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**[Name] Earns Master Certified Green Professional Educational Designation**

**[CITY, DATE] – [Name]** has earned the Master Certified Green Professional (Master CGP) educational designation from the National Association of Home Builders, joining an elite group of professional home builders and remodelers who are experts in the field of sustainable construction.

**[Name]** is **[job title]** at **[company]**. **[Write short description of company here.]**

Master CGPs must have at least five years’ green building experience and have built or remodeled and certified at least three projects in a three-year period to a recognized local, state, or national green residential program to be eligible for the designation.

In addition, potential designees must successfully complete seven days of training on green building and business management as well as advanced courses that focus on green building science and project management .

The Master CGP training is conducted by leading building industry practitioners on the construction or renovation of a high-performance home. The curriculum includes techniques that incorporate energy, water and resource efficiency, improved indoor environmental quality, lot and site development and home owner education, always keeping cost-effectiveness in mind.

Master CGP graduates are required to maintain their designation by completing 12 hours of continuing education every three years and must continue to certify at least three projects during that same period.

“I am delighted to be honored with this designation,” said **[Name]**.“As a Master CGP, I can better serve home buyers **[*and/or home owners*]** in **[market area]** by providing more sustainable, livable homes.”

For additional information about the National Association of Home Builders’ green building program, visit www.nahbgreen.org. For more about **[company name]**, visit **[company website]**.