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## GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The mission of the Lake Norman Home Builders Association is to *promote, inspire and safeguard integrity in the building industry for the enrichment of our community.* You can help by joining as a Green Building Council member today for only \$25 through December 31, 2008.

### HBA Member of Record Information

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(as currently listed with LNHBA)

**HBA Member of Record:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(first and last name as listed with LNHBA)

### Green Council Member Information (please print clearly)

**Member's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print clearly)

**Sponsored by:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(first and last name of LNHBA member) (company name of LNHBA member)

### Method of Payment (GBC Membership fees are \$25 per year)

**All applications must include payment to be processed.**

Enclosed is my check for **\$25.00** (payable to LNHBA)

Please charge my (please circle one) **MasterCard** **VISA**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name as it appears on card) (Billing address zip code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Card number) (Expiration date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

*Contributions to the Lake Norman Home Builders Association are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. However, dues payments are deductible by members as an ordinary/necessary business expense.*

Applicants must be employed with a company who is currently a member of the Lake Norman Home Builders Association. All applications must be accompanied by payment to be processed.



## Terms and Conditions

### Responsibilities of the Green Building Council Member

1. The Lake Norman Home Builders Association Green Building Council member agrees to participate in meetings, home tours, educational seminars, and other green building functions as often as possible.
2. Builder members of the council agree to distinguish between homes that are enrolled in a green building program and homes that are not enrolled.
3. Members of the LNHBA Green Building Council will accept Green Building Programs/Guidelines set forth by the National Association of Builders Green Building Program and/or the North Carolina Home Builders Association Green Building Council.
4. Members of the LNHBA GBC agree to help promote the Council in their own promotional activities, when possible.

### Responsibilities of the Green Building Council

1. The Green Building Council agrees to offer educational opportunities, at the council's discretion, that will provide information on green building practices and marketing strategies.
2. The Council will conduct a general advertising and promotional campaign, as funds allow, to increase public awareness of council members and the benefits of green building.

### Other Stipulations:

The Green Building Council will constantly evolve, incorporating new products and methods as they are developed. The Council operates according to its own rules of procedure and in accordance with the bylaws of the Lake Norman Home Builders Association. Changes in rules, regulations, responsibilities, and documents may be adopted from time to time. The council member agrees to abide by these as well.

This application is a voluntary agreement between the undersigned and the Lake Norman Home Builders Association which operates the Green Building Council. Membership acceptance to the council is contingent upon the review and approval of each membership application.

Builders specific homes shall be enrolled in a verification process as outlined in either the NAHB Green Building Program and/or the North Carolina Home Builders Association Green Building Council. Neither the LNHBA nor the Green Building Council makes any representations regarding the builder Member or any home built by the Member. All representations are made by the building Member and, when appropriate, the verifier. The LNHBA and Green Building Council do not inspect homes or review performance information, and they are not responsible for the accuracy of the information provided by the builder Member or anyone else concerning the homes. The LNHBA and Green Building Council make no express or implied warranty concerning any home, including regarding the energy efficiency of the home and are not liable for the usefulness of any product or process used in any home.

The Green Building Council Members agrees that the Green Building Council's name, logo, program documents and other materials belong to the Green Building Council and cannot be used without the council's permission. Any use of the materials must comply with the council's rules and regulations and must be beneficial to the LNHBA and the Green Building Council.

The Green Building Council Member agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Green Building Council as well as the LNHBA and their subsidiaries members, councils, committees, officers, employees, volunteers and agents from any claims, damages lawsuits, liabilities, demands, causes of action, contribution toward damages, allegations, attorneys'

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_