



# HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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## APPLICATION FOR TAX CREDIT FOR HIGH PERFORMANCE R-2 OR R-3 BUILDING ONLY

In accordance with the provisions of § 9-242 of the Tax-Property Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland and §20.129B of the Howard County Code, the owner of a high performance or an R-2 or R-3 building that qualifies under subsection (D) of this section may receive a property tax credit against the county property taxes imposed on the high performance or R-2 or R-3 building.

For an R-2 or R-3 building that has a LEED Platinum or equivalent rating the total percentage of County Property Tax Credit is as follows:

First Year 100%      Second Year 75%      Third Year 50%      Fourth Year 25%

For an R-2 or R-3 building that has a LEED Gold or equivalent rating the total percentage of County Property Tax Credit is as follows:

First Year 90%      Second Year 68%      Third Year 45%      Fourth Year 23%

For an R-2 or R-3 building that has a LEED Silver or equivalent rating the total percentage of County Property Tax Credit is as follows:

First Year 75%      Second Year 56%      Third Year 38%      Fourth Year 19%

The application shall be filed no later than April 1 prior to the first taxable year for which the credit is sought. All taxes are due and payable when issued. In one fiscal year, the tax credit for an R-2 or R-3 building may not exceed \$5,000 per building; Provided, however that each owner occupied unit is allowed a credit not to exceed \$5,000. Excess credits shall not be carried over to future years.

Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Year beginning \_\_\_\_\_ Property Account Number \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Property Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for the following credit: *(Please attach applicable LEED, ICC 700 or Green Neighborhood Certification)*

	<u>LEED Level</u>	<u>ICC 700 Level</u>	<u>Green Neighborhood Equivalent</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> R-2 Building	<input type="checkbox"/> Platinum	<input type="checkbox"/> Emerald	<input type="checkbox"/> 191-251
<input type="checkbox"/> R-3 Building	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold	<input type="checkbox"/> 164-190
	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver	<input type="checkbox"/> 136-163

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

(Do Not Write Below This Line)

Certification Verified  DILP Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Disapproved: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_