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CARACO LAUNCHES KINGSTON'S FIRST LEED HOME

CaraCo Development Corporation is announcing that they will soon be completing Kingston's first LEED home, this will be one of the first LEED homes in Canada.

LEED stands for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, this is the Canada Green Building Council's new program for homes, and is a rating system that promotes the design and construction of high-performance green homes.

A green home uses less energy, water and natural resources; creates less waste; and is healthier and more comfortable for the occupants.

As well as being ENERGY STAR, the project currently erected at 1165 Crossfield Avenue at Andersen Drive (a few blocks north of the Rona on Princess west of Sydenham), is aiming for exceeding LEED standard of Gold, which is one of the highest achievable certification levels.

With the aid of Jeremy Neven, the Design Services Manager at Tackaberry Heating & Refrigeration Supplies, the beautifully designed home will feature a long list of enhancements, including; superior insulation, drought resistant landscaping, Photovoltaic solar panels, environmentally friendly materials selections, high efficiency mechanical equipment as well as multiple other environmental advancements and luxury accents.

CaraCo is proud to announce the new program and is ready to offer the LEED homes package to its customers.

We encourage home shoppers to see why more people are coming home to CaraCo.

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