



Project Manager Spotlight: Gordon Tully



CARB projects dot the map across the U.S., and Gordon Tully, one of **Steven Winter Associates'** **CARB** project managers, has been involved (directly or indirectly) with most of them. An architect with experience in designing and detailing homes for energy conservation and comfort, Tully joined **SWA** in 1996 and first became involved with **CARB** through the **Ryan** townhouses built in Frederick, Maryland, providing support for the redesign of the units. From

there, Tully took (and continues to take) the lead in **CARB's** work with **Del Webb**, completing a prototype at the Sun City Grand development in Phoenix, Arizona. He has also worked with **Wonderland Custom Builders** on the Aimee Sporer Signature House for the Metro Denver Parade of Homes, and now Highland Garden Village. Tully has had a hand in other **CARB** efforts with **Nationwide Homes**, **McStain Enterprises**, and **Beazer Homes**, "designing, criticizing, and helping to focus," as he describes his role. For Tully, one of the most important of **CARB's** achievements in the **Building America Program** has been the development of an integrated package of improvements for air-conditioned homes, the elements of which reinforce each other and help to save construction costs, making it less likely for the builder to cut components. "The package makes sense to builders because it approaches zero extra cost," says Tully, and it meets the program's energy goals.



CARB in the Press

The September/October issue of *Building Systems* magazine carries an article on **Nationwide Homes'** 40th Anniversary model, the Heritage. A report on a presentation on **CARB's** systems approach to design and construction by **SWA's** William Zoeller during the Automated Builders conference in Wichita, Kansas, was featured in the September issue of *Automated Builder*. An article on **McStain Enterprise's** environmental test houses appeared in the September issue of *Environmental Building News*. *California Structures* magazine profiled the **CARB/Beazer** prototype, the Carbury, in its May/June issue. And the **CARB/Mitchell** house, the Carbelle, appeared in the September/October issue of *Environmental Design & Construction*.

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