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## 2026 MEDIA KIT | PUBLICATIONS

# **Your Home Design Connection in the Nation's Capital**

Homestyles Media, Inc. offers a variety of print and digital opportunities that engage the luxury market in the Washington, DC region. There is a large and diverse audience of upper income consumers with sophisticated tastes and a keen interest in fine design. Our high-style magazines offer a sophisticated environment suitable for building brand image and prompting luxury purchases.



Home & Design, published bi-monthly, takes readers into the region's finest homes, exploring the creativity and craftsmanship of top architects, interior designers, custom builders and landscape architects.



The annual *Idea Book* edition of *Home & Design* is a resource and planning tool that sparks homeowner enhancements to their luxury properties. Includes the annual *Home & Design Excellence Awards*.



Chesapeake Views, our semi-annual focus on Maryland's Chesapeake Bay region, explores fine homes and fine living on its appealing shoreline of nooks and crannies with water views

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## 2026 MEDIA KIT | CIRCULATION

# Home & Design

Home & Design is the most widely respected and best-known voice for fine home design in the DC-MD-VA region.



For more than 25 years, *Home & Design* has provided an ideal environment for luxury goods and professional home design services. We connect the local design community with the region's most affluent households by featuring inspiring home enhancements in sophisticated and lushly presented editorial features.

## CIRCULATION 60,000 TOTAL 48,000 Mailed

43,000 High-End Households, including all owners of million-dollar-homes earning \$500,000+

5,000 Design Trade, including members of AIA, ASID, IFDA, LCA, MBIA, NARI, NKBA, NVBIA

**12,000 Display** including prominent newsstands (airports, bookstores, supermarkets) and digital flipbook copies.

# These readers are the tastemakers and trendsetters who appreciate the very best in home design:

- Virtually all local consumers with household incomes in excess of \$500,000 and residing in a home valued over \$1 Million receive every issue.
- Most residential architects, interior designers, custom builders, landscape designers, high-end contractors and top realtors are a key part of our influential circulation. We are media partners with local chapters of AIA, ASID, MBIA, NKBA, NVBIA and PRO
- More copies are mailed directly to these affluent consumers and leading trade professionals than by any other local or national publication.

# **Engage the Most Affluent Homeowners in the Nation's Capital**

Home & Design delivers the wealthiest homeowners in the Baltimore-Washington corridor.

Our circulation includes many of the wealthiest counties in America.

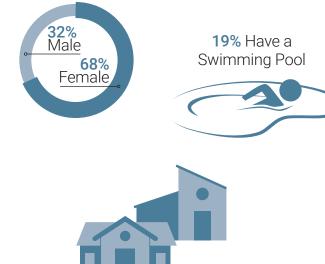
Source: U.S. Census

#### READER DEMOGRAPHICS









37% Own a 2nd Home

#### PREFERRED BY DESIGNERS

Which magazines do you read regularly?

Home & Des	ign		81%
Architectural Digest			60%
Washingtonian		49%	HOME DESIGN
House Beautiful		46%	aworldof
Veranda	30%		OR OF AMADO MARE AWARD DOWNING RATES (INSTANCE) OF ST
Elle Décor	29%		
DC Modern Luxury 14%			
Source: Reader Surv	vey, ASID-DC N	1embers	

#### WHAT READERS PLAN TO BUY

Bath Design	28%	Landscape Design	29%
Carpets & Flooring	29%	Lighting & Automation	20%
Cabinetry & Closet Design		Remodeling	23%
Kitchen Design & Appliances	29%	Window & Door Treatments	28%

### 60,000 COPIES IN ALL THE RIGHT PLACES

**43,000 High-End Households**, including all owners of million-dollar-homes earning \$500,000++

**5,000 Design Trade**, including members of AIA, ASID, IFDA, LCA, MBIA, NARI, NKBA, NVBIA

**12,000 Events** + airports, bookstores, supermarket chains, and digital flipbooks.

# **Special Features Deliver Special Attention**

All issues of our publications present special sections with fresh ideas and expert advice on topics of high interest to luxury-home owners.



### May/June (Late Spring)

Outdoor Spaces | Fine Furniture Showrooms | Remodeling Awards & Profiles (PRO-Mid-Atlantic)

Ad Deadline: Mar. 6 On Sale: May 6

#### **July/August (Summer)**

Interior Designer Spotlight

Ad Deadline: May 8 On Sale: July 8

### **January/February (Winter)**

Dream Kitchens | Organized Spaces Architecture Awards (AIA)

Ad Deadline: Nov. 14 On Sale: Jan. 13

### March/April (Spring)

Landscape Design Awards & Profiles (LCA) | Design/Build Awards Awards) | Luxury Baths | All Season (NVBIA)

Ad Deadline: Jan. 9 On Sale: Mar. 11

### September/October (Fall)

Architecture | Landscape Planning

Ad Deadline: July 3 On Sale: Sep. 2

#### November/December (Late Fall)

Remodeling Leaders (MBIA Landscapes

Ad Deadline: Sep. 18 On Sale: Nov. 18



#### SPECIAL EDITION

#### **CHESAPEAKE VIEWS (Spring)**

**Expert Spotlights** 

Home Design Resources Directory

Ad Deadline: Mar. 6 On Sale: May 6

#### SPECIAL EDITION

### **CHESAPEAKE VIEWS (Fall)**

**Expert Spotlights** Home Design Resources Directory

Ad Deadline: Sep. 18 On Sale: Nov. 18



#### ANNUAL SPECIAL EDITION

#### Idea Book (October)

Planner Sections: Architecture/ Build, Interiors, Kitchen+Bath, Landscape, Remodel.

Featuring the Home & Design Excellence Award Winners

Ad Deadline: Aug. 21 On Sale: Oct. 21

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# Idea Book Annual with Home & Design Excellence Awards

Home & Design's annual Idea Book edition is a year-long reference for future home improvement projects with focused Editorial Sections: Build, Interiors, Kitchen+Bath, Landscape and Remodel. The Home & Design Excellence Awards, announced in this issue, are referenced for smart design ideas.

CONTRACT Early August
MATERIALS Late August
IN MAILBOXES Early October
ON NEWSSTANDS Late October



The Home & Design Idea Book is a practical touchpoint with luxury home owners when they are enhancing the homes in which they have so much invested. From additions to full custom homes, from interior design to landscape design, the Idea Book offers sound advice and inspiring examples for creating a design vision and getting it done.

#### **CIRCULATION**

**65,000 TOTAL** (10,000 more than Home & Design issues at no extra cost) **55,000 Mailed** 

45,000 mailed primarily to million-dollar-home owners

5,000 mailed to the design trade

5,000 mailed every few months to recent homebuyers in residences valued at \$900,000+

**10,000 Public Display** in bookstores, select newsstands, design events and the Washington Design Center

#### **EDITORIAL SECTIONS**

**Build -** Where the talents of Architects and the craftsmanship of Master Builders are explored.

**Interiors -** We present Interior Designers' top choices for furnishings and accessories, carpets, and window treatments.

#### **SPECIAL FEATURES**

### **Expert Spotlight**

Your brand will stand out when we work with you to create a profile of your special expertise.

**Kitchen + Bath -** Top pros share new designs, surfaces and appliance choices. Where to spend and splurge.

**Landscape -** Do's and don'ts of eyepleasing plantings. Outdoor living features from stonescapes to pools.

**Remodel** - How to freshen existing spaces. Appealing exteriors, reorganized interiors, efficient closets, stylish lighting and home tech updates.

### Home & Design Excellence Awards

Our juried competition that showcases the finest regional work by home design professionals.

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# Chesapeake Views

The diversity and easy access of the Chesapeake Bay make it a prime lifestyle choice for DC, MD and VA consumers.

Published Semi-Annually
Deadline Mailed
SPRING Mid-March Late April
FALL Mid-September Late October



Chesapeake Views engages consumers whose proximity and income make them likely prospects for "luxury living on the Bay." Regular topics include home makeovers, design for water views, Eastern Shore travel and dining, and a Who's Who directory of home design specialists.

## CIRCULATION 40,000 TOTAL 37,000 Mailed

20,000 mailed to the most affluent households across the Chesapeake region, including Annapolis, Gibson Island and Eastern Shore towns.

17,000 mailed to homeowners in the wealthiest households with easy proximity to the Bay, including Georgetown and Chevy Chase in DC, Alexandria, Arlington and McLean in Virginia and Bethesda and Potomac in Maryland.

**3,000 Public Display** on newsstands and prominent locations, including:

- Annapolis Yacht Club
- Baltimore Yacht Club
- Blue Herron Golf Course
- Bodkin Yacht Club
- Eastport Yacht Club
- Governor Calvert House
- Hyatt Regency Resort

- Inn at Perry Cabin
- Marriott Waterfront Annapolis
- Maryland Inn
- Mercedes Benz of Annapolis
- Severn Sailing Association
- Tidewater Inn
- Westin Hotel Annapolis

Each issue of *Chesapeake Views* focuses on homes that take advantage of their scenic locations. Additional features include:

- Rooms With A View a peek inside nicely designed spaces that include a water vista
- Local Living practical advice on design for Bay-area homes
- Shore Style what's new for shopping, dining and getting away
- Who's Who a quick directory of resources for home enhancements

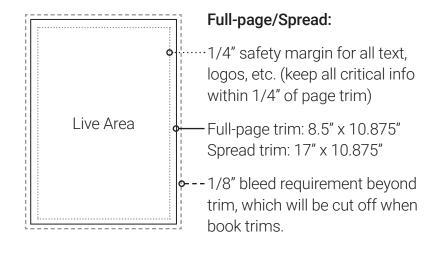
## 2026 MEDIA KIT | ADVERTISING SPECIFICATIONS

# Home & Design + Idea Book + Chesapeake Views

Submit your print-ready advertisement.

### **ADVERTISEMENT SIZES**

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<b>Spread</b> (facing pages) 17" x 10.875" Bleed: 17.25" x 11.125"; Live Area: 16.5" x 10.375"				
2/3 - Vertical	4.75" x 9.875"			
1/2 - Horizontal 1/2 - Vertical	7.375" x 4.812" 3.562" x 9.875"			
1/3 - Square 1/3 - Vertical	4.75" x 4.812" 2.375" x 9.875"			
1/4 - Vertical	3.562" x 4.812"			



### **AD MATERIALS DUE**

ISSUE	DEADLINE
January/February	Nov. 14, 2025
March/April	Jan. 9, 2026
May/June + Chesapeake Views	Mar. 6, 2026
July/August	May 8, 2026
September/October	July 3, 2026
Idea Book 2025	Aug. 21, 2026
November/December + Chesapeake Views	Sep. 18, 2026

### **SUBMIT PRINT-READY MATERIALS**

**Accepted File Formats:** PDF is preferred or jpg or tif.

All files must be 4-color process (CMYK) and minimum 300ppi at printed size.

Advertisements submitted without a SWOP3-standard proof waive the right to question color/reproduction. Upon request, a proof can be printed with a \$85 production charge added to your invoice.

Email files to **ftp@homeanddesign.com** or use a file transfer provider like **Wetransfer** or **Dropbox**.

# Common Problems to Avoid

Please check for these errors before submitting your advertisement:

- Incorrect dimensions
- Low-resolution images
- Images not CMYK or spot color/PMS used
- Position marks or color bars in the Live Area
- Full-page/Spread:
- Does not include 1/8" bleed beyond trim
- Content too close to trim of page

**Questions? Email** ftp@homeanddesign.com

## 2026 MEDIA KIT | SPECIAL ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES

## **Stand Out from the Crowd**

Home & Design offers a variety of options that can help your brand stand apart from the crowd.

### Ride-Along in Issue Polybag

Send your postcard, brochure, booklet or catalog with any issue of *Home & Design* for less than the cost of postage.

**Specifications:** Choose your zip codes (Minimum 10,000) or all (Maximum 53,000); Trim Size: 5" x 8" up to 8-1/4" x 10-3/4"

**Rate:** \$0.26 each for 2 pages (1 front + 1 back); add \$.02 for each addl. 2 pages. All-in-one-fee includes target list, mail handling, and postage.



#### ▲ Profile Article

Engage readers with a custom feature story about you and your work. We offer multiple opportunities annually for architects, builders, interior designers and landscape designers. Combine your Profile into a spread with your regular ad. Use reprints of your Profile as a hand-out to prospects and customers. Portrait photography assistance is available.



▲ Home & Design Excellence Awards
Sponsorships for annual awards event.



### **▲** Showroom Spotlight

Build valuable showroom traffic with a custom feature page that tells readers about your special collections, new products, staff expertise and other reasons to visit your business. We'll extend your visibility to social media as well: Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest and X (Formerly Twitter). We'll work with you to bring events to your location to help you build customer relationships.

#### Go Digital

When you place your print advertising in *Home & Design*, you can earn up to <u>50% off the cost</u> of our digital channels, including:

**HomeAndDesign.com** website ad units, ranging from \$200-\$600 per month

**Find A Pro** listing on homeanddesign.com, at \$75/month, is a must-presence for leaders in home design services

**To-The-Trade E-Mail Blasts** to our exclusive design list: 5,000 at \$800 each

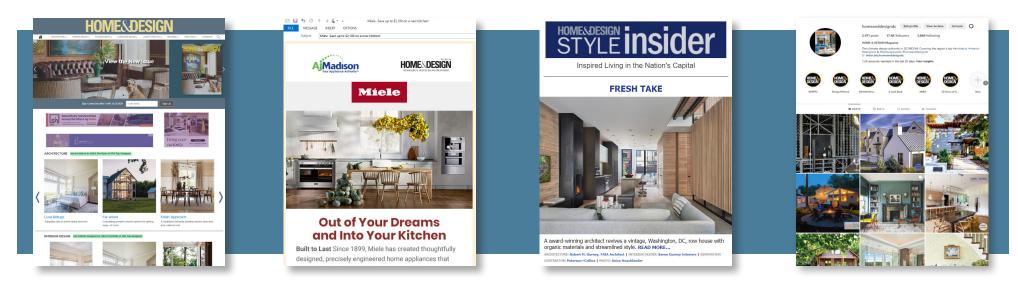
**Consumer E-Mail Blasts** to our regional design-conscious list of 20,000 at \$600 each

**Spotlight** in our bi-weekly *Style Insider* eNewsletter to 22,000 regional design-conscious consumers at \$400 each

**Social Media Blitz:** One day on each major platform at \$295

# **Digital Options Enhanced by Print Credibility**

We offer a variety of options that target the DESIGN TRADE and/or AFFLUENT CONSUMERS. Our digital messaging options build on the strong credibility and visibility of our print products.



## Website

### HomeAndDesign.com

All roads lead to this website filled with resources and wisdom from decades of issues of Home & Design Magazine. Fully searchable by design interest, it is an invaluable tool for homeowners in the mid-Atlantic region who are searching for design resources and home enhancement ideas. Includes FIND A PRO search function.

## **Email**

Speak directly to the home design trade or design conscious consumers with your own email message.

## **E-Newsletter**

The Home & Design Style Insider
E-Newsletter is sent semi-monthly
to both trade and consumer
followers. Each issue features
smartly designed homes and
local designers and resources.
Max of three spotlight advertising
messages in each edition.

## **Social**

We post daily to followers on social media platforms Instagram, X (Formerly Twitter), Facebook and Pinterest. We regularly support our advertising partners with posts and custom messaging can be created to support your brand.

## 2026 MEDIA KIT | DIGITAL ADVERTISING SPECIFICATIONS

#### Website

#### Leaderboard

- · Click to URL
- Image (size/format):
  - 728 x 90 pixels (horizontal)
  - RGB, 72 ppi, jpg or png
  - Provide separate image to display on mobile: 300 x 250 pixels (horizontal)

#### Box

- · Click to URL
- Image (size/format):
  - 300 x 250 pixels (horizontal)
  - RGB, 72 ppi, jpg or png

#### Carousel

- · Click to URL
- Image (size/format):
  - 400 x 400 pixels (horizontal)
  - RGB, 150 ppi, jpg or png
- Text:
- Company Name
- Deck/Tagline (15 words maximum)

#### **E-Mail Blast**

- · Click to URL
- Image (size/format):
  - at least 600 pixels wide
  - RGB, 150 ppi, jpg or png
- Text:
- Subject Line, Company Name, Headline, and Display Text (50 words maximum)
- Want to provide email-ready design?
   Provide HTML or a Click to URL and artwork:
   RGB, 150 ppi, jpg or png, (600 pixels minimum width) x 1700 pixels (max height)

### **E-Newsletter Spotlight**

- Click to URL
- Image Size/Format:
  - 400 x 600 pixels (horizontal)
- RGB, 150 ppi, jpg or png
- Text:
- Company Name, Headline and Display Text (50 words maximum)

#### **Find-A-Pro Resource Listing**

- Logo and Up to 12 Display Images
- Image (size/format):
- 400 x 600 pixels (horizontal or vertical)
- RGB, 150 ppi, jpg or png
- Text:
- Company Name
- About Us Depiction (75 words maximum)
- Public Phone, Email, and Click to URL
- Social Media (username or URL): Instagram, Facebook, X (Formerly Twitter), Pinterest
- Public Address or City/State only if you want to keep location private.
- Have multiple locations? Provide a Click to URL to your website's locations-page.

#### **Social Media**

### **Instagram Post**

- · Company Instagram handle
- Company name
- Project Description
- Photography and collaborators credits
- Image Quantity: One to ten
- · Image dimensions:
  - Landscape: 1080x566 pixels (1.91:1 ratio)
  - Portrait: 1080x1350 pixels (4:5 ratio)
  - Square: 1080x1080 pixels (1:1 ratio)

#### **Instagram Story**

- Include relevant text, URL link (optional) and photography credit
- Image dimensions: 1080x1920 pixels (9:16 ratio)
- Minimum width: 500 pixels

#### Instagram Reel

- Aspect ratio: 1.91:1 and 9:16
- Include relevant text and photography credit
- Frame Rate Minimum: 30 FPS
- Minimum resolution: 720 pixels

#### Facebook

- · Image dimensions:
- Square: 1080x1080 (1:1 ratio)
- Portrait: 1080x1350 (4:5 ratio
- Stories and reels: 1080x1080 pixels

### X (Formerly Twitter)

- · Image dimensions:
- Landscape: 1600x900 pixels (minimum 600x335)
- Square: 1080x1080 pixels (1:1 ratio)
- Portrait: 1080x1350 pixels (16:9 ratio)

#### **Pinterest**

Image size: 735x1102 pixels (2:3 ratio)

## 2026 MEDIA KIT | SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES

# **Become a SPONSOR of Design Excellence**

The Home & Design Excellence Award is the most sought-after recognition in the DMV design community. Leading firms in architecture, custom design, interior design, landscape design and remodeling compete for awards for their best work. An independent panel of judges makes the selections and the design community gathers for an awards presentation and gala celebration in early October. It's the best industry networking opportunity of the year.

Sponsors of the awards receive recognition as prime sources and supporters of superior residential design. The Awards Gala event is a high-impact opportunity to connect with leading design pros and to position your brand with the best!

# PRESENTING Sponsor Benefits @ \$7500 Part A

- "Design Excellence Awards Presented by (Sponsor Name Here)
- Presenting Sponsor on all communications from entry stage to awards event
- Extra page in Awards Program (2 total)
- 6 Comp Tickets to Event
- Category Exclusivity

#### Part B

- · Sponsor Logo on all communications
- Recognition from Event podium
- Page Ad in Awards Program
- Option for video loop on-screen at Event

#### Part C

- Roster of Design Excellence Supporters displayed at the event
- Roster of Design Excellence Supporters included in Awards Program
- Design Excellence Sponsor Recognition in after-event coverage in *Home & Design*
- · Recognition in social media coverage
- In-Gala availability of your promotional item (Exit Gift Table)

# **GOLD Sponsor Benefits** @ \$4500 All of Part B and Part C plus

• 4 Comp Tickets to Event

# **EVENT Sponsor Benefits** @ \$2500 All of Part C plus

- Choose your event activity from: Music/Wine Bar/Floral Display/Awards Program/Dessert
- 2 Comp Tickets to Event
- Page Ad in printed Awards Program

# **DESIGN EXCELLENCE Supporter Benefits** @ \$1500

#### All of Part C

• 1 Comp Ticket to Event







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