

CITY OF ROCKFORD HUMAN SERVICES 2018 Weatherization Program

MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS

Training/Certifications:

- EPA- Renovators Repair & Painting Certificates for workers, contractors, and firms (3 separate certificates) <http://rrpreno.com/>
- IL. Certified Weatherization Insulation Contractor's Training (letter or certificate)
[Community College---upcoming dates to be announced](#)
- Health & Safety certification (OSHA10, OSHA30, etc.)
http://www.oshatrainingchicagoil.com/OSHA_30_Hour_Training_IL.html
- City of Rockford Mechanical License
- Equipment: MANDATORY HEPA vacuum. RECOMMENDED "Minneapolis" Blower Door (Must have proper training for blower door use)

Insurance:

- Comprehensive General liability (minimum of \$1,000,000)
- Comprehensive Automobile liability (minimum of \$500,000)
- Workers' Compensation (Illinois statutory requirements)
- Umbrella liability (minimum of \$1,000,000)

Background requirements include (but not limited to):

- Contractors must be able to perform clean and tune, furnace repair and/or replacement, boiler repair and/or replacement, duct work
- Contractor must be able to conduct flue gas testing, draft testing, and be current on City of Rockford's building codes
- Contractors must use Lead safe work practices on ALL jobs regardless of known presence of lead in homes built before 1978
- Contractors must understand and implement ASHRAE62.2
<http://waptac.org/Additional-Pages/FAQ-ASHRAE-62002E2.aspx>

****Contractor must have prior experience. Proof of insurance, certifications, and safety plan policy need to be turned in with their bid package. Any contractor without the proper paperwork will not be considered for a contract.****

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ARCHITECTURAL CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS

Training/Certifications:

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- IL. Certified Weatherization Insulation Contractor's Training (letter or certificate)
[Community College](#)
- Health & Safety certification (OSHA10, OSHA30, etc.)
http://www.oshatrainingchicagoil.com/OSHA_30_Hour_Training_IL.html
- Confined Space Entry training
- MANDATORY Equipment: HEPA vacuum. "Minneapolis" Blower Door (Must have proper training for blower door use which will be verified by on-site visit)

Insurance:

- Comprehensive General liability (minimum of \$1,000,000)
- Comprehensive Automobile liability (minimum of \$500,000)
- Workers' Compensation (Illinois statutory requirements)
- Umbrella liability (minimum of \$1,000,000)

Insulation requirements include (but not limited to):

- Air sealing includes blower door test and completion of air pressure diagnostic form with printouts of pre, interim, and post readings.
- "Dense Pack" Sidewall insulation performed by removal of siding, drill and blow, replacing siding. NO drill and plug.
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