

## Welcome to PlumbingProtect

Stephanie,

I promise not to go on and on about the **great choice you've made** by taking a look at PlumbingProtect... or the fact that **our family of protection products gets "Excellent" ratings from customers all over America**... or even how **we help protect your budget** by paying the covered labor and material costs for the repair and replacement of your internal plumbing system.

You'll see all that for yourself as you go through this Protection Guide – the place where your journey to savings, service and unlimited peace of mind begins.

On behalf of the PlumbingProtect Team: Welcome.

Best,

Sandi Finn, President

Stephanie,

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info about your protection.

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## PlumbingProtect... What Are My Benefits?

Homeownership is a tough job, Stephanie. But we've made it a lot easier by providing you with benefits that can help you...



Lower Stress: Call our toll-free number 1-800-474-4047 any time - day or night. Plumbing problems no longer have the stressful impact they used to because now you always have Customer Service specialists ready to help.

**Protect Your Budget:** You now have **up to \$15,000 in annual coverage**. So when it comes time to repair or replace your covered plumbing system, your budget won't have to pay the price.\*

Access Experts: Your coverage includes access to our network of pre-screened and licensed professionals. That means the service professional sent to your home has been pre-qualified by meeting our rigorous standards.

Maximize Coverage: There is **no limit to how often you can call** to use the PlumbingProtect service. Your Customer Service Team is always available. Always!

Enjoy Peace of Mind: Since any age, make or model\* of inside plumbing is accepted into the plan, there's no need to worry that you're covered.

**Congratulations,** Stephanie. You've taken the first step to keeping the plumbing system at 1561 NE 32nd St up and running while also keeping your budget intact. It's a great feeling, isn't it?

<sup>\*</sup>See terms, conditions, and limitations in the contract enclosed in this kit. Covered mechanical parts and components of the interior plumbing system must be in good working order at time of activation. Non-covered charges may apply to certain repairs and replacements.

## You Have a Plumbing Problem... Now What?

When the plumbing system at 1561 NE 32nd St experiences a problem and needs servicing, here's what to do:

1 Know your covered items.

Take a look at the list below. If the problem involves any of these plumbing items, mechanical parts or components, you're covered.

### YOUR HOME PLUMBING SYSTEM, INCLUDING:

Garbage Disposal

Toilet Bowls

**Toilet Tanks** 

Mechanisms within Toilet Tank

**Faucets** 

Plumbing Stoppages

Shower and Tub Valves

Water, Gas, Waste and Vent Line Leaks and Breaks



## Place Your Claim

There are plenty of service technicians in the Pompano Beach area available to help.



- Call 1-800-474-4047 and speak with a live Customer Representative.
- **Go to www.PlaceMyClaim.com**, click the "Place Your Claim" Button and complete the Claim Form.

No matter how you choose to place your claim, you'll need your Warranty Number handy: **80657956**.

That's all there is to it!

And remember, Stephanie, anyone in the Smith household can call (or go online) to place a claim.

## We'll Take it From Here...

A Pre-screened Service Technician specialized in the repair of home plumbing systems, will be sent to your home at a time that's convenient for you. Once the problem is diagnosed, we will make a determination...

Repair or Replacement? If the item can be repaired, it will be restored to meet PlumbingProtect's superior requirements. If we determine that the covered item cannot be repaired, it will be replaced with a new one of comparable features – all for the low cost of your \$30 service call fee.\*

And to give you even more peace of mind, all repairs are guaranteed for a full 180 days. This Six-Month Workmanship Guarantee ensures that if the same problem recurs due to a workmanship issue, you will not pay a cent!

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## Only a \$30 Service Call Fee... What's the Catch?

Actually Stephanie, there is no catch. PlumbingProtect is all about protecting your budget when the inevitable happens. And unfortunately, it will happen. Remember what first caught your attention about PlumbingProtect?

The \$30 service call fee that pays for repair or replacement\*...

The peace of mind knowing that you're covered for up to \$15,000...

The fact that you're protected no matter how old your plumbing system is\*...

#### Whatever it was, the message came through loud and clear:

PlumbingProtect is here to assist you – 24/7 – while helping make sure you are protected from the risk of budget-breaking repair and replacement costs.

### Here's just a sample of Your Money Savings Potential with PlumbingProtect

## Replacement Cost Without PlumbingProtect\*\*

Toilets	\$100 - <b>\$400</b>	
Garbage Disposal	\$75 – <b>\$215</b>	
Interior Water Lines	\$75 – <b>\$650</b>	
Shower and Tub Valves	\$75 – <b>\$250</b>	
Faucets	\$180 - <b>\$250</b>	
Waste Drain Lines	\$500 <b>– \$4,000</b>	

Replacement Cost
With PlumbingProtect\*



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<sup>\*\*</sup> The data is based on PlumbingProtect's estimated ranges on retail costs for replacement of the listed items. Includes data from national independent service contractors.

## You Have Questions – We Have Answers

Stephanie, if you have <u>ANY</u> questions that aren't answered below (or in this guide), please call your Customer Service Team at **1-800-474-4047**. Someone is always available to help.

#### Q: Why do I need PlumbingProtect if I have homeowners insurance?

A: Please check your homeowners policy. Most likely you'll discover that the repair or replacement of interior plumbing system parts and components due to mechanical failure is not covered.

### Q: My plumbing system is old... and I mean old. Is it still covered?

A: It doesn't matter how old your plumbing system is – or what make or model the components and mechanical parts might be – PlumbingProtect covers them.\* No questions asked.

#### Q: Are PlumbingProtect's service professionals reputable?

A: All PlumbingProtect service professionals have been pre-screened and pre-qualified. They are continually monitored for service quality to ensure that they provide "Best in Class" service for every visit.

#### Q: My plumbing system is new. Why would I need PlumbingProtect?

A: Simply stated, "They don't make things like they used to." Unfortunately, that leads to premature problems, even with new plumbing components and mechanical parts. That's why most of our customers in new homes enjoy the protection and peace of mind they get with PlumbingProtect.

### Q: What information do I need to place a claim?

A: You'll need only two pieces of information: PlumbingProtect's telephone number: **1.800.474.4047** or claims website address: **PlaceMyClaim.com**. And your WARRANTY #, which is: **80657956**.

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## You Want New Appliances? Not a Problem.

If you take a look through your home, would you say some of the appliances in the Smith household need upgrading?

When you want new appliances "just because", PlumbingProtect is here for you - providing special deals through the PlumbingProtect Appliance Buyline Discount Buying Service.

From clothes washers and dryers to stoves and dishwashers, just follow the instructions on page 11 and enjoy deep discounts on some of the best names in the business - instantly.

And remember Stephanie, if you want them installed by our professionals, we can do that for you too - and we'll even discount the installation cost because you're a PlumbingProtect customer.





### Top Brand Names... at Bottom Line Prices

Choose from some of the most trusted names in the industry

General Electric®	KitchenAid®
Whirlpool®	Jenn-Air®
Maytag®	Gladiator®

## How to Get Your Appliance Discounts



GO ONLINE	GE www.Shop4GE.com GE Profile GE Café GE Monogram	WHIRLPOOL www.Partners.Whirlpool.com Whirlpool Jenn-Air Maytag Gladiator KitchenAid
REGISTER FOR ACCESS	CLICK: "Register for access to the GE Store" (located at the bottom left of GE home page)	CLICK:  "Create an Account"  (located at the right side of Whirlpool home page)
ENJOY YOUR SAVINGS	USE AUTHORIZATION CODE: <b>CCF916S</b> and then complete registration For GE Appliance Assistance 1.800.207.8665	USE GROUP CODE: <b>FT2187439</b> and then complete registration. For Whirlpool Appliance Assistance: 1.866.808.9274

Access to these online stores is for your personal use only and will include a separate user agreement outlining the manufacturer's terms and conditions for using their site.

### Appliance Buyline® Discount Buying Service

Terms & Conditions

THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLY TO ALL ENROLLEES OF THE APPLIANCE BUYLINE DISCOUNT BUYING SERVICE (THE "SERVICE") AND SHALL BE BINDING ON ALL ENROLLEES UPON COMPLETION OF ENROLLMENT IN THE SERVICE.

- 1. **THE SERVICE**: The Service is offered by Cross Country Home Services, Inc. as an additional benefit to enrollees in certain of its and its affiliates and subsidiaries' home products (collectively CCHS). Through the Service, enrollees are given direct access to third-party merchants' ("Participating Merchants") websites through which enrollees can purchase appliances at discounted prices compared with the manufacturer and/or Participating Merchants's suggested retail prices. All products offered to enrollees in the Service are determined solely and exclusively by the Participating Merchants, and all prices and discounts advertised on the Participating Merchants' websites for the products offered are determined solely and exclusively by the Participating Merchants. All purchases made by enrollees through the Service are made directly between the enrollee and the Participating Merchant and must be approved by the Participating Merchant. All terms and costs of delivery and/or installation of any product by any enrollee. The Service are determined solely and exclusively by the Participating Merchant and the enrollee. The Service shall not participate in the selection, purchase, payment, delivery, or installation of any product by any enrollee from any Participating Merchant. The Service reserves the sole and exclusive right to determine which merchants may participate in the Service.
- 2. **ENROLLMENT:** To enroll in the Service, you must contact the Service at 1-800-475-9679 or by email to questions@appliancebuyline.com. Once enrolled, you will be provided with the necessary information to access Participating Merchants' websites, including any required authorization codes necessary to access the websites. Depending on the Participating Merchant, you may also be required to register with the Participating Merchant before accessing the merchant's website and/or purchasing any products. All enrollees in the Service who access and/or register with a Participating Merchant's website are subject to all terms and conditions established by that Participating Merchant in addition to the Terms and Conditions set forth herein.

#### 3. MERCHANDISE ORDERS:

- a. When you order a product from a Participating Merchant, the purchase is completed solely and exclusively between you and the Participating Merchant. Neither the Service nor CCHS is the merchant, vendor, supplier, or manufacturer of any product. Neither the Service nor CCHS maintain inventory for any products, or take title to the product. In addition to the terms and conditions set forth herein, all orders placed with a Participating Merchant are subject to the terms and conditions of the Participating Merchant with which the order is placed as well as any terms and conditions imposed by the manufacturer.
- b. All purchases made through the Service must be completed with a credit card unless otherwise permitted by the Participating Merchant. You must check with each Participating Merchant to determine which credit cards they accept.

#### 4. CANCELLATION AND RETURN POLICY ON MERCHANDISE ORDERS:

- a. All cancellations of any orders placed with a Participating Merchant are subject to and must comply with the terms, conditions and policies of the Participating Merchant with which the order was made. You must contact the Participating Merchant directly to effectuate any cancellation.
- b. All returns of items purchased through the Service from a Participating Merchant and delivered to you are subject to and must comply with the terms, conditions and policies of the Participating Merchant from whom the product was purchased. You must contact the Participating Merchant directly to effectuate any return.
- 5. AVAILABILITY OF MERCHANDISE: The Service and CCHS do not guarantee the availability of any product. The availability of any product is determined solely and exclusively by the Participating Merchants.
- 6. WHO MAY USE: You and immediate members of your family living in your household may use the Service for the purpose of purchasing home appliances for your and your immediate family's personal use. You may not use the Service to purchase appliances for the purpose of reselling them. You may not disclose any information you learn from accessing any Participating Merchant's website to any person or entity except as necessary to fulfill the buy-sell relationship between you and the Participating Merchant. You may not give any other person access to any Participating Merchant's website or purchase appliances through the Service on behalf of anyone other than yourself or your immediate family members living in your household. You agree to notify the Service if you become aware of any unauthorized use of the Service. Any violation of these limitations may result in the immediate termination of your enrollment in the Service and/or termination of your right to access Participating Merchants' websites.

#### 7. LIMITS OF LIABILITY:

- a. THE SERVICE, CCHS, AND EACH OF THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES DISCLAIM AND ASSUME NO LIABILITY AS A SELLER OF ANY PRODUCTS INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY LIABILITY FOR ANY DEFECTIVE PRODUCTS, INCLUDING WITH RESPECT TO ANY PERSONAL INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE CAUSED BY SUCH DEFECTIVE PRODUCTS, DELAY IN DELIVERY OF PRODUCT, OF PRODUCTS FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER, DELIVERY OF THE WRONG PRODUCT, NEGLIGENCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE DELIVERY AND/OR INSTALLATION OF A PRODUCT, AND NEGLIGENCE OF A PARTICIPATING MERCHANT, AND YOU AGREE TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL SUCH CLAIMS AS AGAINST THE SERVICE, CCHS AND EACH OF THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES.
- b. THE SERVICE, CCHS AND EACH OF THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES FURTHER EXPRESSLY DISCLAIM AND ASSUME NO LIABILITY FOR SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES AND YOU AGREE TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS FOR SUCH DAMAGES. THE SERVE, CCHS AND EACH OF THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES LIABILITY TO YOU SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF THE FEE PAID BY YOU FOR THE SERVICE.

### Appliance Buyline® Discount Buying Service

### Terms & Conditions

- c. The service, cchs and their parents, subsidiaries and affiliates shall not be responsible for any errors or omissions contained in any website, publication or guide produced and provided to you by the service, cchs or their parents, subsidiaries or affiliates or for any errors or omissions contained in any participating merchant's website, publications or guides. Information in any such publications, guides and/or websites regarding product manufacturers, model numbers, prices, access numbers and procedures are subject to change without notice.
- 8. WARRANTY DISCLAIMER: TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, THE SERVICE, CCHS AND THEIR PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES MAKE NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, ORAL OR WRITTEN, WITH RESPECT TO ANY PRODUCTS OR SERVICES SOLD BY ANY PARTICIPATING MERCHANT, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY FOR MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND ALL WARRANTIES ARISING BY CUSTOM OR TRADE USAGE.
  - YOU ARE ENTITLED ONLY TO THE MANUFACTURER AND/OR PARTICIPATING MERCHANT'S PRODUCT AND SERVICE WARRANTIES SET FORTH IN THE DOCUMENTATION AND INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE MANUFACTURER AND/OR PARTICIPATING MERCHANT THESE WARRANTIES SHALL BE YOUR SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY IN FOULTY OR AT LAW FOR DEFECTIVE PRODUCTS OR SERVICES
- 9. **CHANGES IN TERMS AND CONDITIONS**: The Service reserves the right to change the terms and conditions of this Agreement at any time. Benefits may vary from those stated here, and are subject to change without prior notice.
- 10. GOVERNING LAW: These Terms and Conditions, and the rights and obligations stated hereunder, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Florida, without regard to its conflict of laws provisions.
- 11. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** 1. **ARBITRATION:** All disputes, controversies or claims of any sort, arising out of or in any way relating to this Agreement, its negotiation, and the Services provided pursuant to it, whether based in contract, tort, regulation, or any other legal or equitable theory (collectively "Disputes"), shall be resolved at the consumer's choice by settlement or final and binding arbitration or in and through a small claims court having jurisdiction over such Disputes. Arbitration shall be conducted within the geographical limits of the applicable federal district court where the Covered Property is located, or such other location upon which both parties mutually agree. The Commercial Arbitration Rules and Supplementary Procedures for Consumer-Related Disputes of the American Arbitration Association (the "Arbitration Rules") in effect at the time arbitration is demanded by either party shall govern the arbitration proceeding and the selection of one neutral arbitrator to preside over the proceeding. The arbitrator is empowered to decide all Disputes and all questions related to the enforceability and scope of these Dispute Resolution provisions, including but not limited to the validity, interpretation and applicability of these Dispute Resolution Provisions. Additionally, this transaction involves interstate commerce, and these Dispute Resolution provisions shall be governed by the Federal Arbitration Act, as amended (9 USC 1). No arbitration may proceed on a class or representative basis, and the arbitrator may not consolidate any arbitration proceeding governed by these Dispute Resolution Provisions with any other person's arbitration proceeding, and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding. Under the Arbitration Rules, although each party is required to pay certain administrative and arbitrator fees, the amount the consumer may be required to pay is limited. Each party to arbitration is responsible for its own attorney's fees, if the party chooses to b
- 12. ASSIGNMENT: You may not assign or delegate any of your rights or obligations under this Agreement without the written consent of the Service and subject to the authorization of Participating Merchants in accordance with their respective terms, conditions and policies.
- 13. **ENTIRE AGREEMENT**: These Terms and Conditions constitute the entire agreement between you, the Service and CCHS with regard to the Service and any representation, promise or condition in connection therewith, whether oral or written, not incorporated herein shall not be binding upon either party, including, without limitation, any promotional, advertising and/or marketing materials provided to you by the Service or CCHS or otherwise exchanged between the parties.

Cross Country Home Services, Inc. is the Servicing Company of the Appliance Buyline® Discount Buying Service. Certain restrictions and limitations apply. The Appliance Buyline® Discount Buying Service complies with all applicable laws and regulations concerning consumer goods. Products restricted by law are not available. Not available in Puerto Rico. Appliance Buyline is a registered service mark of Cross Country Home Services, Inc., Ft. Lauderdale, Ft. 33323.

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TECO Peoples Gas and TECO Partners are not affiliated with Cross Country Home Services, Inc. or the home services and other plans it markets. If TECO Peoples Gas bills participating customers for Cross Country plan issuers, it does to solely for the convenience of participating customers. Participating customers must look solely to Cross Country Home Services, Inc. or the corresponding plan issuers for claims related to the home services and other plans marketed by Cross Country or such plan issuers. In no event shall TECO Peoples Gas or TECO Partners be responsible to participating customers for claims made under any such plan.

### Home Service Plan Coverage Summary

### **HomeSure of America, Inc.**

PlumbingProtect\* Home Service Plan P. O. Box 550607 Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33355

Contract Number 80657956 Price \$9.95 / Month

Deductible \$30 \$15,000

Plan Holder:

Covered Property Address: 1561 NE 32nd St

Pompano Beach, FL 33064-6711

Request Date Effective Date Expiration Date 11/16/2012 12/16/2012 12/15/2013

Stephanie L Smith 1561 NE 32nd St Pompano Beach, FL 33064-6711

YOUR PLAN COVERS THE FOLLOWING:

Faucets Garbage Disposal Plumbing Plumbing Stoppages Toilets

State/Other Specific	cs:		
AGENT SIGNATURE		 	

THIS AGREEMENT IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AND PROVISIONS SET FORTH IN THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT.
PLEASE READ COVERAGE, EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS CAREFULLY. PLEASE SEE FOLLOWING PAGES FOR A MORE DETAILED EXPLANATION.

# FOR SERVICE, QUESTIONS OR CLAIMS UNDER THIS PLAN, PLEASE CALL US TOLL FREE AT:1.800.474.4047 24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK. FOR CLAIMS, YOU CAN ALSO VISIT US AT: WWW.PLACEMYCLAIM.COM

This Home Service Agreement is issued by HomeSure Services, Inc., except in the following states where it is issued by the identified entity: in Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming by HomeSure of America, Inc.; in California by HomeSure Protection of California, Inc.; and in Virginia and Oregon by HomeSure of Virginia, Inc. Services are provided by independent tradespeople/contractors. PlumbingProtect\* is a service mark of Cross Country Home Services, Inc., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33355. Please see contract for actual terms and conditions; benefits may vary by state.

This Home Service Agreement, hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement", is issued by the entity listed for your state on the Coverage Summary page. Such entity is hereinafter referred to as the "Issuing Company", or "we", "us", and/or "our". The owner of the home covered by this Agreement is hereinafter referred to as "you" and/or "your". This is a Home Service Agreement, not an insurance policy.

This Agreement is intended to provide protection against the cost of repairing certain types of mechanical failures of specific Items in your home. Please read the Agreement carefully. Coverage includes only certain mechanical failures of the specific Items listed as covered on your Agreement Coverage Summary and excludes all other failures and/or Items. The Agreement Coverage Summary is attached to and made a part of this Agreement. Coverage is subject to the limitations and conditions specified in this Agreement.

This Agreement has provisions for the use of final and binding arbitration to resolve disputes and otherwise limits the remedies available to you. Please see DISPUTE RESOLUTION section for more information about arbitration.

#### I. BASIS FOR COVERAGE

We agree to pay the covered costs to repair or replace the Items listed as covered on your Agreement Coverage Summary ("Covered Items") if any such Covered Items become inoperable during the term of this Agreement due to mechanical failure caused by routine wear and tear, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Determination of coverage for any claim will be made solely by us, considering, without limitation our independent service contractor's diagnosis. We reserve the right, at our option, to replace Covered Items rather than repair them. The definitions of the specific Items that may be listed on your Agreement Coverage Summary as covered, as well as other limitations on coverage and other terms and conditions, are listed below.

This Agreement covers only mechanical failures relating to the mechanical parts and components of those domestic-grade items that were in the home and in proper operating condition on the Agreement effective date. "Mechanical failure" occurs when a covered item becomes inoperable and unable to perform its designed function, subject to the limitations and conditions set forth herein. Mechanical failure is not covered if it is due to: conditions that existed prior to Agreement effective date; lack of routine care and maintenance; or misuse. "Domestic-grade" items are those that were manufactured and marketed solely for installation and use in a residential single family dwelling. The covered item will be deemed to have been in "proper operating condition" on the Agreement effective date if it was correctly located within the home, was properly installed to code at the time of installation, was fully connected, was capable of successfully performing all operations commensurate with the manufacturer's original design intention, and did not pose any hazard to life or property. Determination of the operating condition as of Agreement effective date, and the nature of any failure, will be made by us based upon the professional opinion of our direct employees, considering but not limited to, our independent contractor's diagnosis.

#### II. DEFINITION OF ITEMS

This Agreement provides coverage only for those Items specifically listed as being covered on your Agreement Coverage Summary. Please refer to your Agreement Coverage Summary. This Agreement defines precisely what mechanical systems and which of their parts and components, are covered; only those Items specifically so described are covered, subject to the limitations and conditions herein. The Items listed in this section as "Examples of Items/Conditions Not Covered" are not meant to be all-inclusive and are provided for illustration. They do not limit our right to decline coverage for Items not on the lists and should not in any way be deemed an expansion of Items specified as Covered.

Description of Covered Items: Mechanical parts and components of the following: garbage disposal; interior hose bibs; shower and tub valves; faucets, should

we choose to replace a faucet the replacement will be builder's standard; toilet tanks, bowls, and toilet mechanisms within the toilet tank. The clearing of plumbing stoppages using standard snake/auger systems, of drain, waste or vent lines up to 100 feet from point of access where accessible ground level cleanout is existing, and which can be cleared with standard cable. Request to clear the same line(s) after fourteen (14) days' time has elapsed will be considered a new claim and require a new deductible. Leaks and breaks, of water, gas, drain, waste and vent lines/pipes within the perimeter of the main foundation are also covered.

**Examples of Items/Conditions Not Covered:** All plumbing in or under the ground, foundation or slab; all piping and plumbing outside of the perimeter of the foundation, except for water service valves and sewer drains; any piping or plumbing in a detached structure; bath tubs; bidets; caulking or grouting; color or purity of the water in the system; stoppage of concrete encased plumbing; any fees for locating, accessing or installing cleanouts; removal of water closets/toilets in order to clear stoppages, any fees for photo/video equipment, hydro-jetting equipment; jet or steam clearing; chemicals; stoppages caused by root invasion; stoppages caused by foreign objects, such as but not limited to, toys, bottle caps, etc; conditions of insufficient or excessive water pressure; conditions of water flow restriction due to scale, minerals and other deposits; exterior hose bibs; freeze damage; holding and pressure tanks; inaccessible plumbing; concrete encased plumbing; jetted bath tubs; jet pumps; lawn sprinkler systems; pressure regulating devices; repair and finish of any walls, floors or ceilings where it is necessary to break through to effect repairs; septic tanks and systems in or outside of the home; sewage ejector pumps; sewer and water laterals; shower enclosures and base pans; shower heads; sinks; solar systems; sump pumps; toilet tank lids and toilet seats; water damage; water filters; water purification systems; water softeners; wells and well pumps; whirlpools, spas and their respective plumbing and mechanical components.

#### III. SERVICE

- 1. When repair or replacement services covered by this Agreement are required, you must telephone us at the toll-free service number printed on your Agreement Coverage Summary page. Telephone service is available twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week. You must notify us immediately upon discovery of any mechanical failure, and prior to the expiration of the term of the Agreement during which the failure occurred. If you fail to notify us of any mechanical failure prior to the expiration of the term of the Agreement during which the failure occurred, we will not be responsible for the cost of any repairs and/or replacements resulting from the mechanical failure.
- 2. We will provide you with a referral to an independent service contractor. We will use reasonable efforts to provide a referral to an independent service contractor within two (2) hours after the service request is received during normal business hours and within twenty-four (24) hours for requests received after normal business hours and on weekends or holidays. In the event we determine, at our sole discretion, that there is an emergency situation requiring expedited service, we will make reasonable efforts to expedite service. We will determine, at our sole discretion, which repairs constitute an emergency and will give consideration to covered mechanical failures that affect the habitability of the dwelling.
- 3. We have sole authority to select independent service contractors. All repair and/or replacement work covered by this Agreement must be performed by a pre-approved independent service contractor, and all repair and replacement services must be approved by us in advance. We are not responsible or liable for and will not cover any expenses you incur without our prior express consent, and we will not reimburse you for any costs you incur associated with unauthorized repair or replacement work performed by unauthorized contractors.
- 4. This Agreement includes a deductible charge, listed on your Agreement Coverage Summary, that you must pay on each service call made towards the covered portion of any claim. You are responsible for and shall pay the independent service contractor directly for the service call and for actual work performed and/or Item installed, up to the amount of the deductible at the time of visit(s), in a manner acceptable to the independent service contractor. You are responsible for and shall pay the independent service contractor for any amounts due for services performed or parts installed that are not covered under the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement.

A service call includes, without limitation, inspecting, diagnosing, and/or performing service for the repair or replacement of a malfunctioning Item.

- 5. You will provide access to the covered property during normal business hours for the independent service contractor to diagnose, obtain approval for, and/or complete repairs for covered mechanical failures. You will pay us and/or our independent service contractor for any service charges and additional charges assessed by our independent service contractor resulting from your failure to provide access to the covered property and/or for missed appointments.
- 6. Should any building or zoning permits be necessary, you are responsible for paying for and/or obtaining these permits and the cost associated with these permits.
- 7. At our discretion, we may elect to replace a Covered Item rather than repair it. **The decision to replace rather than repair Covered Items is solely our option.** Should we choose to replace a Covered Item the replacement will be the base model that meets all applicable federally mandated minimal manufacturers' standards, performs the same primary function, and has a capacity comparable to the Covered Item, when available with domestically assembled units. We will be responsible for the installation of the replacement Covered Item but not for the cost of the construction, modifications, carpentry or transitional work made necessary in order to accommodate the replacement, nor for any costs to upgrade or modify Covered Items for any reason. Should we determine to replace Covered Item and you instead choose to affect a repair, that Covered Item shall be excluded from further coverage under this Agreement and subsequent renewals.
- 8. At our discretion, we may give you the option to elect to receive a repair/replacement credit or cash payment (net of deductible) in lieu of providing a repair. In such cases, the amount of such credit shall be equal to the lesser of the approved cost of repair or the estimated cost of replacement. If you elect a credit to our independent service contractor, we will pay that amount directly to the independent service contractor after the work has been completed. If you elect the cash payment, you must supply documentation supporting that the Item in question has been purchased, replaced or repaired prior to receiving the cash payment. Any replacement Item must be installed in the covered property as listed on the Agreement Summary Page. **The amount of the approved cost of repair or replacement will be established by us at our sole discretion.**We reserve the right to inspect repaired and/or replacement Items.
- 9. We reserve the right to obtain, at our expense, a second opinion by an independent service contractor prior to determining eligibility for coverage.

#### IV. GENERAL EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS

- 1. This Agreement provides coverage for the mechanical failure of only those systems and components thereof listed as covered on your Agreement Coverage Summary and only to the extent described herein. This Agreement does not cover any Items not specifically named as covered on your Agreement Coverage Summary.
- 2. This Agreement shall not cover any Item(s) if they are: mismatched (incompatible components); modified from the original manufacturer design or application; previously, or subsequently, determined to be defective by the Consumer Product Safety Commission or the manufacturer and for which either has issued, or issues, a warning or recall, or which is otherwise necessitated due to failure caused by the manufacturer's improper design, use of improper materials and/or formulas, manufacturing process or any other manufacturing defect; improperly installed; or below the slab or basement floor of the home; or located outside the perimeter of the main foundation.
- 3. This Agreement covers only repairs and/or replacements due to mechanical failure attributable to ordinary wear and tear. Accordingly, the Agreement does not cover failures which may result from other causes, such as, without limitation: abuse, misuse or neglect; improper installation; improper or insufficient maintenance; lightning strikes; missing parts; animal, pet and/or pest damage; power failure; power surge; fire; casualty; acts of God; structural and/or property damage; flood; smoke; earthquake; freeze damage; accidents; war; acts of terrorism; nuclear explosion, reaction, radiation or radioactive contamination; insurrection; riots; vandalism; or intentional destruction of property. This Agreement does not cover mechanical failures resulting directly or indirectly from or caused by mold, mildew, mycotoxins, fungus, bacteria, virus, condensation, and/or wet or dry rot regardless of the source, origin, or location and any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any sequence to the mechanical failure.
- 4. This Agreement does not cover upgrading or making modifications to Items due to, without limitation, the following reasons: capacity (over or undersized); dimensional or design

- change; conditions of insufficient or excessive water pressure; conditions of inadequate wiring capacity; circuit overload; power failure and/or surge; failure to meet building code(s); zoning requirements; utility regulations; or failure to comply with local, state or federal laws or regulations.
- 5. This Agreement does not cover any costs associated with upgrades, components, parts, or equipment required due to the incompatibility of any existing equipment with the replacement item or component, or part thereof. This Agreement does not cover any costs associated with construction, carpentry, or other modifications made necessary by the existing equipment or installation of different equipment. This Agreement does not cover any costs associated with any upgrades or modifications required to comply with federal, state, and local law, code, regulation, or ordinance. All such costs are your responsibility.
- 6. This Agreement does not cover any of the following: fees associated with the removal and disposal of old components and Items; fees or costs, including, without limitation disposal fees arising from hazardous or toxic material, or asbestos.
- 7. This Agreement does not cover any of the following: repair or replacement of items or components classified by the manufacturer as commercial-grade.
- 8. This Agreement does not cover (a) fees associated with use of cranes or other lifting equipment required to service any Item. or (b) electronic computerized energy management systems or devices.
- 9. This Agreement does not cover any costs incurred to gain access to a Covered Item or component in situations where there is not adequate capacity or space for serviceability caused by, but not limited to, walls, floors, ceilings, permanently installed fixtures, cabinets, snow/ice covered areas, flooded areas, or personal property. In the event it is necessary to open walls, floors, or ceilings, or to move such fixtures, cabinets, or personal property to perform a diagnosis or service, we are not responsible for restoring such openings, items, or property. This Agreement does not cover any costs associated with equipment to gain access or permit serviceability such as but not limited to scaffolding.
- 10. This Agreement does not cover delays or failures to provide service caused by, or related to: any of the exclusions listed herein; shortages of labor and/or materials; or any other cause beyond our reasonable control. This Agreement does not cover additional charges to access or transport materials, supplies, or independent service contractors to the covered property due to lack of or inhibited serviceability, such as but not limited to, tolls, required use of ferries or barges and/or remote locations.
- 11. This agreement does not cover any incidental, consequential, special, and/or punitive damages, and you agree to waive any and all claims for such damages, arising from, resulting from and/or related to the failure of any Item or component, including, but not limited to, food spoilage, loss of income, additional living expenses, and/or any loss, damage, cost or expense directly or indirectly arising out of or resulting from, or in any manner related to mold, mildew, mycotoxins, fungus, bacteria, viruses, condensation, wet or dry rot and/or other property damage.
- 12. This Agreement does not cover repairs or replacements of any Item covered by other insurance, warranties or guarantees, including but not limited to, manufacturer's, contractor's, builder's, distributor's, or in-home warranties. Our coverage is secondary to such insurance, warranties, or guarantees.
- 13. This Agreement does not cover any mechanical failure when the Covered Item or component has been repaired, modified, disabled or adjusted in any way which prevents us or our independent service contractor(s) from inspecting, diagnosing and/or repairing the mechanical failure. If you authorize or perform any improper alterations, installations or repairs or improperly modify any item or component covered by this Agreement, or damage it in the course of remodeling or repair, we will no longer be obligated to cover such Item(s).
- 14. This Agreement does not cover performance of routine maintenance. You are responsible for performing all routine maintenance and cleaning for all Covered Items as specified and recommended by the manufacturer. You are also responsible for providing all routine maintenance for all areas in a covered property around Covered Items to ensure that these Items are able to function properly as specified by the manufacturer. Any mechanical failures resulting from your failure to provide routine maintenance as specified in this paragraph, or as otherwise required in this Agreement, shall not be covered in accordance with Section IV, Paragraph 3 of this Agreement.
- 15. Subject to the limitations and exclusions in this Agreement, our maximum liability per covered claim submitted pursuant to this Agreement (i.e. a payment

#### made as a result of a request for service due to a single mechanical failure of a single covered Item) shall not exceed \$15,000.

- 16. We are not liable for any damages that result from an independent service contractor's service, delay in providing service or failure to provide service. We are not liable for any incidental, consequential, special, and/or punitive damages, whether caused by negligence or any other cause, and you agree to waive any and all claims for such damages, arising from, resulting from or related to any independent service contractor's service, delay in providing service or failure to provide service, including, but not limited to, damages, resulting from delays in securing parts and/or labor, the failure of any equipment used by an independent service contractor, labor difficulties, and/or the negligent, tortious and/or unlawful acts or omissions of any independent service contractor.
- 17. **Under any and all circumstances, our maximum liability, in the aggregate, for any and all claims submitted per term of this Agreement shall be \$15,000.**This aggregate maximum liability per term of the Agreement includes any and all covered claims made in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, as well as any and all claims, causes of action and/or rights of action, whether filed in arbitration or any court of law, for breach of contract, negligence, torts, strict liability, claims arising under any state or federal statute (to the extent such limitations are permitted by law), indemnification, contribution, and/or subrogation.

#### **V. PROPERTIES ELIGIBLE FOR COVERAGE**

- 1. This Agreement covers a single family residence, including a condominium, townhouse or villa used solely for residential purposes. Multi-family residential income property of more than two-units is not eligible for coverage. Any dwelling used in whole or in part for commercial purposes such as, but not limited to, a day care facility, a group home (5 or more unrelated individuals cohabiting in same household) or fraternity-type house, "bed and breakfast", church or school will not be covered. Notwithstanding the exclusion of "group homes", this Agreement provides coverage under a special exception for special purpose group homes devoted to housing persons with mental and physical disabilities, as those terms are defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act at Title 42 of the United States Code Section 12102(2)(A). Homes listed or registered in any historical register, including without limitation the National Register of Historic Places are not covered. Whether or not this Agreement covers a condominium unit, mobile home, manufactured home, or multi-family property (duplex), any repairs and/or replacements are limited to the Items solely used by and located and serviceable within such single unit (unless specified otherwise). No common area Items shared by non-warranted units shall be covered by this Agreement.
- 2. Mobile homes constructed within ten (10) years of the effective date of the Agreement are eligible for coverage, provided they are permanently secured to the ground and, -you own the land on which the mobile home is located. Mobile/manufactured homes that are located in a division operated similar to a condominium, where maintenance is provided, are also eligible for coverage.

#### VI. CANCELLATION

- 1. You may void this Agreement within 30 days of the coverage effective date for a full refund of the contract fees paid if no claim has been made. The right to void this Agreement as provided in this paragraph is not transferable. A ten percent penalty per month will be added to any refund required under this paragraph, including any accrued penalties, that is not paid or credited within 30 days after termination of this Agreement pursuant to this paragraph.
- 2. You may cancel this Agreement within 30 days of the coverage effective date if a claim has been made, or at any time thereafter, at which time you may be entitled to a refund of unearned contract fees paid based on the short rate schedule less a processing fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) and less the cost of any services performed pursuant to the Agreement, where permitted by law. If the refund calculation results in you owing us payment for services provided, we may bill you for the lesser of the net amount due to us or the unpaid annual term contract fee. We will bill or charge you any balance owed to us through the same mechanism as any previous installment billings, or we will direct bill you if such a mechanism is not available.

3. We may terminate this Agreement immediately, after any applicable notice provisions, for non-payment, fraud or material misrepresentation. If we terminate for fraud or material misrepresentation, this Agreement is void and we shall refund all paid contract fees if no claims have been made. If a claim has been made, we will follow normal cancellation procedures as outlined in this section.

#### VII. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

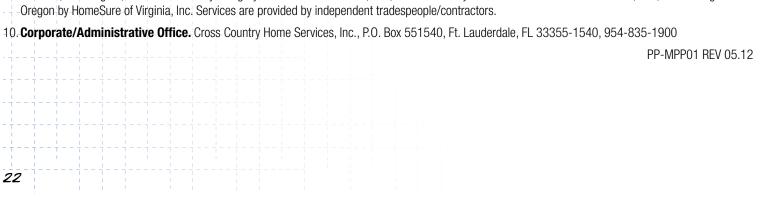
- 1. ARBITRATION: All disputes, controversies or claims of any sort, arising out of or in any way relating to this Agreement, its negotiation, and the Services provided pursuant to it, whether based in contract, tort, regulation, or any other legal or equitable theory (collectively "Disputes"), shall be resolved by settlement or final and binding arbitration (or, at the consumer's choice, in and through a small claims court having jurisdiction over such Disputes.) Arbitration shall be conducted within the geographical limits of the applicable federal district court where the Covered Property is located, or such other location upon which both parties mutually agree. The Commercial Arbitration Rules and Supplementary Procedures for Consumer-Related Disputes of the American Arbitration Association (the "Arbitration Rules") in effect at the time arbitration is demanded by either party shall govern the arbitration proceeding and the selection of one neutral arbitrator to preside over the proceeding. The arbitrator is empowered to decide all Disputes and all questions related to the enforceability and scope of these Dispute Resolution provisions, including but not limited to the validity, interpretation and applicability of these Dispute Resolution Provisions. Additionally, this transaction involves interstate commerce, and these Dispute Resolution provisions shall be governed by the Federal Arbitration Act, as amended (9 USC 1). No arbitration may proceed on a class or representative basis, and the arbitrator may not consolidate any arbitration proceeding governed by these Dispute Resolution Provisions with any other person's arbitration proceeding, and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding. Under the Arbitration Rules, although each party is required to pay certain administrative and arbitrator fees, the amount the consumer may be required to pay is limited. Each party to arbitration is responsible for its own attorney's fees, if the party chooses to be represented by an atto
- 2. CLASS ACTION AND JURY TRIAL WAIVER: Each party to this Agreement may bring a Dispute against the other only in its individual capacity and not as a plaintiff or class member in any purported class or representative proceeding. Each party gives up or waives any right it may have to have any Disputes between them resolved by a jury.

#### VIII. OTHER CONDITIONS

- 1. **Term.** Coverage under this Agreement commences on the effective date specified on the Agreement Coverage Summary. This Home Service Agreement expires one (1) year from Agreement effective date, unless renewed.
- 2. **Renewal.** This Agreement will automatically renew at the option of the Issuing Company and where permitted by state law, for successive one (1) year periods, unless cancelled by you or us in accordance with the cancellation provisions. You will be notified of any rate and/or coverage changes not less than thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the Agreement.
- 3. Assignment. In the event of assignment or transfer of title of the covered property, this Agreement may be assigned and/or transferred at our option, where

permitted by state law and when the applicable fee has been paid. We reserve the right to charge a transfer fee not to exceed \$25.

- 4. Installment Billing. In certain cases you may be permitted, at our sole and exclusive discretion, to pay for your coverage on an installment basis. Should you suffer a mechanical failure covered by this Agreement at a time when there are unpaid installments due from you, whether or not such payments are due or overdue, we reserve the right to deduct all or any portion of any unpaid amounts from the amount of loss covered by this Agreement for such incident, or to require payment of the entire remaining unpaid balances prior to covering the loss for you as we deem necessary or desirable. Our failure to exercise any such right on one occasion shall not be deemed a waiver of such right on other occasions.
- 5. Waiver. Should we waive any of our contractual rights; such waiver will not constitute a future waiver of said rights.
- 6. Disclosure. The price of the Agreement includes the full amount of all fees due and payable as well as the costs of processing and administration for the Issuing Company and its agents where allowable by law. Any applicable state or local sales taxes are in addition to the price of the Agreement.
- 7. Severability. If any provision of this Agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, in whole or in part, by any rule of law or public policy, all other conditions and provisions of this Agreement shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect.
- **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement of the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior agreement and understandings of the parties hereto, oral or written, with respect to the subject matter hereof. Except as provided herein, all other warranties, expressed or implied, are hereby disclaimed.
- 9. **Issuing Company.** This Agreement is issued by HomeSure Services, Inc., except in the following states where it is issued by the identified entity: in Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming by HomeSure of America, Inc.; in California by HomeSure Protection of California, Inc.; and in Virginia and Oregon by HomeSure of Virginia, Inc. Services are provided by independent tradespeople/contractors.





Cross Country Home Services, Inc. has been awarded TRUSTe's Privacy Seal signifying that this privacy policy and practices have been reviewed for compliance with TRUSTe's program requirements including transparency, accountability and choice regarding the collection and use of your personal information. The TRUSTe program covers information collected through our websites. TRUSTe's mission, as an independent third party, is to accelerate online trust among consumers and organizations globally through its leading privacy trustmark and innovative trust solutions.

Why?

Some companies, like **CCHS**, choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share and protect your personal information.

What?

The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This type of information can include:

- · Address, phone number and email address
- Account transactions and purchase history
- The date and time you contact us, the nature of your inquiry, and related information, when you access our website
- Credit card, loan number or ACH payment information

When you are no longer our customer, we continue to protect your information as described in this notice.

Data Retention: We will retain your information for as long as your account is active or as needed to provide you services. If you wish to cancel your account or request that we no longer use your information to provide you services, contact us at compliance@cchs.com. We will retain and use your information as necessary to comply with our legal obligations, resolve disputes, and enforce our agreements.

For Quality Assurance purposes, both inbound and outbound service calls may be recorded.

Questions or to Opt Out

If you have general questions about this policy or wish to opt out of communication, please call 1.800.474.4047 or email compliance@cchs.com. To completely deactivate your account, please call 1.800.474.4047.

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