

## August Homes Advances LEED Gold and Net Zero Ready Construction Principles in Residential Housing

August Homes offers all-electric, LEED Gold, and Net Zero Ready homes using tested standards, clean energy systems, and third-party verification.

FREDERICK, MD, UNITED STATES, June 17, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- <u>August Homes</u> integrates LEED Gold and Net Zero Ready standards across most residential projects, focusing on energy performance, indoor air quality, material transparency, and long-term durability. Each home is designed to meet the requirements of the U.S. Department of Energy's Zero Energy Ready Home Program, ENERGY STAR and EPA Indoor AirPlus, aligning construction with leading third-party certifications. Every project eliminates gas and propane, using electric heat pump systems for space conditioning and water heating. Ventilation systems meet rigorous indoor air quality thresholds, with balanced airflow, continuous exhaust in high-moisture areas and filtered fresh air delivery. Material choices prioritize low-emission finishes and environmental disclosures, supporting healthier indoor environments and greater supply chain accountability.

Each home may include solar-ready infrastructure, with dedicated panel space, conduit and roof layout incorporated into the original design. EV charging capability is built into every garage or parking area. These systems are paired with smart thermostats and high-performance windows to support consistent all-electric performance and reduce long-term energy demand.

LEED Gold criteria also prioritize location, and August Homes focuses on walkable sites with nearby services and transit. This reduces the need for car travel and aligns with local climate planning goals. Construction methods feature pre-cut framing packages, panelized assemblies and active jobsite waste recycling. These types of homes undergo independent blower door and duct leakage testing before completion, confirming that energy models match real-world performance.

By using consistent third-party testing, documented building science practices and repeatable construction workflows, August Homes applies LEED Gold and Net Zero Ready principles at scale when desired by clients. Mechanical systems are commissioned at turnover, and homeowners receive documentation of installed features and performance data. Every project meets clear targets for carbon reduction, indoor health and energy savings without relying on custom design or experimental technology.

This process reflects a focused commitment to responsible homebuilding with measurable results. Through repeatable standards and verified outcomes, August Homes produces homes that are energy-aligned, electric-ready and built for long-term climate resilience, applying this approach as a <u>Maryland Custom Home Builder</u> and a <u>Virginia Custom Home Builder</u> across diverse residential settings.

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