

# Congratulations!

## You own a FORTIFIED Home™.

### This certification requires a renewal every 5 years.

Here's what to expect & how to prepare for renewals....

#### **NEARING 5 YEARS...**

Call Knockout Inspections or fill out the Renewal Request Form at GoForKO.com to schedule your renewal inspection with one of our inhouse FORTIFIED Evaluators.

#### FOR THE RENEWAL EVALUTATION...

Only an exterior assessment is involved. A FORTIFIED Evaluator from Knockout Inspections will walk around your property and take pictures necessary for documentation. Our team will handle all the paperwork to send off for your renewal certificate, and you won't be charged until an approved certificate comes back.

#### **DON'T DELAY...**

You'll have a 1-year grace period. If you do not renew your certification during that window of time, you will be charged a late fine by IBHS whenever you do move forward with the renewal process. After 5 years of expiration, a home is no longer eligible for renewal.

TOP TIP: Should you consider adding on to the exterior of your home, have the work overseen by a FORTIFIED Evaluator who can ensure the changes meet the standard for re-certification.





