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**Builders Association of Northern Nevada Member Appointed to State Contractors Board**

**Reno, Nev.** – The Builders Association of Northern Nevada is pleased to announce Mike Efstratis, of Tanamera Commercial Development, has been appointed to the Nevada State Contractors Board.

Efstratis is Vice President and Construction Manager at Tanamera and oversees all company construction, both residential and commercial. He is a licensed General Contractor in the state of Nevada and has more than 25 years of experience in the construction industry.

Efstratis joins Southern Nevada home builder Randy Schaefer as one of two homebuilders to bring residential construction experience to the board.

“We are delighted that Mike (Efstratis) has been appointed to the board,” said Bambi Spahr, Executive Director Builders Association of Northern Nevada. “He brings a wealth of experience a board that is critical to our industry as well as more representation for Northern Nevada.”

**About The Builders:**

*The Builders Association of Northern Nevada is the “Voice of the Building Industry” in the region. Chartered in 1956, The Builders is a non-profit entity affiliated with the National Association of Home Builders and is committed to providing education, information, representation and benefits to their membership. The Builders gives back to the community in the form of scholarships and through its charitable arm, the Builders Association Charity. As the residential construction industry, The Builders members significantly*

*contribute to the success of the local economy. In 2006, the construction of single and multifamily homes generated more than \$908.9 million in local income and 19,050 jobs in Washoe County. Information about the Builders Association of Northern Nevada is located on their website at [www.thebuilders.com](http://www.thebuilders.com).*

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