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Poros Restaurant Awarded Crystal at the Master Builders' Association 2016 Building Excellence Awards

Verona, PA - A. Martini & Co. was honored at The Master Builders' Association (MBA) Construction Industry Evening of Excellence on Thursday, February 23, 2017, at the Heinz Field East Club. A. Martini & Co.'s project, Poros Restaurant, was selected as the best 'New Construction Under \$10M.' The architect was DLA+ Architecture and Interior Design.

Poros, which is part of the Big Y Restaurant Group, is located in the PPG building and faces Market Square. A. Martini & Co. constructed over 8,500sf of space, including the largest outdoor dining patio in Pittsburgh. The vision of this intricate Mediterranean restaurant also had to be designed and constructed with minimal impact on the iconic Philip Johnson designed PPG complex. All while activating an urban corner that has remained dark for decades after a number of unsuccessful retail ventures.

"We are very proud of our long-standing partnership with MBA and honored to be recognized by the construction industry for the work we are doing in the region," said Anthony Martini, President of A. Martini & Co. "We enjoyed collaborating with Yves [Carreau], The Big Y Restaurant Group, DLA+ Architecture, and all of the subcontractors that worked effortlessly to make this project a huge success."

Presented annually, the MBA's Building Excellence Awards are the highest and most sought-after commercial construction industry awards in our region.

For more information on Poros Restaurant and other A. Martini & Co. projects, visit:

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