



# APPLICATION AND CONTRACT FOR PROJECT ENTRY

## Home Improvement Showcase

Saturday, October 2, 2010 10—5 p.m.  
Sunday, October 3, 2010 Noon—5 p.m.

THIS AGREEMENT dated \_\_\_\_\_ by and between the NARI Home Improvement Showcase/NARI of Central Ohio  
month/day/year

285 N. State Street, Suite 102, Westerville, Ohio 43081 Ph. (614) 895-3080 Fax (614) 895-3085, and

Entrant named: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name City/State

The NARI Home Improvement Showcase (Showcase) agrees to permit Entrant to enter a project in the 2010 NARI Home Improvement Showcase to be held at location submitted by the Entrant, with the Showcase opening October 2nd and continuing through Sunday, October 3rd, 2010. Entrant requests to enter the following project(s) in the Showcase:

**PROJECT ENTRY FEE**

**First Entry:** \$1,000 by June 1st, 2010 (Early-bird discount)  
\$1,200 by July 1, 2010 Final deadline (No exceptions)

**Additional Project entries:** \$850 each by June 1st, \$950 by July 1.

ENTRY ADDRESS	ENTRY FEE
_____	_____
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**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NARI of Central Ohio**

Minimum 50% Deposit: \_\_\_\_\_

Balance due July 1, 2010: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME IMPROVEMENT BEING ENTERED: Complete the attached sheet describing the project(s) to be entered.

IMPORTANT: Any companies participating in the Showcase must be a member of NARI of Central Ohio.

ADVERTISING: Each participant should be prepared to provide advertisers to support the advertising efforts of the tour.

Deposit: No entry will be accepted unless deposit check accompanies application.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Payment for entry shall be as follows: One half (50%) or more at the time application is received. Balance on or before July 1, 2010.

**RETURN ORIGINAL along with YOUR CHECK, to NARI of Central Ohio, 285 N. State Street, Suite 102, Westerville, Ohio 43081. Retain a copy for your files and information.**

ENTRANT (Company) NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

Your Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Do Not Write In This Space

Balance due July 1, 2010: \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted by NARI Home Improvement Showcase: \_\_\_\_\_

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



***Home Improvement***  
***Showcase***

**2008 SHOWCASE RULES AND REGULATIONS**

This is part of your agreement. Read it carefully.

1. This application form constitutes merely an offer to enter into a contract with NARI of Central Ohio to enter a completed home improvement project in the NARI Home Improvement Showcase. The completion and tendering of this form and/or payment of all or any part of the applicable cost shall not create a contract binding upon NARI of Central Ohio until such time as the application has been formally accepted by NARI of Central Ohio.
2. NARI of Central Ohio expressly reserves the right to reject any application and return any payment accompanying such application for any reason which NARI of Central Ohio may deem appropriate, or for no reason whatsoever. NARI of Central Ohio shall have absolute and exclusive discretion to determine which applications shall be accepted and which applications shall be rejected, and any application may be rejected with or without cause.
3. Any application which is accepted by NARI of Central Ohio shall, upon such acceptance, become a binding agreement between NARI of Central Ohio and exhibitor.
4. By tendering this application and upon this acceptance thereof by NARI of Central Ohio, entrant expressly agrees to be bound to the following:
  - a) All rules, regulations, and requirements described on these documents.
  - b) All rules, regulations and requirements set forth in any written materials pertaining to the NARI Home Improvement Showcase which may be promulgated by NARI of Central Ohio at any time hereafter.
  - c) Any verbal instructions given by any authorized representative of NARI of Central Ohio during the course of the NARI Home Improvement Showcase.
5. Any entrant who fails to comply with any of the terms of this agreement between NARI of Central Ohio and entrant, including rules, regulations, and requirements as described above, shall be liable to NARI of Central Ohio for all damages resulting therefrom, provided further, however, that nothing herein shall prevent NARI of Central Ohio from seeking specifically to enforce the terms of the agreement, including such rules, regulations, and requirements, in lieu of, or in addition to, seeking money damages for any breach. In any event, entrant shall be liable to NARI of Central Ohio for any expenses incurred by NARI of Central Ohio as a result of any breach of the agreement between NARI of Central Ohio and entrant, and such expenses shall include, without being limited to all court costs and actual attorney fees.
6. No refunds will be given, and all monies deposited will be forfeited, if contract is canceled by Entrant after July 1, 2010, regardless of cause.

**Irregular Advertising** — The Showcase is limited to NARI of Central Ohio members that have contracted and paid for an entry in the Showcase.

**Insufficient Funds**—Checks returned for insufficient funds or closed accounts shall be charged a \$35 returned check charge. If debtor fails to act within 10 days, the returned check and returned check charge shall be turned over to legal counsel for collection and debtor shall be responsible for all court and attorney fees.

**Liability & Insurance**

- A) Each Entrant must make provision for the safeguarding of his/her/its goods from the time they are placed in his/her/its entry location until they are removed by the Entrant. NARI of Central Ohio will not be responsible for or guarantee to Entrant, the safety of project entry property or materials against fire, accident, theft, or any personal or property loss or injury whatsoever.
- B) It is agreed that Entrant shall assume all liability for damage to project location caused by his/her/its entry and shall indemnify NARI of Central Ohio from and against any liability that might ensue by reason of his/her/its entry or presence in the Showcase.
- C) Each Entrant shall carry comprehensive general liability coverage including, but not limited to, premises, operations, and contractual liability of no less than \$500,000 for each occurrence, together with statutory worker's compensation insurance, if applicable, with a limit of no less than \$100,000. Certificates of insurance shall be furnished to the NARI office no later than July 1, 2010.

In the event the location entered in the Showcase by the Entrant is unavailable whether for the entire event or a portion of the event as a result of fire, flood, tempest or any other such cause or as a result of governmental intervention, malicious damage, acts of war, strike, lock-out, labor dispute, riot, or any other cause or agency over which the Showcase has no control, or should the Showcase decide that because of any such cause it is necessary to cancel, postpone, or re-site the Showcase, the Showcase shall not be liable to indemnify or reimburse the Entrant in respect to any damage or loss, direct or indirect, as a result thereof.

**Staffing Entry**—Each entry must be staffed at all times during Showcase hours. Each company is responsible for staffing its entry 15 minutes prior to Showcase opening and during Showcase hours.

**Project Signage**—It is the responsibility of the Entrant to research regulations regarding signage in the communities in which the project entry is located and abide by those regulations regarding signage at or around the project entry site.

**Amendments**—Showcase management shall have the full power in the interpretation and enforcement of all contract regulation contained herein and the power to make such amendments thereto, and such further rules and regulations as shall be considered necessary for the proper conduct of the event.