VILLA DECOR of GRAND RAPIDS, MI Awarded Best Of Houzz 2017

Over 40 Million Monthly Unique Users Nominated Best Home Building, Remodeling and Design Professionals in North America and Around the World

[Grand Rapids, MI], **January 23, 2017** – Villa Decor of Grand Rapids, MI has won "Best Of Design on Houzz®, the leading platform for home remodeling and design. The well-respected interior design company was chosen by the more than 35 million monthly unique users that comprise the Houzz community from among more than one million active home building, remodeling and design industry professionals.

The Best Of Houzz is awarded annually in three categories: Design, Customer Service and Photography. Design award winners' work was the most popular among the more than 40 million monthly users on Houzz. Customer Service honors are based on several factors, including the number and quality of client reviews a professional received in 2016. Architecture and interior design photographers whose images were most popular are recognized with the Photography award. A "Best Of Houzz 2017" badge will appear on winners' profiles, as a sign of their commitment to excellence. These badges help homeowners identify popular and top-rated home professionals in every metro area on Houzz.

"I am again honored to receive this award!" said Amy Darooge, owner of Villa Decor. "Thank you to the Houzz community and to my clients, who made this possible!"

"We're so pleased to award Best of Houzz 2017 to this incredible group of talented and customer-focused professionals, including Villa Decor," said Liza Hausman, vice president of Industry Marketing for Houzz. "Each of these businesses was singled out for recognition by our community of homeowners and design enthusiasts for helping to turn their home improvement dreams into reality."

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About Villa Decor [Insert award winner name]

Amy Darooge is an Interior Designer based out of East Grand Rapids, Michigan. She has over 12 years experience and graduated with a degree in Interior Design from Kendall College Art and Design. She has worked on an array of projects ranging from lake home cottages in the Petoskey/Harbor Springs area, bed and breakfasts, bistros, restaurants, Parade of Homes showcases, remodels and new construction. In the past three years Amy has partnered with a builder in Northern Michigan to create Green Certified homes.

About Houzz

Houzz is the leading platform for home remodeling and design, providing people with everything they need to improve their homes from start to finish – online or from a mobile device. From decorating a small room to building a custom home and everything in

between, Houzz connects millions of homeowners, home design enthusiasts and home improvement professionals across the country and around the world. With the largest residential design database in the world and a vibrant community empowered by technology, Houzz is the easiest way for people to find inspiration, get advice, buy products and hire the professionals they need to help turn their ideas into reality. Headquartered in Palo Alto, CA, Houzz also has international offices in London, Berlin, Sydney, Moscow and Tokyo. Houzz and the Houzz logo are registered trademarks of Houzz Inc. worldwide. For more information, visit <u>houzz.com</u>.

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