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Killingworth, Connecticut – Doug Buttendorf is the sole proprietor of Buttendorf Building & Remodeling (BBR). A third generation builder, Doug takes pride in delivering excellent customer service, honest, competitive pricing, and quality construction. Andrew Buttendorf, Doug's son, joined the company four years ago spanning the Buttendorf Builder name into a fourth generation. Doug, as the owner of a full-service, general contracting company specializing in residential remodeling, BBR offers design assistance, free estimates, superior craftsmanship, comprehensive scheduling and ultimately client satisfaction.

The Buttendorf family name has been serving Fairfield County since the 1940s when Doug's father learned the trade from his father-in-law and also watched his own father, who was an architect. Doug's brother is a builder in upstate Vermont, and his sister - now retired - owned a construction business in northwestern Connecticut for many years. Each of them have run their own businesses in the building and remodeling arena.

Doug's career began in 1974 after his high school graduation in Redding, Connecticut. He worked in the trade prior to graduation and learned from his father's many projects. Upon his father's retirement, Doug continued learning the trade with his eldest brother and built homes in Bethel, Newtown and Easton while performing numerous remodeling projects throughout Fairfield County. In the early eighties Doug focused his energy on his own projects and established relationships with several excellent architectural firms. Ten years after his graduation, Doug started his own company which stayed focused on residential work, improved design and high construction standards. Shoreline construction quickly became a specialty as BBR constructed two homes in Milford and numerous residential reconstructions along coastal areas including the elevation of homes in flood areas.

Doug's favorite projects are architecturally-designed, which involves a high standard of quality and detail. Some very large, and some small, but loaded with details, materials and professional design qualities. Many of these projects are in the Southport, and Greenfield Hill areas of Fairfield and many other projects are in the Westport and Weston Areas. It is the quality of building construction, experience and process that brings Doug professional pleasure.

Part of BBR's success is the implicit honesty Doug conveys. In addition, the attention to detail showcased by each member of the BBR team is evident in each project. BBR works with architects, surveyors, planning and zoning officials, and most importantly, the homebuilder to ensure promises are kept. BBR employs numerous subcontractors for every trade required for any residential project. Many contractors have been with BBR for years for the simple fact that they uphold BBR's standards - not only as tradesmen but also with their business ethics. The companies BBR works with offer longevity and hold the same interest - please our clients with quality and service, and obtain referrals for our future work.

BBR has been in business for over 22 years and continues to commit to projects that offer a challenge and an aesthetically pleasing outcome whether for a neighborhood, a family or an individual. BBR performs very well and are very competitive in high-end markets where quality and service are expected to be above typical remodeling or construction services. The best customer is one who has been through the - often unfortunate, challenging and disruptive - experience of construction; BBR changes these notions.

Doug is a member of the Homebuilder's Association, Remodelers Association, and Middlesex County Chamber of Commerce and the Better Business Bureau.

Doug lives with his wife, Irene, and two children, Jackie and Kelsey in Killingworth, CT. As a long time resident of the Middlesex County area, the Buttendorfs enjoy the sense of history, nature and solitude and intend to incorporate those elements into the Cranberry Meadows' project.

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