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FRYE BUILDERS & ASSOCIATES, INC. WINS ABC OF IOWA AWARD

Frye Builders & Associates, Inc. received a prestigious construction award from Associated Builders and Contractors of Iowa during the association's annual Excellence in Construction banquet held recently in West Des Moines.

Frye Builders & Associates, Inc. was recognized with a **2007 Award of Merit** in the General Construction – Commercial & Institutional (New) \$2 Million - \$5 Million The award was presented based on the company's work on Heritage Woods Senior Housing – Aledo, IL. Criteria for the award included complexity of the project, attractiveness, unusual challenges, innovation, safety, and budget compliance.

"Each year, this competition raises the bar for merit shop contractors. This year's award winning projects represent what merit shop contractors have to offer – projects of the highest quality, built safely, on-time, and within budget," said ABC of Iowa President and CEO Greg Spenner.

Associated Builders and Contractors of Iowa is a non-profit construction trade association that represents over 400 member firms throughout the state. The association represents general contractors, subcontractors, suppliers and associates. ABC of Iowa fosters an environment in which commercial and industrial contractors deliver high-quality, economical, safe and on-time construction. The association is the premier provider of construction education to enhance technicians' skills and to increase workforce safety. Merit shop contractors perform more than 75 percent of today's construction projects.