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Energy Fit Homes<sup>™</sup> is provided by the Center for Energy and Environment, a Minneapolis nonprofit that has been helping Minnesota residents reduce their energy use for 40 years.



# ENERGY FIT HOMES Real savings. Lasting comfort.

### WHY BUY AN ENERGY FIT HOME?

Energy Fit Homes is a certificate program designed exclusively for existing homes that focuses on energy efficient upgrades. Buying a certified home provides assurance that the home has reached energy efficiency standards.

#### **BENEFITS**

- **Cost-savings** For the average home built before 1980, an Energy Fit Home will save \$250 to \$400 per year on utility bills compared to a non-certified home.<sup>1</sup>
- **Comfort** Energy upgrades can deliver improved comfort everyone in the family can enjoy.
- Third party verification With Energy Fit Homes you know that the energy efficiency of the home has been verified by energy experts.
- Greater flexibility in updates A certified home already meets energy efficiency standards so you can focus on upgrades that make the house your own.
- **Peace of mind** Our standards ensure that upgrades are completed to meet health and safety standards.
- **Environmental protection** Certified homes consume less energy and generate less air pollution and greenhouse gases.

## REQUIREMENTS

What exactly does having a certified house mean? Energy Fit Homes evaluates the performance and efficiency of the following areas of your home to assure that it meets certificate standards:

Heating system • Insulation and air sealing Windows • Lighting • Ventilation and combustion safety



<sup>1</sup> Based on CEE energy modeling of over 2,000 Twin Cities metro area homes.



