



# Wisconsin ENERGY STAR® Homes

## Homeowner Participation Agreement

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Through this agreement with the Wisconsin Energy Conservation Corporation (WECC), administrator of the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program, \_\_\_\_\_ (Homeowner) agrees to participate in the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program on the following terms:

### **WECC's Obligations:**

- WECC will give Homeowners access to available consulting and performance testing services offered by the program.

### **Homeowner's Obligations:**

- Homeowner will comply with the program details outlined in the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Reference Manual.
- Homeowner commits to building a certified Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Home within one calendar year at this address \_\_\_\_\_.
- Homeowner will coordinate with a Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Consultant to perform three site visits as outlined in the Standards and Guidelines (see Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Reference Manual, Standards and Guidelines - 3. Site Visits and Performance Test Descriptions).
- Homeowner agrees to accompany the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Consultant during each of the three site visits.
- Homeowner is not obligated to make changes to construction as recommended by their Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Consultant. However, only those homes meeting the Standards of the program will be certified as a Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Home.
- The Homeowner will negotiate a per home certification fee directly with its Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Consultant. Certification fees may vary depending on the electric utility serving the home being constructed.

### **No Representation of Warranty:**

- Homeowner will not construe, claim, or imply that its participation in the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program constitutes WECC or the Focus on Energy program's approval, acceptance, warranty, guarantee or endorsement of anything other than Homeowner's commitment to the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program outlined in this agreement.
- Homeowner understands and will not construe, claim or imply that its participation in Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program constitutes a warranty by WECC or Focus on Energy of any kind of the Homeowner or its homes or services.

### **Termination:**

- This agreement is wholly VOLUNTARY and can be terminated by either party at any time or any reason without penalty.



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**By signing this agreement, Homeowner acknowledges that they have received and read the Wisconsin ENERGY STAR® Homes Reference Manual. By signing this agreement, Homeowner does not become an agent, employee, or representative of WECC or the Focus on Energy program.**

**Confidentiality Statement: I am providing the requested information solely to be eligible to participate in this program and request that the personal customer information supplied by me be treated as confidential to the maximum extent possible.**

**I agree to abide by the terms and requirements of the voluntary Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes program:**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete all information below, PRINTING neatly.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Homeowner Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing City, State and Zip

(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail

\_\_\_\_\_  
Homeowner Name Printed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Wisconsin ENERGY STAR Homes Consultant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date