

## **INSULATION CONTRACTORS**

As an Associate Member of the Minnesota Building Performance Association (MBPA), I (we) agree to:

1. Support the mission of MBPA.
2. Promote energy efficiency as a desirable and cost effective option for my (our) customers.
3. Use a "House as a System" approach when weatherizing a home.
4. Follow guidelines and best practices based on Minnesota Department of Commerce State Energy Office Weatherization Field Guide, Building Science Corporation's *Builder's Guide to Cold Climate* and Energy Star® Guidelines for attic by-passes, ventilation and insulation methods.
5. Perform pre- and post- blower door tests as part of standard protocol on all insulation projects.
6. Understand, have the equipment to test and perform a "worst case" draft test and spillage test on atmospheric draft equipment (excluding fireplaces) and explain the results to the homeowner.
7. Understand infrared camera technology as a diagnostic tool and encourage the use of this technology when appropriate.
8. Support third party examination of the completed work and encourage customers to use MBPA Home Performance Consultants to verify the work.
9. Encourage the installation of carbon monoxide sensors.
10. Promote the use of rebates and tax credits for energy improvements.
11. Support and promote all employees, interns, mentors or representatives of my company or organization to abide by the guidelines of this agreement.
12. Encourage the use of other MBPA Members and Associate Members.

This agreement is voluntary and can be terminated by either party at any time for any reason with no penalty. Failure to comply with any of the terms of this agreement can result in termination of Associate Membership to MBPA based on a vote by Members of the MBPA.

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Signed, Associate Member MBPA

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Date