



A treelined driveway guides visitors to a large crushed-gravel motor court surrounded by pristine hedges and lush landscaping.

### SUMMER SANCTUARY

Nestled among a mature woodland, less than a mile from Lake Michigan and just a stone’s throw from Saugatuck, is the summer home of Patrick Jakeway and Dr. Lawrence Wentworth. Built in 2014, the home is situated on the largest parcel of land in an enviable Douglas, Michigan subdivision. “A friend of ours built this home,” Jakeway says. “In the past, we purchased a different home that he built in the same area, so we appreciate his design aesthetic and attention to quality construction. We also know the architect and found the layout of the house very appealing and livable.”

Trusting their friend’s eye for excellence, the couple purchased the home. They then sought out another friend, Kevin Serba, of Birmingham-based *Serba Interiors*, to make the house their own. “The previous owner favored a dark palette, and although dramatic, we requested that Kevin lighten up the feeling of the interiors to reflect a casual ‘beachy’ environment,” Jakeway says.