

#### Remodeling Contractors Assoc. / National Association of the Remodeling Industry

I (we) the undersigned, hereby apply for membership in the NARI/RCA Inc., and agree to abide by the Standards of The Remodeling Contractors Association and the National Association of the Remodeling Industry as listed below. Violation of these standards are grounds for the termination of membership. No refund of dues will be issued.

#### STANDARDS OF ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

- 1. To be in business not less than one (1) year, or be a separately located unit of an established business or organization whose principal officer has furnished a favorable record in this Association's files or in those of any remodeling contractor's association.
- 2. If necessary, supply background information about company, principals and employees, or other information deemed essential to the Association's responsibility to provide inquiries with factual reports which bear on the reliability of businesses.
- 3. To cooperate with the Association's activities and efforts to promote voluntary self-regulation.
- 4. To respond to any and all complaints forwarded by the Association.
- 5. To supply, upon request, the evidence upon which any advertising or selling claim is based.
- 6. To adhere to established NARI/RCA, Inc. Standards of Advertising and Selling and to cooperate with the Association in matters relating to it.

7. To use the name or logo for NARI or Remodeling Contractors Assoc. only as authorized by the Board of Directors.

8. Dues for membership term will be \$450 (payment can be made in 4 consecutive monthly payments of \$117.50)

I (we) agree to pay a Membership Fee in advance, commencing immediately. It is understood that upon approval of the Board of Directors of the NARI-RCA, Inc. I (we) will receive all rights and privileges of membership in accordance with the By-Laws of the Association. And, I (we) agree to abide by the Code of Ethics of the National Association of the Remodeling Industry.

## Please complete the following information, incomplete applications will not be processed, please print.

ADDRESS: CITY:		STATE:	ZIP:		
PHONE: FAX:		EMAIL ADDRESS:			
NAME OF BUSINESS OWNER:		REG/LICENCE #:			
PLEASE PROVIDE TWO (2) BUSINESS REFERENCES					
REFERENCE 1:					
REFERENCE 2:					
DATE YOUR BUSINESS WAS FOUNDED:		TYPE OF COMPAN	IY:		
METHOD OF PAYMENT					
VISA/MASTERCARD ACCOUNT #: SECURITY #	# ( on back)	EXP DATE:	AUTH AMT:		
IF PAYING BY COMPANY CHECK, PLEASE ENCLOSE YOUR CHECK WITH APPLICATION WHEN					
RETURNING BY MAIL to RCA 1 Wolcott Road, Wolcott, CT 06716					
APPLICANT SIGNATURE:		I	DATE:		

### CODE OF ETHICS

Each member of the National Association of the Remodeling Industry is pledged to observe high standards of honesty, integrity and responsibility in the conduct of business by:

- Promoting in good faith only those products and services which are known to be functionally and economically sound, and which are known to be consistent with objective standards of health and safety.
- Making all advertising and sales promotion factually accurate, avoiding those practices which tend to mislead or deceive the customer.
- Writing all contracts and warranties such that they comply with federal, state, and local laws.
- Promptly acknowledging and taking appropriate action on all customer complaints.
- Refraining from any act intended to restrain trade or suppress competition.
- Attaining and retaining insurance as required by federal, state, and local authorities.
- Attaining and retaining licensing and/or registration as required by federal, state, and local authorities.

#### BENEFITS

## Support from the National Association with business tools, education, research and advocacy

# State of Connecticut - Department of Consumer Protection and United Way recommend our members to homeowners

**The Department of Consumer Protection** directs homeowners to hire remodeling contractors that belong to our trade association as a way to make sure they get home improvement contractors that are professional

**United Way of CT** – 211 Recommends homeowners choose members from our trade association to insure they get a remodeling contractor that is professional and reliable.

<u>Free</u> lead generation for you		
As a member, you will be listed on <u>many</u> different websites where homeowners will find your business.	<ol> <li>Remodeling Contractors Association – NARI/CT</li> <li>NARI National Website</li> <li>The DCP-"The CT Contractor for Home Improvement"- Useful Links for Consumers</li> <li>United Way of CT – 211</li> <li>Certified Remodelers CT Pinterest Board</li> <li>Houzz</li> </ol>	

Monthly Member Meetings **\*** Certifications **\*** Education **\*** Annual Contractors Awards **\*** links to/from the National site **\*** Facebook **\*** Houzz **\***And much, much more!