

LOCAL FIRMS TO CREATE, COMPETE IN CANSTRUCTION®
Annual Event Calls Attention to Hunger,
Donates to Greater Cleveland Food Bank

Cleveland, OH -- On Thursday evening March 19, 2015, eleven teams of architects, engineers, contractors, and designers participated in the 10th anniversary of **Canstruction® Cleveland** at Beachwood Place Mall. With the theme of “Childhood Board Games”, teams designed and built structures made entirely of full cans of food. At the end of the exhibit, all cans were donated to the Greater Cleveland Food Bank during their Harvest for Hunger Campaign assisting local families in Northeast Ohio. Through combined Canstruction Cleveland and Canstruction Jr efforts, over 30,000 pounds and an additional check for \$3,000 was donated from the event this year.

The completed structures were judged and awards were presented to the following teams:

Jurors' Favorite	Domokur Architects	“Escape the Trap of Hunger”
Best Meal	USGBC Emerging Professionals	“Hungry Hippos”
Best Use of Labels	ka	“Lost Can’d Found”
CanSpirit (most cans)	GPD Group	“Battle Hunger”
Honorable Mention	vocon	“Don’t Break the Ice”
People’s Choice	Bialosky + Partners	“Monopolizing Hunger”
Structural Ingenuity	Herschman Architects	“We Can Trap Hunger”

Thank you to the following teams who also participated:

A.M. Higley, HSB Architects and Engineers, K2M Design, and ThenDesign Architecture

Founded in 1992, Canstruction® is a unique food drive created by the Society for Design Administration (SDA) to call national attention to hunger. Events are held annually in more than 150 cities and have grown to become one of the largest and most consistent canned food contributors to food banks around the world.

If you would like more information on how to form a team, volunteer, or sponsor next year’s **Canstruction® Cleveland** event please contact the Canstruction Cleveland Planning Committee at canstruction@herschmanarchitects.com or 216-223-3202.