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Bathroom renovations

MCKEAN COUNTY – Bathroom renovations are quickly becoming one of the hottest remodels for homeowners.

“A recent report from the National Association of Home Builders found that more people are choosing to remodel their bathrooms over other spaces, like their kitchen or bedroom,” said McKean County Association of Realtors President Kevin McMurtrie. “Bathroom remodels tend to be more affordable than other remodels, and updating a bathroom could help a home’s resale value.”

Renovating a bathroom can be a do-it-yourself project for the handier homeowners, but many owners prefer to use a professional.

“Remodeling a bathroom can be as simple as replacing tile or as complicated as a complete overhaul,” McMurtrie said. “A bathroom remodel will most likely recoup at least half of its cost, according to *Remodeling Magazine*.”

Many homeowners start by renovating the master bathroom before other bathrooms in the home.

“Renovating a smaller space like a bathroom is a great place to start for homeowners who want to update their homes,” McMurtrie said. “It may even lead to other projects to make their homes even more comfortable and personal.”