

Eligibility rules for the RDB 2008 Excellence Awards

- Projects considered for *RDB's* 2008 Excellence Awards must have been completed between Jan. 1, 2006 and April 16, 2008.
- All previous *RDB* Excellence Awards winners (including 2003, 2004 and 2005 Leading Design/Build Firm winners) are eligible.
- Remodeling projects of any kind are not eligible. Only 100% new construction projects (including total teardowns) will be considered.
- Projects must be built. Architectural drawings alone are not eligible. Design-only firms can enter their plans/drawings, as long as the project is built, even if by another company. Photographs of the completed project must be submitted to be eligible.
- Entry of a single project under more than one category is permitted as long as each entry meets each of a particular category's standards. For example, you may enter a house in the Custom Home Less Than 3,000 sq.ft. category and enter that home's kitchen in the Kitchen category.
- Firms entering the 2008 Excellence Awards must perform at least some jobs that are 100% new residential construction. Firms whose revenue is generated 100% by remodeling work are not eligible.
- Projects from Canada and Mexico are eligible.
- Interior design firms are not eligible.
- A single-family-home development is eligible only if all homes in the development are custom.
- Entrants must submit electronic versions of all material including application, binder pages, and supporting material such as photographs, marketing material, drawings, etc., to be eligible.
- By submitting an application and entry binder an entrant acknowledges that wording from an application or binder might be used as submitted or in edited version as determined by RDB staff.