



NEWSLETTER

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Note from our EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:

The Windows-ON Delaware Strong Program is based on a simple window insert that is measured, framed, fabricated and installed by HELP staff as an integral part of our Safer Community campaign. Window inserts are energy efficient measures and a barrier to entry in high-risk neighborhoods.

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Current Initiative

Windows-ON



Intertek (a testing lab in York, PA) is currently conducting Thermal Testing for U-Factor values (NFRC 102) and Air Infiltration Testing (NFRC 400). More than 100+ homes have been outfitted with window inserts with outstanding measured impact including but not limited to improved thermal temperatures (before & after) and in home comfort. The next phase of manufacturing window inserts will be based on a community build that includes residents who participate in the fabrication and installation process..



UPCOMING EVENTS

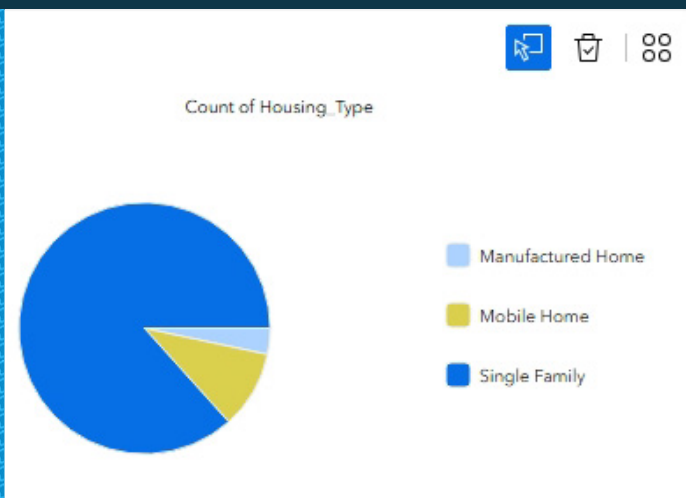
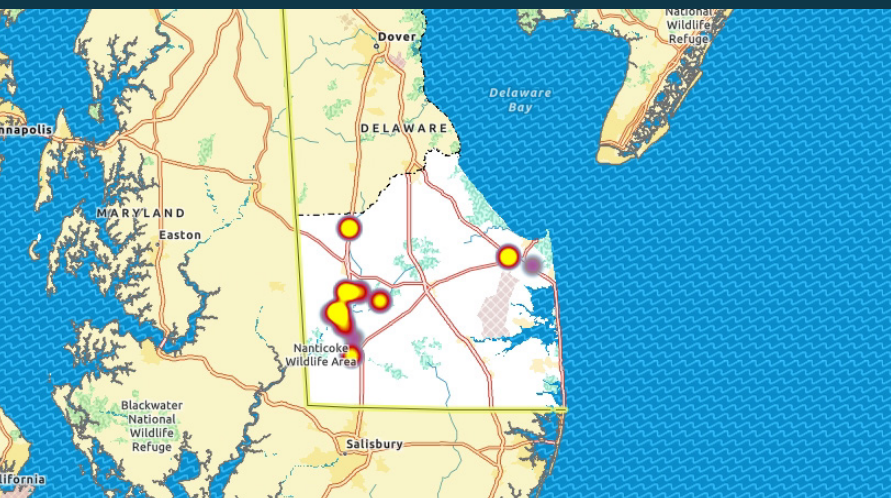
Community Built: Kings Cliffe- Dover, DE

Pot Net Lakeside: Long Neck, DE



* Each insert features a pine frame that is custom-built using the exact measurements of each window. This frame is wrapped tightly on both sides with poly olefin film, sealed, and finished with a foam gasket. Because our high-quality inserts are built by volunteers, they cost a fraction of commercial inserts. HELP Initiative's inserts create two insulating air spaces and perform better than commercially available inserts that provide just one layer of insulation.

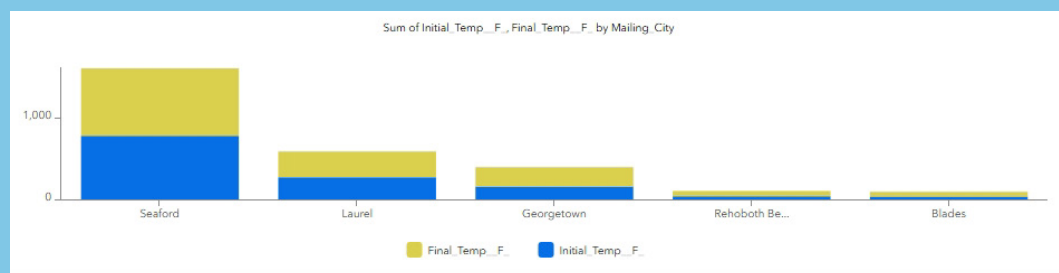
*It's estimated that up to 30% of Heating and Air Conditioning costs are lost through leaky doors and windows.



HELP Initiative provides insulating window inserts to residents.

Window Inserts are high efficiency and fit into existing window openings. The average consumer in Delaware spends about \$200/month for heating and air conditioning. Our window inserts will save 20-30% on utility expenses. All at NO CHARGE to the client.

Through their Jobs-On program, HELP welcomes members of the community to join in the construction of these window inserts.



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