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Deadline Extended for GCA 'Best Garden Center Bathrooms' Competition, All Entries Due July 15, 5 p.m. EDT

CLEARWATER, FL – Garden Centers of America (GCA) just announced the deadline for entries to the 2016 Best Garden Center Bathroom Awards has been extended to July 15, 5 p.m. EDT.

Now in their sixth year, the awards recognize IGC retailers whose restrooms contribute to the store's favorable shopping experience. Independent garden centers are encouraged to submit their garden center bathrooms, including, but not limited, to recent renovations and remodels, for this prestigious juried competition.

The winner of the top honor, the Gold Award, will receive a plaque and one free registration for next year's GCA Summer Tour 2017. Other recognitions will include a Silver Award and several Awards of Merit, honored with plaques.

To enter the competition, garden centers should send several photos of their store bathrooms, saved in jpeg file format, along with a brief paragraph about the bathrooms, the concept behind the designs and their benefits to the garden center. This information, along with the name of the store and key contact, address, phone and e-mail address, should be e-mailed to:

BestBathrooms@GardenCentersofAmerica.com.

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