

Indication of Vendor Interest for Home Energy Performance-Based Whole-House Rebate Program (HOMES)

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Approach to Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Accessibility

RESNET represents a diverse network of home energy rating professionals across the United States. RESNET has partnered with Habitat for Humanity International (Habitat) to provide data on its homes that have received a Home Energy Rating (HERS®) and many of our members provide valuable home energy rating services to local Habitat affiliates to ensure their homeowners access to high-performing, and energy-affordable homes.

RESNET has also partnered with the Leading Builders of America and the Building Talent Foundation to assist in recruiting a diverse workforce for the building industry.

About RESNET

RESNET represents the largest network of home energy rating professionals in the U.S. We have over 2,500 active, certified Home Energy Raters, Rating Field Inspectors and HERS Modelers, overseen by our network of 100 accredited Quality Assurance Providers. RESNET's nationally recognized, accredited software programs are used by its network of HERS Raters and HERS Modelers to complete over 300,000 HERS Ratings each year and nearly 4 million since inception.

RESNET's network of professionals complete third party verification of home energy performance for builders, homeowners and renovation contractors in accordance with RESNET's nationally accredited standards and numerous energy efficiency and green building programs.

Quick and Efficient Program Implementation

RESNET's vast network of certified home energy professionals allow states to easily use existing infrastructure to implement the HOMES Program quickly and efficiently. RESNET's standards apply to both new and existing homes and our accredited energy modeling software can be used to demonstrate the anticipated energy savings, based on modeled performance.

RESNET offers the following services, at no cost, to assist states with implementing the HOMES Program:

- A list of certified HERS Raters, HERS Modelers and Rating Field Inspectors in your state.
- Verification of home energy savings and component characteristics for homes participating in your state program that have been submitted to the RESNET National Buildings Registry.

- Program implementation guidance in accordance with RESNET Standards and certification requirements.
- Quality assurance oversight for homes participating in your program and submitted to the RESNET National Buildings Registry.
- Customized reports for homes participating in your program (costs may apply).

To learn more about RESNET and our network of home energy professionals, visit:

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