

CT ZERO ENERGY CHALLENGE

How low can these new homes go?

17 builders are going head-to-head to show Connecticut that building a super high-efficiency home is achievable today.

Homes that consume almost no energy. Homes that produce energy on-site. Homes with cleaner air. Advanced designs and integrated systems that are changing the way we think about residential construction. That's what this Challenge is all about. By December, 2010, the three homes with the lowest Home Energy Rating System (HERS) index will be declared the winners and will walk away with cash prizes and the bragging rights that go along with being one of Connecticut's most forward thinking homes.

The Connecticut Zero Energy Challenge is a showcase for the Connecticut Energy Efficiency Fund's Residential New Construction program. All the homes in the Challenge are participating in the program and will receive incentives for various building components including high-performance insulation and geothermal equipment. Thinking about building a new home in Connecticut? Get with the program and build for tomorrow.

Follow their progress online at: ctzeroenergychallenge.com



Participants Include:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ark Contractors• BPC Green Builders• BW Builders• C. Nelson Construction, Inc.• Celebration Development Group• CK Architects | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consulting Engineering Services• Crosskey Architects and UTC Power for SAND Corporation• G. Christopher Widmer for the Guilford Housing Authority• His Light Builders LLC• Justin Breiner (Homeowner) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Karann Brandt (Homeowner)• New Oldtown Builders• Poirier Homes LLC• Sunlight Construction• Uccello Development• White Oak Development |
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