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DTE Executive Geri Nelson of Gladstone Named HBA of Michigan 2017 Associate of the Year

(Lansing, MI) - The Home Builders Association of Michigan (HBAM) has named **Geri Nelson** of **DTE Energy** as *2017 HBAM Associate of the Year*. The award recognizes outstanding service to HBA of Michigan, the industry and local community.

Nelson is a resident of the Upper Peninsula community of Gladstone. She is a member of three local HBAM boards; the HBA of the Upper Peninsula, the HBA of Northern Michigan and the HBA of the Grand Traverse Area. She is active as a member of the Professional Women in Building Councils in all three areas. Geri has been recognized as an Affiliate of the Year, Associate of the Year and Member of the Year within her various local HBA organizations.

Geri Nelson has also been engaged in homebuilder's political action committees at the state and national level. Nelson has also been very active in community affairs serving on the MDS Community Action Agency Governing Board of Directors, active in the Delta County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and active with the Michigan Bikers helping Veterans organization.

The Home Builders Association of Michigan is a professional trade association comprised of 24 local homebuilder associations around the state and their builder, subcontractor and supplier members. HBA of Michigan works to positively promote the building industry and impact legislative, regulatory and legal issues affecting housing affordability.

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