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## **Green Showcase Home to Host Free Public Tours**

*Built Green™ Home at Suncadia open weekends beginning June 3rd*

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**ROSLYN, Wash.** — The Built Green™ Home at Suncadia, the CWHBA-sponsored model home featuring the latest in environmentally friendly design and features, opens for free public tours beginning June 3rd. Visitors will be able to see features ranging from geothermal heat and cork flooring to on-demand hot water, recycled glass countertops, insulated concrete forms and ENERGY STAR™ appliances; all carefully integrated into the home to highlight comfort and efficiency under one roof.

“One of our major goals with this project is to educate people and help create demand,” says project developer Brenda Nunes. “Built Green™ is just another way to say you’re building a quality house that will last a long time and have less of an impact on the environment.” The mountain lodge-style custom home, located in the Suncadia resort community near Roslyn, Washington is a joint project of Nunes and builder Grey Lundberg of CMI Homes.

In addition to viewing the home’s environmental features, visitors will be able to browse informational displays from suppliers of a wide variety of green building products and services, from recycled-content finish materials to energy-saving heating and cooling systems. Information will also be available from the American Lung Association on how to maintain healthy indoor air quality in your home.

In addition to Nunes and Lundberg and the CWHBA, major supporters of the project include the Environmental Home Center, Built Green™, the Frause Group, and the Master Builders Association of King and Snohomish Counties. Additional sponsors include Puget Sound Energy, ENERGY STAR™ Homes Northwest, Suncadia, Whirlpool, Costco Home, Builders Hardware & Supply, Montana Rockworks, Cubelink Systems, Green Dog Enterprises, and many others. A portion of all sponsorships benefits the nonprofit Built Green™ program. Free public tours of the Built Green™ Home at Suncadia will be offered from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays from May 27 (Memorial Day weekend) through July 16. For more information, visit [www.thebuiltgreenhome.com](http://www.thebuiltgreenhome.com).

### **Directions to the Built Green™ Home at Suncadia**

Suncadia lies just 80 miles east of Puget Sound off Interstate 90.

- Travel eastward on Interstate 90 to Exit 80 (Roslyn/Salmon La Sac).
- After you exit, turn north onto Bullfrog Road and follow the signs to the Suncadia entrance.
- Take Suncadia Trail (the main road in Suncadia) and follow the signs toward the Inn at Suncadia until you reach Swiftwater Trail.
- Turn right onto Swiftwater Trail and make a quick left onto Maple Leaf Loop.
- The Built Green™ Home is the fourth house on the left- 741 Maple Leaf Loop.

### **About Built Green™**

Built Green™ is the nonprofit environmental building program of the Master Builders Association of King and Snohomish Counties, developed in partnership with King County, Snohomish County, and other government agencies in Washington State. Built Green is designed to help homebuyers find quality, affordable homes that offer opportunities to protect both the health of their families and the Northwest environment. More than 6,200 homes have been certified by the program since it was founded in 2000. For more information, visit [www.builtgreen.net](http://www.builtgreen.net).