# **Newport Ventures Lighting Requirements**

Did you know that the 2015 IECC has a MANDATORY requirement that 75% of light bulbs and fixtures be considered high efficacy for residential new construction?

## What type of bulbs comply?







>40 Watts 60 Lumens/Watt

15-40 Watts 50 Lumens/Watt

<15 Watts

**LEDs** 

**Efficacy Requirements** 

**CFLs** 

**Linear Fluorescents** 

**LEDs** 

#### **Unmatched Performance**

- Approximately 15% more efficient than CFL
- Life-expectancy of up to 50,000 hours compared to 10,000 hours for a CFL
- Improved dimming capabilities and compatibility with controls and sensors

### **Code Compliance**

- Cost savings improve performance metrics
- Innovative products improve performance of other components (ex: surface mounts improve air sealing)
- Proposed code updates continue to increase stringency that only current LEDs meet

#### **Market Trends**

40 Lumens/Watt

- Consumer perception study shows ~60% of consumers prefer LED lighting compared to just 15% for CFLs (Gauging Consumer Perception of Residential Lighting, Newport Ventures, 2014)
- Major manufactuers are phasing out CFL production to transition to
- LED costs continue to decline



