

# THE ULTIMATE IN A N C T U A R Y<sup>®</sup> S

The Built-In Wellness Your Clients Are Expecting





# The New Norm Is Your Next Opportunity

Recent research shows the American dream is no longer primarily defined in terms of accumulating wealth and possessions, but instead in relation to achieving a happy and healthy mental life.<sup>1</sup>

Wellness is simply a way of life for the new generation of homebuyers, and the home is seen as essential to mental, physical and emotional well-being. In this environment, wellness-branded homes are a necessity from your clients' perspective and a profitable opportunity from yours.

Of all the amenities or technologies that could appeal to high-end homebuyers, nothing surpasses the comfort, quiet and safety of The Ultimate in Sanctuary.

price premium when you focus on wellness

**83**%

A focus on wellness in homes can result in up to a 35% price premium for single-family homes.<sup>2</sup>

An impressive 83% of homebuyers and owners are willing to pay more for healthier homes.<sup>3</sup>



to pay more





saved by

lowering noise

\$**3.9B** 

noise by 5 decibels.4

Noise exposure may contribute to

14% of hypertension cases and

9% of high cholesterol cases.<sup>5</sup>

\$3.9B each year could be saved

in the U.S. in treating cardiovascular

diseases by lowering environmental





Incorporating a well-insulated envelope with state-of-the-art mechanicals, Greenfiber® and Trane® have joined forces to provide a complete home system. The Ultimate in Sanctuary system is simple to understand and integrate into existing building practices from design to installation. With straightforward steps, it creates a new building standard that improves quality of life and promotes wellness.

Greenfiber insulation is engineered to fill the tiny joints and gaps hidden within walls, floors and ceilings, creating a dense, scientifically advanced barrier. It's coupled with market-leading Trane technology to create homes that are quieter, warmer, cooler, cleaner and more hygienic — homes that are more comfortable and appealing at every level.





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### THE ULTIMATE IN **SANCTUARY**<sup>®</sup>

The Ultimate in Sanctuary Is an Elevated System That Will Differentiate Your Homes From Competitive Offerings Thanks To:



60% Reduction In Sound Power Reduced noise from the outside



Equalized Temperatures <sup>4</sup> Guaranteed comfort +/-3 degrees from set point





Ideal Air Quality Removes 99% of allergens and filters down to 0.1 micron (less dust)

Advanced **Humidity Control** Optimized comfor at more efficient set points



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1-Hour

Firewall

More time

to escape

85% recycled content





. In field on identical 2x4 wall types cellulose outperforms fiberglass batts in the walls by 4 STC rating points. 4 STC pts = 60% reduction in sound power. 2. As compared to homes built to the 2006 IECC code. 3. Greenfiber<sup>®</sup> offers a full breadth of fire assemblies. Based on U305 assemblies is a participate in the Custom Comfort Solutions Program, the home mult be built to an energy rating of 60 or below on the Home Energy Rating System (HERS) Index. When the program requirements are met, the home mult be 40% more energy efficient as compared to 2006 International Energy C mpliant home with a HERS Index score of 100. The builder must

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### Advanced Building Technology Integrates Building Enclosure Design With Mechanical Design

Considering insulation and mechanicals at the same time — prior to finalizing design — is the best practice for improving the quality and value of a home. Incorporating insulation and HVAC in the initial design phase not only delivers construction efficiencies but also results in greater comfort, noise reduction, safety and energy efficiency



"We are excited that two industry-leading organizations, Trane® and Greenfiber®, have taken hold of the house as a system approach ... to create comfortable, healthy homes that are energy-efficient and durable for years and years to come." - Chris Little





### We've Laid Out the Process From Start to Finish

#### DESIGN STAGE

Working with your construction plans, our consultants ensure insulation, ducting and right-sized HVAC will result in optimal comfort.

#### TRADE COORDINATION

Our cross-functional team will conduct trainings with your authorized contractor or help you find a qualified contractor.

#### MARKETING

We will also work with your marketing team to develop co-branded marketing tools and support your model homes.

#### **Builder Checklist**

Ducts in conditioned space

- Greenfiber insulation or closed-cell foam to the roof-deck
- Greenfiber insulation in a minimum of 300 square feet of interior walls
- Continuous Greenfiber insulation on the exterior
- Proper flashing
- Trane-approved mechanical design

Principal. Elev8 Builders

### **Greenfiber and Trane: The Right Combination for Enhancing Wellness**

## *queen*fiber

#### **GREENFIBER® INSULATION PROVIDES:**

- 60% Reduction in Sound Power Thanks to its high density and ability to fill gaps and voids, Greenfiber provides superior noise suppression.
- 40% More Energy Efficiency Greenfiber is denser and has better resistance to airflow than conventional insulation. By eliminating gaps where conditioned air can escape, it creates a tighter home that is more efficient.
- 1-Hour Firewall Greenfiber insulation products qualify as a fire-blocking material, providing more time to react in emergencies.
- **Equalized Temperatures** Installing Greenfiber in exterior walls ensures that the temperatures in each room of the home will differ by no more than 3 degrees from the thermostat set point.
- 85% Recycled Our insulation uses recycled materials from local sources, low-energy manufacturing and short-haul transportation for the utmost environmental responsibility.



It's Hard To Stop A Trane.

#### **TRANE PROVIDES:**

- Emerging Trends Expertise 25% of the population is strong believers in the connection between a home's health and one's personal health.
- Optimal Indoor Air Quality CleanEffects<sup>™</sup> technology is certified by the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America to remove up to 99.98% of allergens from filtered air and reduce dust by up to 50%.
- Advanced Humidity Control Trane equipment improves comfort, reduces moisture-based contaminant growth and preserves building interiors.
- High-Performance Home Construction Trane's BDMs partner with the Greenfiber team and offer best-in-class climate solutions and third-party mechanical design to ensure that the HVAC system and the building envelope are designed together, helping builders overcome complexities.
- Optimized Design Unvented, conditioned crawl spaces, minimal length of duct runs and compact design provide greater efficiency.



### Learn About Building The Ultimate in Sanctuary<sup>®</sup>

With our complete healthy home system, you'll have much more to offer today's customers than traditional means of differentiating quality. To have the wellness-branded advantage of The Ultimate in Sanctuary, connect with a representative by visiting UltimateInSanctuary.com or calling 800-228-0024.

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