





2021 TNMP High-Performance Homes Program - Spring Newsletter

Welcome Message

2021 TNMP High-Performance Homes Program Participants,

Happy Spring! Welcome to the 2021 TNMP High-Performance Homes Program.

Our goal is to help builders continue to advance the performance of their homes through higher building standards.

This year's program should look very similar to 2020 with a couple of exceptions:

- Higher incentives for Right Sizing HVAC measure
- Right sizing measure now available for both Whole House and Midstream Paths!

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Thank you for reading and feel free to reach out to the ICF team if you have any questions or concerns. Contact information is at the bottom of this newsletter.

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Texas-New Mexico Power

Congratulations to the 2020 Award Winners!



















Program Updates

2021 Program Milestones

Date	Performance Milestone Date Requirements
April 30, 2021	At least 20% of total committed homes/systems must be entered on the Program's online system; Homebuilder must have selected at least one preferred HERS Rater or Contractor to the online system.
June 30, 2021	At least 60% of total committed homes/systems must be entered on the Program's online system and the required documentation for the invoiced homes must be uploaded to the online system.
September 30, 2021	At least 85% of total committed homes/systems must be <u>invoiced</u> on the Program's online system <u>and</u> the required documentation for the invoiced homes must be uploaded to the online system.
November 30, 2021	100% of total committed homes/systems must be <u>invoiced</u> on the Program's online system <u>and</u> the required documentation for the invoiced homes must be uploaded to the online system.

It's time to upload starts to the TNMP Database!



Work with your HERS Rater to ensure your homes starts are being submitted within 45 days of their permit date so we can see your progress in delivering on your allocation of incentive funds. We will be working closely with all of you as each program milestone approaches to make sure you are on track.

Texas Energy Efficiency Learning Center



Learn Something NEW at Home!

As a participating contractor in the TNMP High-Performance Homes Program, you have *FREE* access to the Energy Efficiency Learning Center (EELC). The EELC is an online distance-learning portal where contractors can login to take trainings on **Sales and Marketing, Technical Topics, and Best Practices**. Contractors are also able to view recorded webinars, demonstrations, and other program related training materials.

Click on the link to go to the EELC¹ register and take an online course today!

If you do not have access to the EELC or want access for additional staff, please email christine.couch@icf.com².

2021 Marketing Materials from ENERGY STAR

Access the toolkit by logging in to your My ENERGY STAR Account (MESA)³

ENERGY STAR helps builders comply with Tiers using ENERGY STAR v 3.1

87% of consumers recognize the ENERGY STAR logo and associate it with energy-efficiency. Are you leveraging the marketing and building science benefits of being an ENERGY STAR builder? Become an ENERGY STAR Builder Partner today and join the thousands of builders across the US! Watch the video and click here⁴ to learn more.

¹https://texaseelc.learnupon.com/users/sign in

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³https://www.energystar.gov/partner resources/residential new/marketing resources

⁴https://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm?c=bldrs_lenders_raters.nh_v4_benefits_builders_



https://youtu.be/x5U1H2Jk10k

Upcoming Events



Register on the BABA Website HERE⁵

 $^{^{5} \}underline{https://members.ghba.org/eventcalendar/Details/baba-crawfish-boil-networking-332979?sourceTypeId=Website}$



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