### ANEW MILESTONE

RESNET® is a recognized national standards-making body for building efficiency rating and certification systems since 1995. The RESNET rating industry is celebrating another milestone:

# Over 4 MILLION HOMES in the United States have been HERS® rated!



HERS RATING established

1 MILLION
homes HERS rated

2 MILLION
homes HERS rated

3 MILLION
homes HFRS rated

4 MILLION
homes HERS rated





2017





## BUILDING A GREENER FUTURE

4 million HERS Rated homes have:



Saved over \$12 Billion in energy costs for homeowners\*\*

Reduced carbon dioxide emissions, by over 74 million tons,\* the equivalent of taking nearly 15 million passenger vehicles off the road for one year.\*\*





Improved the health and comfort of more than 16 million residents\*\*

Employed thousands of workers in the energy efficiency industry\*\*



\*https://www.epa.gov/energy/greenhouse-gas-equivalencies-calculator.

\*\*RESNET National Registry

### WHY HERS HOMES?

Home Energy Rated System (HERS) homes are environmentally friendly homes that provide better home comfort, lower running costs and higher resale values. Building code officials, local utilities, and government agencies at all levels recognize the HERS index score as an official verification of energy performance. Builders are also using their HERS Index Scores for environmental, social and governance (ESG reporting). These efforts are driving demand and confirming RESNET and the HERS index as the industry gold standard.

The HERS Index Score plays an increasingly important role in the housing industry to measure the efficiency of their homes, as rated by certified RESNET home energy professionals.

Consumer awareness of building performance and indoor air quality has been increasing significantly in recent years. Furthermore, tax credits, investor environmental reporting, more stringent energy codes and market-driven incentives have encouraged home builders to improve the energy efficiency of the homes they build.





RESNET raters, inspectors, providers, suppliers, and homebuilders have all contributed in RESNET's success of reaching this milestone.

Thank you for your commitment to a future with more environmentally friendly homes.

### **LEARN MORE**

4 Million Homes HERS Rated, and we aren't stopping there. Learn more about HERS Ratings at **HERSindex.com**!



