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The **GREEN GIANTS** award program honors the work of trades people, educators, and owners who help build, teach about, envision and fund the green buildings in Hampshire, Hampden, Franklin, and Berkshire counties. This program is intentionally distinct from other building design awards in its attempt to honor a wider range of participants behind the sustainable building movement in our region. We choose in this program to call them “Green Giants”.



We invite you to nominate the “Green Giants” you know from any of these three categories:  
(click on the links to submit an on-line nomination)

1. **Trades Person:** any individual or firm from any building trade, or a building maintenance professional who has gone the extra mile to ensure that a building (or campus) meets its sustainability goals.
2. **Educator:** any teacher, administrator, institution, or organization behind an innovative green building program that inspires and actively teaches the design students, engineers, trades people and citizens who will in their turn advance our green building revolution.
3. **Owner:** any owner or institution that has envisioned and funded an exemplary green project initiated after January 2010, or currently underway. The selected project should showcase innovative solutions to energy use reduction, as well as sustainable design ingenuity to the community.

Nominations will be accepted thru Friday, October 13, 2017.

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