

HOUSE WINNER

Food Lion worker wins \$110,000 house giveaway

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Linda Schenck, the receptionist at Food Lion Inc. headquarters in Salisbury, played her role perfectly.

"Susan Kennedy, 2594," she called over the public address system.

Schenck's switchboard telephone soon blinked back.

"Susan, you have a visitor in the lobby," Schenck said. "Can you come down?"

Leaving a meeting with her supervisor, Kennedy headed for the front desk, not knowing that all her co-workers

from accounts payable were shoulder-to-shoulder in the lobby, waiting for her.

Cheerwine President Mark Ritchie and R-Anell Homes President Dennis Jones also stood there, preparing to make the biggest prize giveaway in the history of both of their companies.

Everybody had received instructions on what to shout when Kennedy arrived.

She soon pushed through the double doors into the sea of people.

"You won the house!" the cry went up.

A stunned Kennedy

stopped quickly and covered her mouth with her hands, looking from face to face to take in exactly what was happening.

She had just won Cheerwine's "Givin' Away the House" promotion, recently completed in partnership with R-Anell Homes.

Kennedy will receive a three-bedroom, two bathroom home of 1,400 square feet, valued at roughly \$110,000. Stallings Homes of Kannapolis, the R-Anell



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THE WINNER: Susan Kennedy reacts to learning that she won the house given away by Cheerwine and R-Anell Homes.

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THE HOUSE:

This is an artist's rendering of the three-bedroom, two-bath house Susan Kennedy won. She will be allowed to select colors, fixtures and floor coverings.

