

# Veteran's Giveaway - Official Contest Rules, Terms & Conditions

Note: Nominees must be willing to participate in any media interviews or publicity activities associated with the contest and have accepted the terms of the contest as stated in the Official Rules. Finalists will be asked to provide proof of military service. As a material condition of and in consideration for entry and eligibility to win, Nominees must grant Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical and/or its designated affiliate an irrevocable royalty free license to use, exploit and publish Nominees' name, image, approved biographical information, and likeness in all media with regard to the Giveaway and further agree to execute any and all documents reasonable requested by Broadview Heating for purposes of lawfully establishing such license.

### Official Rules:

Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical's "Veterans Giveaway" promotion ("Contest") is sponsored by "Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical" or "Company". This contest is governed by these official rules ("Official Rules"). By participating in the promotion, each entrant agrees to abide by these Official Rules, including all eligibility requirements and understands that the results of the Contest, as determined by Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical, in its sole and exclusive discretion, are final in all respects. The Contest is subject to all federal, state, and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited by law.

## Eligibility:

The Contest is open to legal residents of the United States where not prohibited by law, who are eighteen (18) years of age or older and are Veterans of any branch of the US Military (discharged under general or honorable conditions, must have a DD214), Active-Duty Military (any branch), National Guard, Reserves, or military family members residing within Northeastern Ohio (Cleveland, Ohio area – radius of 35 miles from 4111 E. Royalton Road, Broadview Heights, Ohio). In addition to all other eligibility requirements, eligible contestants must be permanently residing in a home address within 35 miles of downtown Cleveland, as well as internet access and a valid and verifiable e-mail account prior to the beginning of the Contest Period. Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical has the right to verify the eligibility of each entrant, including requesting verification of military service or affiliation, as well as visiting the nominee's residence for a consultation regarding the unit installation. Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter or win. Odds of winning are based on the number of entries.

## 2023 Fall Contest Period:

The Contest begins Sunday, October 1, 2023, at 12.01 a.m. EST and ends Tuesday, October 31, 2023, at 11:00 pm EST.

#### How to Enter:

Contestants can enter the Contest through the Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical website and are eligible to receive one (1) furnace or air conditioning unit including standard installation and manufacturer warranties and free one-time installation from Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical.

#### Submission Period:

Visit Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical website and follow the instructions to submit a nomination that describes why the nominee should receive a free furnace or air conditioning unit, as well as a photo of the nominee. The submission period is open from Sunday, October 1, 2023, at 12:01 a.m. EST to Tuesday, October 31, 2023, at 11:00 p.m. EST. Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical, in its sole and exclusive discretion, will determine eligibility of each submission to determine the list of no more than five finalists.

Finalists will be selected based on criteria including completion of nomination form which requires a photograph of the Nominee, scope of military service, contributions to the community, proof of permanent residency in designated geographical areas, and availability to be interviewed by Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical to determine condition and location of current HVAC unit or furnace.

Public voting participants are limited to one (1) vote per day for the duration of the voting period. The winner will be selected based on the highest number of votes received during the public voting period. There will be one (1) Grand Prize winner and the winner will be announced on the Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical website/Facebook Page on day, Saturday, November 11, 2023.

Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical reserves the right to extend, shorten, or termite the Contest at their sole discretion. Finalists are required to give Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical ample opportunities and access to physically inspect the home HVAC unit or furnace, including internal and external systems, to determine if Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical has the technical ability and legal authority to safely replace the unit without undue burden or cost exceeding \$10,000. Finalists may be disqualified if their homes have poorly maintained or dangerous environments that could hinder proper and safe removal, installation, and performance of the new unit which include, but are not limited to, unsafe condition of the property or its inhabitants, including unrestricted pets, faulty electrical or gas systems, poorly maintained duct and systems work, and other technical issues.

If no finalists meet all the requirements, Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical reserves the right to forgo the popular vote and select a winner at the Company's discretion.

### Winner Selection & Prizes

For Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical's "Veterans Giveaway" promotion, Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical will award one (1) Grand Prize to one (1) winner in Northeastern Ohio. The air conditioning unit or furnace will be installed according to the availability of the winner(s) and Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical after the conclusion of the contest any time after Monday, November 13, 2023. The winner is eligible to receive one (1) air conditioning unit or furnace including standard installation and manufacturer warranties and free one-time installation from Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical. Broadview Heating makes no representations or

warranties, express or implied as to fitness for particular purpose, no service or duct work is included as part of the Grand prize.

Participants do not need to be present to win, and the winner will be contacted in person, via phone or email. In the event the winner cannot be reached and/or does not respond within a 72-hour period of time from the time of initial outreach, they forfeit the prize and the next candidate who received the next highest number of votes during the Voting Period shall receive the prize. This selection process will continue until a winner claims the grand prize. In the event that no winners claim the grand prize pursuant to the rules and regulations (including but not limited to any and all eligibility requirements), the grand prize will be donated to a nonprofit of Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical's choice.

Terms and conditions may apply. Incidental expenses and all other costs and expenses which are not specifically listed as part of a prize in these Official Rules and which may be associated with the award, acceptance, receipt and use of all or any portion of the awarded prize are solely the responsibility of the respective prize winner. Maintenance, repairs or installation of duct work, or anything else that's not part of the initial installation is not included and subject to an additional fee. Additional expenses include, but are not limited to, repairs needed on the home's gas/electrical system to update it to current requirements as listed by the state and federal government, expenses to replace eroded connection systems, damage occurred to poorly maintained connecting systems, expenses to repair damaged walls. ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES ASSOCIATED WITH THE RECEIPT OR USE OF ANY PRIZE IS SOLELY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE WINNER.

ADDITIONAL LIMITATIONS - Prize is non-transferable. No substitution or cash equivalent of prizes is permitted.

### Indemnification and Limitation of Liability

By entering the Contest, each entrant agrees to indemnify, release and hold harmless Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical, the Facebook platform, administrator, advertising and promotional agencies, and all their respective officers, directors, employees, representatives and agents from any liability, damages, losses or injury resulting in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, from that entrant's participation in the Contest, the rights of publicity associated therewith, and the acceptance, use or misuse of any prize that may be won. Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical disclaims any liability for damage to any computer system resulting from access to or the download of information or materials connected with the Contest.

### <u>Taxes</u>

Subject to IRS and other tax reporting. Each winner is solely responsible for reporting and paying any and all applicable taxes related to the prize(s) and paying any expenses associated with any prize which are not specifically provided for in the official rules. Each winner must provide the Company with valid identification and a valid taxpayer identification number or social security number, in the manner provided and/or requested by the Company, before any prize is awarded. Any person winning over \$600 in prizes from the Company will receive an IRS Form 1099 after the end of the calendar year and a copy of such form will be filed with the IRS.

### <u>Publicity</u>

By participating, each entrant grants Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical permission to use his/her name, likeness, business name or comments for publicity purposes without payment of additional consideration, except where prohibited by law.

### <u>Contact</u>

Any questions regarding this promotion should be directed to Broadview Heating, Air Conditioning & Electrical at 440-526-7310.

NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT OF ANY KIND IS NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN.

As a condition for entry and eligibility to win the contest, Nominees hereby irrevocably agree and acknowledge that any and all disputes, actions, causes of actions, arising from or related to the Contest, the rules and regulations, are eligibility requirements, shall be resolved exclusively under the laws of the State of Ohio, without regard to conflict laws, and each Nominee hereby submits themselves to the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located in Cuyahoga County, Ohio, without regard to minimum contacts and waive any right to contest same to the fullest extent permitted by law. Nominees further agree and acknowledge that any and all disputes arising from or related to this Contest shall be brought within the state and federal courts located in Cuyahoga County, Ohio. The prevailing party to any litigation arising from or related to the Contest to be entitled to an award of its costs and reasonable attorney's fees from the non-prevailing party at both the trial and appellate level.