strategies, as well as approving concepts and budgets for annual home show events. Meets the first Wednesday of each month, 4p, at Coyote Creek Golf Club, 4935 Hillegas Road.

Governmental Affairs Committee

Chair: Logan Buescher

Responsible for legislative involvement assuring the best interest of the Association is served in pending actions in the state, county, and city governing bodies. Addresses Codes issues and stays up to date on all changes affecting the residential building industry. Determines disbursement of funds to political candidates. Meets the first Friday of odd-numbered months, 8:30a at the HBA office.

Please contact the HBA office (260) 420-2020 or email Rebecca Cameron, Executive Officer, (rebecca@hbafortwayne.com) to be placed on the committee(s) of your choice.





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Students showcase their work at SkillsUSA Regional Competition

Area trades students competed in the 17th Annual SkillsUSA Regional Competition at FWCS Career Academy on February 1st. The event kicked off Careers in Technical Education Month, as 100+ students

showcased their skills and talent for judges and spectators. The top five students in each category advance to the Skills USA Indiana State Leadership and Skills Conferenct in April in Indianapolis.

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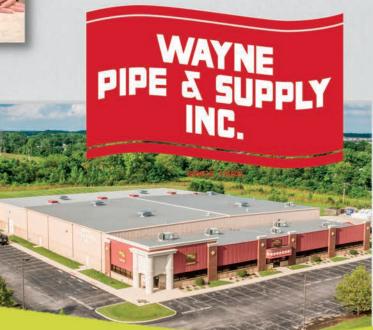


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	2023						2024											
Туре	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Single Family	180	157	110	103	97	54	60	134	109	119	138	97	99	136	88	128	125	64
Duplex	2	31	16	16	0	0	0	0	10	0	2	3	18	3	14	4	6	2
Apartments	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Res Add 'n in \$1000	2202	2648	2137	2872	3396	2103	1086	2205	2015	3366	4210	3913	2214	5047	4098	2446	1533	3190
Res Repair in \$1000	11370	12316	10068	14928	10043	6013	8538	9077	9959	12770	13211	12992	9934	11171	11036	11074	9926	7798
Garages	6	11	11	12	7	9	1	6	12	10	10	15	7	15	15	13	13	12
Total Dwellings	182	188	126	126	105	54	60	134	119	119	140	100	117	139	102	132	131	66

Permit History can be found on our website. You can access it through the infohub, go to the Resources tab on the left menu.

If you are looking for specific historical data not available there, please contact elise@hbafortwayne.com

Remodeling Permit Totals for Allen County —

	Dece	mber 2024	Dece	mber 2023	20	24 TOTAL	2023 TOTAL				
Туре	# Permits	\$	# Permits	\$	# Permits	\$	# Permits	\$			
Addition	46	\$3,190,388	65	\$2,103,298	916	\$35,271,940	817	\$29,199,766			
Alteration	77	\$1,206,270	56	\$794,809	1167	\$19,331,638	1305	\$19,391,744			
Remodel	58	\$1,891,482	45	\$926,783	911	\$30,885,924	807	\$25,144,291			
Repair	46	\$961,572	25	\$319,314	569	\$10,846,890	527	\$10,044,369			
Reroof	63	\$1,131,042	72	\$1,202,802	1068	\$16,739,874	1078	\$15,923,233			
Tear Off	144	\$2,236,893	147	\$2,273,273	2791	\$39,948,170	3544	\$50,705,241			
Siding	25	\$370,547	29	\$496,468	534	\$8,632,934	508	\$7,017,125			
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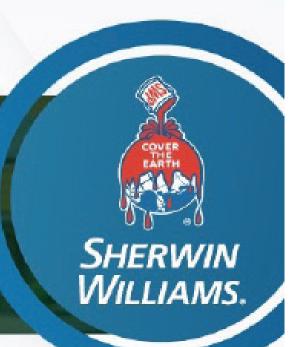




Announcement

New Sherwin Williams Quarterly Rebate Program. for HBA Builder & Remodeler members.

Starting Q3 2024, Sherwin Williams is launching a new rebate. program available exclusively for HBA members. This apportunity is open to all new and existing Sherwin Williams. customers!



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2024 HBA Builder Activity - 2024 Year End Summary

2024 Year End Summary





Home Builders Association of Fort Wayne, Inc.

2024 Year End Summary

PERMITS ISSUED ALLEN COUNTY BY PRICE RANGE

Year	20	21	20	22	20	23	2024				
Total # of Permits	17	02	13	67	14	14	11	95			
Price Range	# Permits	Percent									
\$150,000 and under	122	7%	78	6%	90	6%	63	5%			
\$150,001 - \$200,000	223	13%	123	9%	223	16%	45	4%			
\$200,001 - \$300,000	739	43%	422	31%	450	32%	224	19%			
\$300,001-\$400,000*	618	36%	365	27%	386	27%	587	49%			
\$400,001-\$500,000		·	180	13%	112	8%	112	9%			
Over \$500,001		·	199	15%	153	11%	164	14%			

REMODELING PERMIT ACTIVITY FOR ALLEN COUNTY

	2021	2021	2022	2022	2023	2023	2024	2024
	#	\$	#	\$	#	\$	#	\$
Addition	908	27,887,853	829	32,582,444	818	29,439,766	916	\$35,271,940
Alteration	1388	15,942,430	1273	18,851,760	1306	19,411,744	1167	\$19,331,638
Remodel	793	24,555,287	733	27,622,794	812	25,156,791	911	\$30,885,924
Repair	789	8,501,042	575	14,589,464	530	10,120,869	569	\$10,846,890
Reroof	971	10,527,936	1067	18,168,262	1079	15,929,783	1068	\$16,739,874
Siding	451	5,031,705	506	6,337,285	509	7,021,125	534	\$8,632,934
Tear Off	3349	38,637,034	3758	51,166,633	3548	50,765,611	2791	\$39,948,170
Total	8649	\$131,083,287	8741	\$169,318,642	8602	\$157,845,689	7956	\$161,657,370



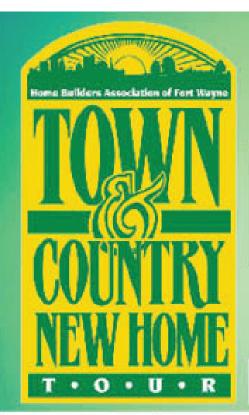
by Number of Units	
D.R. Horton	231
Granite Ridge Builders	201
Lancia Homes	136
Heller Homes	73
Majestic Homes	53

by Dollar Volume		
Granite Ridge Builders	201 \$	80,566,072
D.R. Horton	231 \$	77,932,991
Lancia Homes	136 \$	38,626,801
Heller Homes	73 \$	25,943,637
Majestic Homes	53 \$	18,519,934

by Average Cost		
Delagrange Builders	2 \$	1,490,000
Colonial Homes	3 \$	1,489,499
Timberlin Homes	4 \$	1,395,527
Hamed Homes	2 \$	1,382,500

ALLEN COUNTY	1195	\$ 464,003,237	\$ 388,287
Aboite	198	\$ 83,375,889	\$ 421,090
Adams	152	\$ 48,361,951	\$ 318,171
Cedar Creek	62	\$ 33,998,991	\$ 548,371
Eel River	140	\$ 48,334,094	\$ 345,244
Jackson	1	\$ 778,255	\$ 778,255
Jefferson	2	\$ 645,000	\$ 322,500
Lafayette	18	\$ 8,977,355	\$ 498,742
Lake	10	\$ 5,625,000	\$ 562,500
Marion	5	\$ 1,323,410	\$ 264,682
Maumee	16	\$ 6,206,421	\$ 387,901
Milan	55	\$ 20,112,640	\$ 365,684
Monroe	1	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000
Perry	302	\$ 130,824,101	\$ 433,192
Pleasant	2	\$ 533,440	\$ 266,720
Scipio	1	\$ 575,000	\$ 575,000
Springfield	13	\$ 3,821,152	\$ 293,935
St. Joseph	76	\$ 34,431,238	\$ 453,043
Washington	81	\$ 25,425,950	\$ 313,901
Wayne	60	\$ 10,726,002	\$ 178,767
ADAMS COUNTY	73	\$18,398,609	\$ 252,036
DEKALB COUNTY	116	\$44,278,642	\$ 381,712
HUNTINGTON COUNTY	76	\$28,887,822	\$ 380,103
WELLS COUNTY*	45	\$1,531,998	\$ 383,000
WHITLEY COUNTY	68	\$24,254,604	\$ 356,685
	1573	\$ 581,354,912	\$ 1,554,425

^{*\$} not provided by jurisdiction



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Inside Back Facing \$1,650

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- Logo placement on all TV spots over a two-week span
- Logo and sponsorship mention on all print advertising, including placement on guidebook cover (\$1,500 value)
- Logo and sponsorship mention on HBAfortwayne.com linking directly to your website (\$1,000 value)
- Recognition on HBA social media thanking you for your sponsorship and linking to your website (\$250 value)
- CONNECTIONS magazine and Weekly Update e-newsletter mentions from time of sign-up through end of the event (\$200 value)
- Your business will serve as a point of distribution for the official Guidebook, driving traffic to your location (\$250 value)
- Six month ad schedule in CONNECTIONS magazine 1/4-page, full-color (3.75" wide by 4.5" tall) (\$430 value), or \$430 value applied to a larger ad

For questions and assistance with registering or invoicing, please contact elise@hbafortwayne.com (260) 420-2020



1. Basic Ranch on Slab

1,414 sq. ft. of living area, 656 sq. ft. garage

Price Summary	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24	Jan-25	Jan-24	Jan-23
Framing	\$ 18,165	\$ 18,104	\$ 17,872	\$ 17,592	\$ 17,036	\$ 16,885	\$ 16,793	\$ 16,777	\$ 17,037	\$ 17,005	\$ 17,329	\$ 18,559
Roof	\$ 4,644	\$ 4,704	\$ 4,704	\$ 4,644	\$ 4,644							
Exterior Doors	\$ 679	\$ 684	\$ 679	\$ 679								
Garage Doors	\$ 743	\$ 751										
Drywall	\$ 2,976	\$ 2,976	\$ 2,976	\$ 3,071	\$ 2,976	\$ 2,976						
Interior Doors	\$ 3,365	\$ 3,370	\$ 3,365	\$ 3,365								
Interior Trim	\$ 2,909	\$ 2,909	\$ 2,909	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,907	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,908	\$ 2,909	\$ 2,911
Final Material	\$ 598											
Garage Door Oper.	\$ 322	\$ 332	\$ 322	\$ 322								
Total	\$ 34,402	\$ 34,340	\$ 34,109	\$ 33,921	\$ 33,365	\$ 33,215	\$ 33,122	\$ 33,106	\$ 33,426	\$ 33,416	\$ 33,565	\$ 34,806

2. Basic 2-Story on Slab

2,080 sq. ft. of living area, 500 sq. ft. garage

Price Summary	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24	Jan-25	Jan-24	Jan-23
Framing	\$ 25,348	\$ 25,330	\$ 25,012	\$ 26,040	\$ 23,801	\$ 23,632	\$ 23,624	\$ 23,685	\$ 23,975	\$ 23,910	\$ 24,966	\$ 26,422
Roof	\$ 4,096	\$ 4,257	\$ 4,257	\$ 4,096	\$ 4,096							
Drywall	\$ 4,192	\$ 4,192	\$ 4,192	\$ 4,192	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,318	\$ 4,192	\$ 4,192
Exterior Doors	\$ 1,653	\$ 1,674	\$ 1,653	\$ 1,653								
Exterior Trim	\$ 3,020											
Garage Doors	\$ 743	\$ 751										
Final Material	\$ 1,653	\$ 749										
Interior Doors	\$ 1,701	\$ 1,733	\$ 1,733	\$ 1,737	\$ 1,701	\$ 1,701						
Interior Trim	\$ 5,202	\$ 5,202	\$ 5,202	\$ 5,148	\$ 9,505	\$ 9,833	\$ 9,833	\$ 9,906	\$ 9,906	\$ 9,906	\$ 5,148	\$ 5,148
Garage Door Oper.	\$ 322	\$ 332	\$ 322	\$ 322								
Fireplace	\$ 1,686	\$ 1,686	\$ 1,686	\$ 1,619	\$ 1,686	\$ 1,686	\$ 1,733	\$ 1,737	\$ 1,737	\$ 1,733	\$ 1,619	\$ 1,607
Total	\$ 49,615	\$ 48,693	\$ 48,375	\$ 49,283	\$ 51,594	\$ 51,752	\$ 51,792	\$ 51,962	\$ 52,413	\$ 52,379	\$ 48,209	\$ 49,660

3. Custom Ranch with Walkout Basement & Screened Porch

3,034 sq. ft. living area with finished basement, 598 sq. ft. garage

Price Summary	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24	Jan-25	Jan-24	Jan-23
Framing	\$ 40,717	\$ 40,756	\$ 40,469	\$ 40,226	\$ 39,370	\$ 39,432	\$ 39,277	\$ 39,393	\$ 39,506	\$ 39,502	\$ 40,532	\$ 45,295
Roof	\$ 4,361	\$ 4,451	\$ 4,451	\$ 4,361	\$ 4,361							
Exterior Doors	\$ 2,854	\$ 2,876	\$ 2,854	\$ 2,854								
Garage Doors	\$ 931	\$ 939										
Fireplace	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,001	\$ 4,007	\$ 4,007	\$ 4,007	\$ 4,007	\$ 4,001	\$ 3,313
Deck	\$ 10,595	\$ 10,591	\$ 10,591	\$ 10,591	\$ 9,328	\$ 9,328	\$ 9,328	\$ 7,877	\$ 7,877	\$ 7,877	\$ 10,398	\$ 10,755
Drywall	\$ 5,740	\$ 5,740	\$ 5,740	\$ 5,921	\$ 5,740	\$ 5,740						
Exterior Trim	\$ 1,363											
Interior Trim	\$ 10,745	\$ 10,752	\$ 10,705	\$ 10,705								
Interior Doors	\$ 5,937	\$ 5,937	\$ 5,937	\$ 5,893	\$ 5,893	\$ 5,937	\$ 5,937	\$ 5,937	\$ 6,933	\$ 6,938	\$ 5,903	\$ 5,903
Final Material	\$ 911											
Garage Door Oper.	\$ 322	\$ 332	\$ 322	\$ 322								
Total	\$ 88,477	\$ 88,512	\$ 88,225	\$ 88,120	\$ 86,000	\$ 86,105	\$ 85,955	\$ 84,620	\$ 85,819	\$ 85,861	\$ 88,021	\$ 92,460

4. Custom 2-Story with Walkout Basement & Screened Porch

4,081 sq. ft. living area with finished basement, 562 sq. ft. garage

Price Summary	Apr-24		May-24		Jun-24		Jul-24		Aug-24		Sep-24		Oct-24		Nov-24		Dec-24		Jan-25		Jan-24		Jan-23	
Framing	\$	45,107	\$	45,071	\$	44,575	\$	43,868	\$	43,145	\$	43,119	\$	43,123	\$	43,695	\$	43,847	\$ 43,690	\$	45,581	\$	54,965	
Roof	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	\$	5,856	\$ 5,856	\$	5,660	\$	5,660	
Exterior Doors	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	\$ 1,757	\$	1,743	\$	1,743	
Garage Doors	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,015	\$ 1,015	\$	1,015	\$	1,023	
Drywall	\$	6,641	\$	6,641	\$	6,641	\$	6,847	\$	6,847	\$	6,847	\$	6,847	\$	6,847	\$	6,847	\$ 6,847	\$	6,641	\$	6,641	
Exterior Trim	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	\$ 4,390	\$	4,390	\$	4,390	
Deck	\$	6,724	\$	6,770	\$	6,770	\$	6,770	\$	6,223	\$	6,192	\$	6,192	\$	5,986	\$	5,986	\$ 5,986	\$	6,775	\$	7,193	
Interior Doors	\$	11,381	\$	11,381	\$	11,381	\$	11,033	\$	11,033	\$	11,381	\$	11,381	\$	11,381	\$	12,633	\$ 12,638	\$	10,910	\$	10,910	
Interior Trim	\$	8,514	\$	8,514	\$	8,508	\$	12,536	\$	12,525	\$	12,525	\$	12,473	\$	12,473	\$	12,508	\$ 12,509	\$	8,565	\$	8,545	
Final Material	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$	522	\$ 522	\$	522	\$	522	
Garage Door Oper.	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$	322	\$ 332	\$	322	\$	322	
Fireplace	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$	5,779	\$ 5,779	\$	5,559	\$	5,549	
Total	\$	97,797	\$	97,808	\$	97,305	\$	100,485	\$	99,204	\$	99,494	\$	99,446	\$	99,813	\$	101,449	\$ 101,322	\$	97,682	\$	107,463	



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