David Weekley Homes acquires builder T.W. Lewis, enters Phoenix market *The builder, based out of Houston, announced Thursday that it acquired T.W. Lewis*

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David Weekley Homes, the nation's third largest privately held home builder, has acquired luxury home builder T.W. Lewis and its Phoenix market assets.

T.W. Lewis has a solid, 20-year reputation of delivering a quality home with attention to detail and customer satisfaction. It is a recognized leader in the greater Phoenix home building industry, and has completed over 5,000 luxury homes in some of the most sought-after communities. The company's commitment to product quality and customer service has earned T.W. Lewis several national awards, including the National Housing Quality Gold Award in 2009 and America's Best Builder Award in 1998.

"This partnership, with a leader like Tom Lewis, marks incredible growth potential for both companies," says David Weekley, Chairman of David Weekley Homes. "We are proud to join forces with a home builder who values Customer satisfaction, Design excellence and is a proven leader in the Phoenix market. I look forward to working alongside Tom Lewis and his Team to build exceptional homes and expand our presence in the Phoenix market."

"This agreement provides for the transition of leadership and future growth of our respected brand in the Phoenix marketplace," said Tom Lewis, owner and CEO of T.W. Lewis Company. "We could not have found a better partner who is more closely aligned with our core values, operating philosophy, and commitment to great product design, quality and customer service."

All current T.W. Lewis Team Members will stay intact and the company will soon begin building homes under the name: T.W. Lewis Collection built by David Weekley Homes.

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