

# SPRINGFIELD HOMEOWNERS

have resources available to help them **decrease home energy use, reduce utility bills and lessen impacts on climate change**. With a quick and inexpensive **Home Energy Audit**, homeowners can learn precisely where they can make improvements to conserve energy in the home. **Rebate and loan programs** exist to assist homeowners through the process and help offset the costs of installing upgrades.

# HOME ENERGY AUDIT

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## WHAT IS AN ENERGY AUDIT?

A Home Energy Audit is a **comprehensive assessment** of the efficiency of the home. The tests are conducted by **certified technicians**, employed by Building Performance Institute-certified contractors. Once the audit is complete, the homeowner receives a follow-up report with **suggested home improvements** and available **financial incentives**.

Identify affordable home improvements to decrease your energy costs and lessen your impact on the environment.

## HOW DO I GET STARTED?

### Step 1: Schedule a Home Energy Audit

The Springfield municipal website provides a list of certified local contractors. To find a contractor near you, please visit <http://springfield-nj.us/greening-springfield/hpes.pdf>. The Audit is typically performed in about three hours. It is recommended you request an additional **blower test** if you intend to insulate or weatherize your home.

### Step 2: Receive Recommendations and Identify Financial Incentives

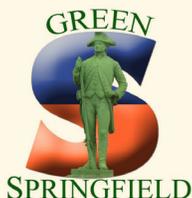
The New Jersey Clean Energy Program (NJCEP) currently offers three tiers of **rebates** and **zero-interest loans** to homeowners who qualify for the Home Performance with ENERGY STAR (HPwES) program:

**Tier 2:** Homeowners with an estimated total energy savings (TES) of between ten and 20 percent. **\$2,000 rebate**, zero-interest loan of up to \$5,000.

**Tier 3, Level 1:** Estimated TES of between 20 and 25 percent. **\$4,000 rebate**, zero-interest loan of up to \$10,000 if utility loans are not available.

**Tier 3, Level 2:** Estimated TES of over 25 percent. **\$5,000 rebate**, zero-interest loan of up to \$10,000 if utility loans are not available.

Combined with financial incentives from NJCEP, improving the energy efficiency of your home produces **excellent cost-savings**, in addition to **reducing your environmental impact**.



To learn more about the program, or to find a certified contractor near you, please visit:

<http://springfield-nj.us/greening-springfield/hpes.pdf>



## Certified Home Performance Contractors Greater Springfield Area

### NJ Office of Clean Energy Trade Ally Disclaimer:

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**There are three tiers of certified contractors, based on location and work history, from which homeowners can choose:**

### **Tier 1: Home Performance Contractor Trade Allies within 5 miles of Springfield** *- all contractors included -*

#### **Building Sciences, LLC**

<http://www.buildingsciencesllc.com/>

(973) 786-3700

51 JFK Parkway

First Floor West

Short Hills, NJ 07078

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **689**

#### **Ryan Inc.**

<http://www.ryanbuilds.com/>

(800) 736-2800

741 Lehigh Avenue

Union, NJ 07083

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **212**

#### **Green Energy Improvements**

<http://www.greenenergy-nj.com/>

(908) 228-2493

1429 US Highway 22

Mountainside, NJ 07092

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **246**

#### **US Energy Renovations, LLC**

<http://www.usenergyrenovations.com/>

(908) 232-5300

616 Ardsleigh Drive

Westfield, NJ 07090

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **129**



To learn more about Home Performance with Energy Star, or to find additional certified contractors, visit:

<http://www.njcleanenergy.com/residential/>



**Tier 2: Home Performance Contractor Trade  
Allies within 5-10 miles of Springfield**  
- only contractors with at least 50 audits -

**Air Group LLC**

<http://www.airgroupllc.com/>  
(800) 545-1020  
One Prince Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **499**

**Home Energy Diagnostics**

<http://www.njhomediagnostics.com/>  
(973) 680-1244  
179 Glenridge Ave.  
Montclair, NJ 07042

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **95**

**Patel Builders, Inc.**

[sunilnpatel@gmail.com](mailto:sunilnpatel@gmail.com)  
(732) 429-3990  
51 Star Street  
Iselin, NJ 08830

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **63**

**Quality Air Specialists, Inc.**

<http://www.qualityairspecialists.com/>  
(908) 754-4448  
104 Snyder Road  
South Plainfield, NJ 07080

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **390**

**Tier 3: Home Performance Contractor Trade  
Allies within 10-15 miles of Springfield**  
- only contractors with at least 100 audits -

**Ciel Power LLC**

<http://www.cielpower.com/>  
(201) 632-3463  
78 Mountainview Avenue  
Nutley, NJ 07110

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **235**

**Green Living Solutions, LLC**

<http://www.greenlivingsolutionsnj.com/>  
(201) 390-4280  
22 Lorraine Avenue  
Montclair, NJ 07043

Completed Home Performance Projects Since 2010: **254**

*If you wish to search for additional Home Performance Contractor Trade Allies, please visit <http://www.njcleanenergy.com/residential/programs/home-performance-energy-star/home-performance-energy-star-> and click on "Find A Contractor."*



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<http://www.njcleanenergy.com/residential/>

