



Turned Birdhouse Fact Sheet



Native songbirds such as wrens, chickadees and nuthatches are known for their insect control capabilities in the flower and vegetable garden. This hexagonal birdhouse attracts these birds with it's favourable features making your yard their new home.

Easy to Clean

Simply remove the birdhouse from the mount, pull up on the roof, and invert the birdhouse. The old nesting material should fall out with little resistance. To reassemble, align the arrow on the roof's interior with the front of the house and put the birdhouse body back on the mount. No need to put on gloves or plug in your power washer!



Favourable Entrance Diameter

A 1-1/8" hole is the perfect size for wrens, chickadees and nuthatches.



Non-toxic Preservative

This birdhouse is coated with PolyWhey exterior wood coating which provides a tough and water-proof coating created from whey, a bi-product of the dairy industry. Unlike oil-based wood finishes that rely on petroleum, PolyWhey is derived from a renewable resource and does not require a year to outgas - it is safe for birds the day it is finished.



Optimal Water Drainage

The bottom board has three holes so water is able to flow out. Interior moisture is allowed to escape to provide a dry environment for the occupants as well as preventing the structure from deteriorating.



Mounting Bracket

Simple and quick installation. No need to hold the entire birdhouse while installing it! Just screw the mounting bracket with the wood screws provided to the location of your choice. When the mounting bracket is secure, slide the birdhouse on and it is ready for birds!



Things to do:

- look for a predator free area
- mount birdhouse 5-12' high
- clean out old nests
- apply wood preservative only when needed (as birds prefer aged boxes)
- visit www.earthdesign.ca for more information