## **CONNOISSEUR MEDIA LONG ISLAND'S HOME IMPROVEMENT**

## SWEEPSTAKES WITH ISLAND FEDERAL

OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES CMLI hereinafter referred to as the "Station" or "Stations"

No purchase or payment is necessary to enter or win this promotion. A purchase or payment of any kind will not increase your chances of winning. By participating, each entrant fully and unconditionally agrees to be bound by and accepts these official Contest Rules.

1. Promotion Dates

The Station, owned and/or operated by Connoisseur Media, LLC (CONNCOS) is running a station or multi-station promotional contest (the "Contest") beginning on or about May 3, 2025 at 12:00 am EDT and ending on or about May 18, 2025 at 11:59pm EDT (the "Promotion Dates"). Grand Prize winner or winners will be announced on or about May 20, 2025.

- 2. Entry / How To Win
  - a. Contestants will be invited to visit the enter to win page, which they will be directed to either by scanning a QR code at an official qualifying event or visiting <u>www.longislandhomeandgardenexpo.com</u> during the promotional period.
  - b. Once a contestant gains access to the official enter to win page (<u>https://lihomeandgardenexpo.com/home-improvement-sweepstakes/</u>), they must complete an official entry form by entering all of the required information (which includes but is not limited to their name, email, phone number and date of birth and address of residence.) and clicking SUBMIT at the bottom of the page.
  - c. Contestants may enter this contest once. Duplicate entries will be disqualified.
  - d. As an ALTERNATE method of entry, ONE physical entry form may be obtained by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to CMLI's Home Improvement Sweepstakes with Island Federal CONTEST FORM REQUEST c/o Connoisseur Media Long Island 234 Airport Plaza Blvd. Suite 5 Farmingdale, NY 11735. One entry per person using this method will be valid, unless it is a duplicate entry. This is specifically to be used as an alternative method of entry. Duplicate entries that include a physical entry form will be disqualified. Entries and physical entry form requests that go undelivered will be disqualified. Connoisseur Media Long Island and our Sweepstakes Partner(s) are not responsible for entries or entry requests that go undelivered.
  - e. Contest judges will choose a contestant(s) by random draw from all qualifying entries. The contestant(s) will be notified via phone and will be awarded the grand prize.

- a. Odds of winning may vary depending on the number of qualifying entries received.
- 4. Acceptance and Delivery of Prize

All prizes must be accepted as awarded. No Cash Value. All prizes are non-transferable. Inability to accept prizes or unwillingness to use prize or elements as delivered will result in forfeiture. **Prize will be fulfilled by representatives or agents of Island Federal.** Prize description as well as restrictions, blackout dates and expiration dates are below in "Exhibit B". Additional restrictions may apply.

- 5. Conditions / Eligibility
  - a. All Contest(s)/Prize(s) are subject to Federal, State and local regulations and laws and are void where restricted or prohibited by law. This Contest is governed by U.S. law and is void outside the United States.
  - b. Contest is open to legal U.S. residents who reside in Nassau or Suffolk County and who are age 18 or older. All employees, agents and interns of CONNCOS and contest sponsors, employees of competing radio station, and members of the immediate families or households of each are ineligible. The term "immediate family" includes spouses, siblings, parents, children, grandparents and grandchildren, whether as "inlaws" or by current or past marriage(s), remarriage(s), adoption, cohabitation or other family extension and any other persons residing at the same household whether or not related. Participants and winner(s) must be legal U.S. residents.
  - c. No "duos," groups or teams will be allowed to enter together. Any ties, disputes, conflicts, questions or concerns regarding the Contest and/or the prize(s) will be determined by CONNCOS, whose decision(s) is final.
  - d. Participants are restricted to the use of ordinary telephone equipment. Participants that enable the "Caller ID" block function may not be allowed to participate unless they enter their correct area code and telephone number. CONNCOS disclaims all liability for the inability of a participant to complete or continue a text or telephone call due to equipment malfunction, busy lines, inadvertent disconnections, acts beyond CONNCOS control, or otherwise. CONNCOS disclaims all liability for any delays, mis-delivery, loss or failure in the delivery of any item sent by mail, courier, express, electronic transmission or other delivery method. CONNCOS is not responsible for mechanical, technical, electronic, communications, telephone, cellular, computer, hardware or software malfunctions or failures of any kind, including: failed, incomplete, garbled or delayed transmission of online entries, traffic congestion on telephone lines, the internet or at any website or lost or unavailable network connections which may limit an online entrant's ability to participate in the contest, and any injury or damage to entrant's or any other person's computer

related to or resulting from participating in or downloading any information necessary to participate in this contest. CONNCOS is not responsible for broken telephone connections, busy signals, mis-dials or lost phone calls.

- e. Each winner must provide CONNCOS with valid identification and a valid taxpayer identification number or social security number before any prize will be awarded. Failure to timely provide such information and/or any other reasonably required documentation including, without limitation, a release and affidavit of eligibility, may result in a delay in receiving prize(s) or the forfeiture thereof. Entrants are required to provide truthful information and CONNCOS will reject and delete any entry that it discovers to be false or fraudulent. CONNCOS will disqualify any entry from individuals who do not meet eligibility requirements.
- f. Any person winning in excess of Six Hundred Dollars and 00/100 (\$600.00) or receiving anything with a value of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) or more, as determined by CONNCOS in its sole discretion or our sweepstakes partner in their sole discretion, will receive an IRS Form 1099 at the end of the calendar year, and a copy of the 1099 will be filed with the IRS, and each winner shall be solely responsible for paying any and all applicable Federal, State, local or other taxes
- g. By participating, all participants and winner(s) grant CONNCOS and our sweepstakes partner(s) the permission to use their names, characters, photographs, voices and likeness in connection with the promotion (via print, broadcast or other forms of media) of this and other contests and waive any claims to royalty, right, compensation or remuneration for such use.
- h. Sponsor may prohibit an Entrant from participating in the Contest or winning a prize if, in its sole discretion, it determines that said Entrant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, deception, or other unfair playing practices (including the use of automated quick entry programs) or intending to annoy, abuse, threaten or harass any other Entrants, Sponsor, or Contest Entities. If for any reason this Contest is not able to be conducted as planned, including, but not limited to, by reason of infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud or any other causes beyond the reasonable control of Sponsor which corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the Contest, then Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Contest and randomly draw from those entries received up to the cancellation/suspension date to award prizes. CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT BY A PERSON TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE CONTEST MAY BE IN VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, SPONSOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK REMEDIES AND DAMAGES (INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES) FROM ANY SUCH PERSON TO THE FULLEST EXTENT OF THE LAW, INCLUDING CRIMINAL PROSECUTION. SPONSOR'S FAILURE TO ENFORCE ANY TERM OF THESE OFFICIAL RULES SHALL NOT CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF THESE PROVISIONS.

## 6. Release

Contest winners agree on their own behalf and on behalf of their heirs, successors, representatives and/or assigns, to fully and forever release and discharge CONNCOS and our Sweepstake partner(s) and each and all of its subsidiary and affiliated corporations, companies and divisions, its predecessors, successors and assigns, and its respective directors, stockholders, officers, employees and agents, of and from any and all claims, demands, agreements, contracts, covenants, actions, suits, causes of action, obligations, controversies, debts, costs, expenses, accounts, damages, judgments, losses and liabilities of whatsoever kind or nature in law, equity or otherwise, whether known or unknown, whether or not concealed or hidden which against it or any of it, they have had, may have had or now have, or which any of their heirs, representatives and/or assigns hereafter can, shall or may have for or by reason of any matter, cause or thing whatsoever, including but not in any respect limiting the generality of the foregoing, any and all claims which or might have asserted relating to this contest, and agrees to deliver an executed release form at the time of delivery of any prize(s). If a minor is a contest winner, the person's parent or legal guardian must sign said release on the winner's behalf.

7. Indemnity

Participants and winners agree to and do hereby indemnify and hold forever harmless CONNCOS, our sweepstakes partner(s) and its agents, officers, employees, affiliates and assigns for any injuries, accidents, misfortunes, losses, damages or causes of action arising from or in connection with participation in the Contest and/or acceptance or use of any prize(s).

- 8. Miscellaneous
  - a. CONNCOS is considered the "Judge." Judge's decisions are final.
  - b. CONNCOS reserves the right to end and/or modify the Contest at any time without additional notice or further compensation required, if any fraud, technical failure or other factor beyond the control of CONNCOS impairs the integrity or proper functioning of the Contest, as determined by CONNCOS in its sole discretion.
  - c. This Contest is void where prohibited or restricted by law.

## EXHIBIT B

The Grand Prize Winner will receive \$2,500.00 USD in the form of funds deposited into their Island Federal Bank Account. An account with Island Federal is required to claim the prize. If the Grand Prize Winner does not already have an account with Island Federal, one will be opened for the winner.