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## U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ENERGY STAR Program: Arkansas Facilities/Companies Listed

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The United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") issued a November 30th news release recognizing 580 manufacturing plants that are participating in the agency's ENERGY STAR program.

The EPA news release includes a state-by-state listing of participating companies/facilities.

Participants in the ENERGY STAR program agree to reduce energy intensity by 10 percent within five years.

EPA notes:

... On average, plants that met this challenge reduced their energy intensity by 19 percent within an average of two years. More than 100 plants have taken the challenge twice in a row, achieving reductions of more than 10 percent each time. Together, these plants have prevented more than 17 million metric tons of greenhouse gas emissions from entering our atmosphere and saved more than \$443 million in energy costs.

The EPA news release includes information about Arkansas participants in the ENERGY STAR program. The agency notes that Arkansas participants include:

- 12 manufacturers of ENERGY STAR certified products
- 6 companies supporting independent certification of ENERGY STAR products and homes
- 6 companies building ENERGY STAR certified homes

Cited ENERGY STAR partner activity in Arkansas includes:

- 970,000 customers served by ENERGY STAR utility partners in 2020
- 1,370 buildings benchmarked using EPA's ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager in 2020
- 1,178 homes earned the ENERGY STAR to-date
- 114 buildings earned the ENERGY STAR to-date

A sample of ENERGY STAR participants in Arkansas is included referencing:

- Allen Appliance
- Amo Electric Supply
- Arkansas Economic Development Commission
- Arkansas Energy Office
- Arkansas Lamp Manufacturing
- Arklatex Trading Company



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- Bitec, Incorporated
- Black Hills Arkansas
- Bowden Boshears Homes, LLC
- Brandon Schrock Custom Homes
- Building Energy Rating System
- Carroll Electric Cooperative Corporation
- CenterPoint Energy (AR)
- Central States Manufacturing, Inc.
- Cochran-Higgs Construction, Inc.
- Conway Corporation
- Discount Developers, Inc.
- Elliott Electric Supply
- Entegrity Energy Partners, LLC
- Entergy Arkansas
- Foster Insulation
- Graybar Electric
- HD Supply Electrical
- HERS, Inc.
- Home Energy Rx, LLC
- Hydro-Temp Corporation
- Metal Building Supply
- Nature's Angle Architecture, LLC
- Northwest Regional Housing Authority
- Paragould City Light and Water
- Pinnacle Structures, Inc.
- Radiate Comfort Systems
- Rheem Sales SMTL
- Rheem-Ruud Manufacturing
- River Rock Builders, LLC
- Sam's Club Stores
- Sam's Club, Inc
- Siplast, Inc.
- Southwestern Electric Power Company (AEP SWEPCO)
- Universal Housing Corporation
- Walmart Stores, Inc.
- Wholesale Electric Supply Co., Inc.
- WRATT Foundation

A link to the news release may be found <u>here</u> and the Arkansas information <u>here</u>.