

## **Custom Kitchens by John Wilkins Inc. of Oakland California Receives Houzz's 2013 'Best Of Houzz' Award**

### ***Annual Survey and Analysis of 11 Million Monthly Users Reveals Top-Rated U.S. Professionals***

**Palo Alto, California** -- January 22, 2013 – Custom Kitchens by John Wilkins Inc. of Oakland California has been awarded “Best Of Houzz” 2013 by Houzz, the leading online platform for residential remodeling and design. The 63 year old Design/Build firm was chosen by the more than 11 million monthly users that comprise the Houzz community.

The Houzz “Best Of Houzz” award for 2013 is given in two categories: *Customer Satisfaction* and *Design*. *Customer Satisfaction* award winners are based on homeowner members who rated their experience working with remodeling professionals in 12 categories ranging from architects, and interior designers to contractors and other residential remodeling professionals. *Design* award winners' work was the most popular among the community of 11 million monthly users, also known as “Houzzers,” who saved more than 124 million professional images of home interiors and exteriors to their personal ideabooks via the Houzz site, iPad/iPhone app and Android app.

**Custom Kitchens by John Wilkins Inc. is proud to have been selected by Houzz for this award. For over 60 years Custom Kitchens has been helping families and friends enjoy life and leisure in the home. Dedicated to excellence in design, exceptional craftsmanship, attention to detail and outstanding customer service, Custom Kitchens continues to be a leader in home remodeling in the San Francisco Bay Area.**

“Houzz provides homeowners with an in-depth, 360-degree view of building, remodeling and design professionals through images of their work, reviews and an opportunity to interact with them directly in the Houzz community,” said Liza Hausman, vice president of community. “We’re delighted to recognize **Custom Kitchens** among our “Best Of” professionals for design as judged by our community of homeowners and design enthusiasts who are actively remodeling and decorating their homes.”

With Houzz, homeowners can identify not only the top-rated professionals like **Custom Kitchens**, but also those whose work matches their own aspirations for their home. Homeowners can also evaluate professionals by contacting them directly on the Houzz platform, asking questions about their work and evaluating their responses to questions from others in the Houzz community.

#### **About Houzz**

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