

# ECO BUILDER



Resources for green  
building professionals.

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The new Massachusetts Stretch Energy Code is officially in effect. In [Stretch Energy Code communities](#) any residential new construction projects will be required to have a HERS rating, and to fall under 55 on the HERS index. The Center for EcoTechnology Home Energy Raters are experts in assisting contractors to meet the energy code, navigating Mass Save incentives, and [can provide your HERS rating today.](#)

**Come to our Energy Code training to learn exactly what is required by the IECC 2015 and some ways to comply with the new requirements.**

Our next training will be on February 1, 2017

[Learn more and register for the new IECC 2015 code training here](#)



[The Northeast Sustainable Energy Association's](#) (NESEA) annual BuildingEnergy Boston Conference and Trade Show will be on March 7-9, 2017. Don't miss out on the region's leading event for building professionals working to build a more sustainable world.

[Registration is now open.](#)

The Center for EcoTechnology is here to help builders, architects, and HVAC professionals with high performance goals to achieve optimum energy efficiency in their residential new construction or full renovation projects.

Call CET for assistance with meeting energy code requirements, earning utility incentives of up to \$4,500 per home, or achieving a green building certification!

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## News & Notes



### REUSE ROCKSTAR

Learn about our newest [Reuse Rockstar!](#) Allison found inspiration in this funky orange sink she found at EcoBuilding Bargains.



### NEW ENERGY CODE

[Read our most recent article](#) outlining everything you need to know about the energy code changes, and how CET can help you transition.



### LEYDEN WOODS

Read our newest [case study](#) on CET's role in ensuring the energy efficiency of the Leyden Woods affordable apartments.

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## Resources



### HERS RATING

CET's expert raters can help your new project comply with the 2015 IECC and perform your [HERS rating](#). [Contact us to learn more.](#)



### ENERGY CODE TRAINING

Now offering [code training on the new 2015 IECC](#). Come learn from our building science experts on how you can meet the new standards.



### PASSIVE HOUSE

CET's building scientists can help you plan, execute, and certify your next project as a passive house certified home! [Learn more here.](#)

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