

Shelby Energy Cooperative, Inc.	
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# SECTION DSM TOUCHSTONE ENERGY HOME

# **PURPOSE**

In an effort to improve new residential home energy performance Shelby Energy Cooperative has designed the Touchstone Energy Home Program. This program provides guidance during the building process to guarantee a home that is  $\geq$ 15-20% more efficient than the Kentucky standard built home. The standard built new home in rural Kentucky typically receives a 100 on the Home Energy Rating System ("HERS") Index. A HERS Index Score of 100 means the home is built to only moderate levels of efficiency- generally the 2004 International Energy Conservation Code ("IECC").

#### **AVAILABILITY**

This program is available to residential members/homeowner served by Shelby Energy Cooperative.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

To qualify as a Touchstone Energy Home under Shelby Energy Cooperative program, the participating single-family home must be located in the service territory of Shelby Energy Cooperative and must meet the program guidelines following one of the three available paths of approval. Multi-family dwellings pre-approved by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. may be eligible.

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#### Prescriptive Path:

- Home must meet each efficiency value as prescribed by Shelby Energy Cooperative
- Home must receive pre-drywall inspection and complete Shelby Energy Cooperative's predrywall checklist (contact an energy advisor at Shelby Energy Cooperative for a copy of the checklist)
- Home must receive a final inspection, pass a whole house air leakage test (<7 air changes per hour @50 pascals), and duct leakage test (<10% of the fan's rated capacity).
- Primary source of heat must be an Air Source Heat Pump ≥14 Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio ("SEER")/8.2Heating Seasonal Performance Factor ("HSPF") or Geothermal
- Water Heater must be an electric storage tank water heater that is  $\geq$  .90 Energy Factor (EF)

#### Performance Path Level #1:

- Home must receive a HERS Index score between 80-85 (15-20% more efficient than the KY standard built home)
- Home must receive pre-drywall inspection and complete Shelby Energy Cooperative's predrywall checklist (contact an energy advisor at Shelby Energy Cooperative for a copy of the checklist)
- Home must receive a final inspection, pass a whole house air leakage test (<7 air changes per hour @50 pascals), and duct leakage test (<10% of the fan's rated capacity).
- Primary source of heat must be an Air Source Heat Pump >13SEER/7.5HSPF or Geothermal
- Home must pass 2009 IECC performance path.
- Water Heater must be an electric storage tank water heater that is  $\geq .90$  (EF)

#### Performance Path Level #2:

- Home must receive a HERS Index score of ≤79 (At least 21% more efficient than the KY standard built home)
- Home must receive pre-drywall inspection and complete Shelby Energy Cooperative's predrywall checklist. (Contact an energy advisor at Shelby Energy Cooperative for a copy of the checklist)

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Performance Path Level #2: (continued)

- Home must receive a final inspection, pass a whole house air leakage test (<7 air changes per hour @50 pascals), and duct leakage test (<10% of the fan's rated capacity).
- Primary source of heat must be an Air Source Heat Pump ≥13SEER/7.5HSPF or Geothermal
- Home must pass 2009 IECC performance path.
- Water Heater must be an electric storage tank water heater that is  $\geq .90$  (EF)

## PRESCRIPTIVE PATH INCENTIVE

Shelby Energy Cooperative will provide an incentive of \$750 to residential members/homeowner that build their new home to meet the requirements of the Prescriptive Path as listed above.

### PERFORMANCE PATH LEVEL #1 INCENTIVE

Shelby Energy Cooperative will provide an incentive of \$250 to residential members/homeowner that build their new home to meet the requirements of the Performance Path Level #1 as listed above.

# PERFORMANCE PATH LEVEL #2 INCENTIVE

Shelby Energy Cooperative will provide an incentive of \$750 to residential members/homeowner that build their new home to meet the requirements of the Performance Path Level #2 as listed above.

#### **TERM**

The program is an ongoing program.

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