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# Michigan's 'Oscars' of Construction Awarded for 2023

**Grand Rapids, Mich., March 3, 2023** –The Associated General Contractors (AGC) of Michigan announced the winners of the 2023 Build Michigan Awards, the 'Oscars' of the industry, which recognize excellence in commercial construction throughout the state. Four projects and construction teams were bestowed awards during the AGC of Michigan's Annual Meeting Friday, March 3, 2023.

"The Build Michigan Awards represent the most outstanding commercial construction projects completed in our state each year," said Sam Clark, AGC Board Chair. "These projects help revitalize cities, improve our economy and contribute to our daily quality of life."

The awards recognize commercial construction projects in the categories of building construction, construction management, design-build, federal/heavy and environmental. Projects are judged on: meeting the challenge of a difficult job, excellence in project management, innovation in construction techniques, sensitivity to the environment, responsiveness to client needs, and the contractor's contribution to the community.

### **2023 AGC Build Michigan Award Winners:**

#### Construction Management category

Contractor: Granger Construction Company, Lansing

Project: University of Michigan Dental School, Ann Arbor

Owner: University of Michigan

Designer: SmithGroup

Contractor: O'Brien Construction Company, Troy
Project: Ruth Ellis Clairmont Center, Detroit

Owner: Ruth Ellis Center
Designer: Landon Bone Baker

**Design-Build category** 

Contractor: Gundlach Champion, Iron Mountain Project: The Honorable Distillery, Marquette Owner: Buffalo Dragon Investments
Designer: Integrated Designs, Inc.

Contractor: Barton Malow/Christman Constructors, Lansing??
Project: McLaren Greater Lansing Replacement Hospital

Owner: McLaren Health System

Designer: Harley Ellis Devereaux and Gresham Smith Partners

#### **TAGS**

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### **PHOTOS & VIDEO**

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