

# C H A P T E R NEWSLETTER

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#### **WELCOME**

We are pleased to announce the relaunch of our NKBA Ontario Chapter newsletter. This newsletter is designed to keep you informed of Chapter events, important member announcements and NKBA Approved CEU events.

If you have any announcements or you are hosting an NKBA Approved CEU event email your information to jsasaki@distinctive-online.com, please note you are responsible for the copy.

# GRASS CANADA IS MOVING INTO A BRAND NEW, STATE OF THE ART, GREENER BUILDING.

President Nadja Mann announces that the company will be relocating in the Spring of 2020, to a new facility 3 times its current size. The new building, currently under construction, is around the corner of GRASS Canada's present location.



Our business has grown

exponentially in Canada and we need to be able to better service our customers with more warehouse and showroom space, says Mann.

GRASS has been creating products, innovations and solutions which inspire its customers worldwide for more than 70 years. GRASS slide and drawer systems, hinges and flaps are brand name products that move the furniture of prestigious brands.

GRASS continually develops cost-effective solutions in the development of its products and actively encourages the recycling of hardware. Environmentally friendly power is generated by the company's own natural gas combined heating and power system at the plant.

The new building fits in with the value and principles of the company and exceeds the Canada Green Building standards in development.



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## CEU EVENT: SUSTAINABLE KITCHEN DESIGN SOLUTION FOR SINKS

Join us at My Design Studio for CEU "Sustainable Kitchen Design Solutions for Sinks" Presented by Heather Ferris of InSinkerator Canada

Designers will learn about the sink appliances that should be considered when designing a "green" kitchen, beginning with the different types of in-home water purification systems and how to select a delivery system that fits client needs. Participants will also learn to consider the household



and community waste management process that impact kitchen design and how food waste, when sent through plumbing to wastewater treatment facilities, can be turned into renewable power and beneficial fertilizer for farmers, landscapers and home gardens.

Thursday June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 | 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm Location: 20 Hanlan Rd, Woodbridge

To register email heather.ferris@emerson.com or 647-376-5134 by June 12th.

#### NKBA SPECIALTY BADGE PROGRAM

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