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**Home Builders Association Donates More Than \$6,000 to
North Grand Neighborhood Services**



2010 HBA President Sean Flower of Flower & Fendler, Inc. (left) presented a \$6,445 donation to Howard McAuliffe, executive director of North Grand Neighborhood Services (center), and Father Gary Meier, president of the board of directors of North Grand Neighborhood Services, on behalf of the Home Builders Charitable Foundation.

The donation will be used to partially fund a new home being built by North Grand Neighborhood Services on Garfield in North St. Louis for a single father who has already qualified for a home loan. The organization has built two other new homes on the block and has rehabbed nine others in the surrounding neighborhood. The mission of North Grand Neighborhood Services is to help stabilize the North St. Louis City community through housing development and community programs and services.

The HBA is a local trade association of more than 800 member firms representing the residential construction industry. The Home Builders Charitable Foundation, the HBA's charitable arm, is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing housing assistance to people or organizations with special shelter needs.

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