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**AMERICAN HOME FURNISHINGS HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE VIDEO
RECEIVES A GOLD TELLY AWARD**

HIGH POINT, N.C., June 27, 2019 – A video about American Home Furnishings Hall of Fame inductee Allen Gant Jr. of Glen Raven Inc. received a national Gold Telly Award for excellence in video and television across all screens. The video, produced by Elements Studio, was a winner in the Non-Broadcast: Not-for-Profit category of the 40th Annual Telly Awards.

“The video presents a concise and compelling look into the passion, vision and leadership style of Mr. Gant and the mark that Glen Raven and Sunbrella have made on the industry, his communities and the world,” said David Gebhart, Hall of Fame Foundation president. “We are proud to partner with a nationally recognized and highly innovative video team like Elements Studio, which has now produced more than 20 inductee videos for us.”

Elements Studio is an award-winning, independent, commercial video and photography studio with production facilities in High Point. Serving a diverse client base, Elements fulfills marketing, branding and promotional needs through the creation of innovative still and motion imagery. Elements works directly with clients or their agencies and covers local, regional, national and international markets. The *American Home Furnishings Hall of Fame: Inductee Allen Gant Jr.* video marked the company’s 16th Telly Award.

“Elements Studio is pushing the boundaries for video and television innovation and creativity at a time when the industry is rapidly changing,” said Sabrina Dridje, managing director of the Telly Awards. “This award is a tribute to the talent and vision of its creators and a celebration of the diversity of work being made today for all screens.”

Last year, The Telly Awards attracted more than 12,000 entries from top video content producers including Condé Nast, Netflix, Refinery29, RadicalMedia, T Brand Studio and Ogilvy & Mather. The premier award honoring video and television across all screens, the Telly Awards receives entries from all 50 states and five continents. Entrants are judged by a council of more than 200 leading experts, including advertising agencies, production companies and major television networks.

To see the winning entry, *American Home Furnishings Hall of Fame: Inductee Allen Gant Jr.*, go to: <https://www.tellyawards.com/winners/2019/non-broadcast/general-not-forprofit/american-home-furnishings-hall-of-fame-inductee-allen-gant-jr/217566/>

For a full list of the 40th Annual Telly Awards winners, go to www.tellyawards.com/winners.

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The American Home Furnishings Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc., is an industry-wide organization founded to preserve its history, to celebrate exceptional individuals who have made extraordinary contributions to the U.S. home furnishings industry, and to inspire a new class of innovation and leadership. Membership includes eligibility to nominate candidates for consideration by the Selection Committee, and the opportunity to help preserve the history and heritage of the industry. As a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, 92 percent of all funds support our history and leadership programming. The organization currently is based in High Point, North Carolina, at 202 Neal Place, Suite 101, and can be reached at 336.882.5900.

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