





## **EPA New Homes HOST Reporting**





## **Dear Provider Partners**,

The reporting period to submit ENERGY STAR certified homes and apartments is open. Please log in to your My ENERGY STAR Account (MESA) and click the link to EPA's "Homes Online Submission Tool (HOST)" found in the Tools tab to verify and submit homes and apartments that were certified during the 1st quarter (January - March) of 2022 no later than 4/30/2022.

## Office Hours:

ENERGY STAR program support contractors are available to walk you through the new reporting process with your 1st quarter 2022 ENERGY STAR and Indoor airPLUS certified homes and apartments, and to help troubleshoot any potential issues. Join us for live, virtual "office hours" via GoToWebinar on the following Thursdays in April:

- Thursday, April 21st from 11:00am 12:00pm ET
- Thursday, April 28th from 1:00pm 2:00pm ET

## **Key Notes for Q1 2022 Reporting:**

- **Notifications** Automatic emails will be sent out to Providers at the end of the reporting period if they have any homes still in a "Pending" status that haven't been submitted.
- **Color Coding** Home reports appearing in HOST will be color coded by match status. Green font indicates a matched report, and red font indicates an unmatched report.
- **Indoor airPLUS** Indoor airPLUS home detail reports are available throughout the reporting period upon request. Providers should contact the Indoor airPLUS team at <a href="Indoor airPLUS@epa.gov">Indoor airPLUS@epa.gov</a> for an export of all Indoor airPLUS home detail reports to complete in-line with ENERGY STAR reporting.
- COMING SOON These features are under development and will be released shortly:
  - o Filter An update to the "filter" location will allow for more of the home reports table to be viewable on screen.
  - Export Updates to the export button will allow for easier usage.

Thank you again for your continued patience and understanding as we work to provide you with a smooth experience in the new reporting system.

If you are not able to access HOST and submit your 1st quarter certified homes and apartments by 4/30/2022, or need assistance, please contact us immediately at <a href="mailto:energystarhomes@energystar.gov">energystar.gov</a> or <a href="mailto:lndoor\_airPLUS@epa.gov">lndoor\_airPLUS@epa.gov</a>. We look forward to receiving your 1st quarter reports.

Sincerely,

EPA's ENERGY STAR Residential New Construction and Indoor airPLUS teams

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