

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Open to legal residents of the 50 United States and Washington, D.C., 21 years and older. Begins: 12:01 a.m. ET on 5/1/24. Ends: 11:59 p.m. ET on 6/16/24. Subject to Official Rules available online. Only one winner will be selected. Winner will be chosen at random by Clearwater Systems. Void where prohibited.

## Official Sweepstakes Rules

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Open to residents of the fifty (50) United States, and Washington, D.C. who are at least 21 years old. Begins 12:01 a.m. ET on May 1, 2024 and ends 11:59 p.m. ET on June 16, 2024. To enter, complete the Entry Form. One (1) winner will be selected and receive one \$500 Amazon Gift Card. The winner will be emailed once confirmed. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED. Sponsor: Clearwater Systems. The chances of winning a prize depend on the number of eligible entries received.

### Sweepstakes Official Rules

NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT OF ANY KIND IS NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN THIS SWEEPSTAKES. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.

1. Eligibility: residents of the fifty (50) United States, and Washington, D.C. who are at least 21 years old as of the date of entry. Entries are limited to individuals only; commercial enterprises and business entities are not eligible. Employees of Clearwater Systems and their immediate family members and/or those living in the same household of each are not eligible to participate in the Sweepstakes. The Sweepstakes is subject to all applicable federal, state, provincial and local laws and regulations. THE SWEEPSTAKES IS VOID WHERE RESTRICTED OR PROHIBITED BY LAW.

2. Agreement to Rules: By participating in the Sweepstakes, you agree to be fully and unconditionally bound by these Rules and the Sponsor's Terms of Service located at <https://www.clearwatersystems.com/clearwater-systems-50-year-contest/> (the "Terms of Service"), and you represent and warrant that you meet the eligibility requirements set forth herein. In addition, you agree to accept the decisions of the Sponsor as final and binding as it relates to the Sweepstakes. ANY VIOLATION OF THESE RULES OR THE TERMS OF SERVICE BY ANY ENTRANT WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION, AND ALL PRIVILEGES (INCLUDING THOSE AS WINNER, IF APPLICABLE) WILL BE IMMEDIATELY TERMINATED.

3. How to Enter: To enter, participants must complete the Entry Form during the Sweepstakes Period. You must submit the completed digital entry form within the Sweepstakes Entry Period. Entries that are not complete or do not adhere to these Rules or the Terms of Service will result in disqualification.

Participation in the Sweepstakes is voluntary and does not require you to purchase anything from the Sponsor. No illegible, incomplete, forged or altered entries will be accepted. All entries must be received before the Sweepstakes End Date. Individuals may enter only once. Mechanically reproduced entries not accepted. All entries become the property of the Sponsor and will not be returned. All entries are subject to Sponsor's Privacy Policy located at <https://www.clearwatersystems.com/clearwater-systems-50-year-contest/>.

the Terms of Service and these Rules. Your personal information will only be used for the purposes of administering the Sweepstakes.

4. Clearwater Systems is responsible only for prize delivery and not responsible for prize utility, quality, what the prize is used to purchase or otherwise. In order to receive a prize, winners may be required to provide proof of identification.

Winners agree to the use of winner's name, likeness, and/or prize and entry information by Clearwater Systems in any medium without further compensation, unless prohibited by law. Where lawful, winner may be required to sign and return a Publicity Consent and Liability Release.

5. Odds: The odds of winning depend on the number of eligible entries received during the Sweepstakes Period.

6. Winner selection and notification: The winner will be notified via phone and email to the phone number and email address associated with their submitted digital entry form within five (5) days following the winner selection. All reasonable steps will be taken by Clearwater Systems to notify the winner based on the details provided by entrant. Clearwater Systems shall have no liability for a winner's failure to receive notices from them, including failure due to winners' spam, junk e-mail or other security settings or for winners' provision of incorrect or otherwise non-functioning contact information. If the selected winner cannot be contacted, is ineligible, fails to claim the prize within forty-eight (48) hours from the time the Sweepstakes ends, or fails in timely return of a completed and executed declaration and release as required, the prize may be forfeited and an alternate winner selected.

7. Terms: Clearwater Systems reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Sweepstakes should (in its sole discretion) a virus, bugs, unauthorized human intervention, fraud or other causes beyond its control corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness or proper conduct of the Sweepstakes. In such case, Clearwater Systems will select the winner from all eligible, non-suspect entries received prior to such action. Clearwater Systems reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual who tampers or attempts to tamper with the entry process or the operation of the Sweepstakes or the Site, or violates these Rules or the Terms of Service. Any attempt by an entrant to deliberately damage any web site or undermine the legitimate operation of the Sweepstakes may be a violation of criminal and civil laws and should such an attempt be made, Clearwater Systems reserves the right to seek damages from any such person to the fullest extent permitted by law. In the event of a dispute as to the identity of a winner based on an email address or phone number, the winning entry will be deemed to be made by the authorized account holder of the email address at time of entry. "Authorized account holder" is the natural person who is assigned an email address by an Internet service provider or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the email address in question. By entering the Sweepstakes, Clearwater Systems may request your affirmative consent in order to provide promotional emails or offers via a periodic email newsletter. You may subsequently opt-out of receiving such promotional emails at any time by clicking the "unsubscribe" link in the newsletter and following the procedures set forth at such link.

8. Release: By entering the Sweepstakes, you agree that Clearwater Systems and its subsidiaries, divisions, affiliates, insurers, servants, parents, advertising, promotion and fulfillment agencies, partners,

representatives, agents, predecessors, successors, assigns, shareholders, employees, officers and directors, and legal advisors (the "Released Entities") are not responsible for, shall not be liable for, and hereby disclaim all liability arising from or relating to (i) such entrant's participation in the Sweepstakes and/or his/her acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of any prize or any portion thereof, (ii) technical or human failures, malfunctions or difficulties of any kind, including but not limited to the malfunctioning of any computer, cable, network, hardware or software; (iii) the unavailability or inaccessibility of any transmissions or telephone or Internet service; (iv) unauthorized human intervention in any part of the entry process or the Sweepstakes; (v) electronic or human error which may occur in the administration of the Sweepstakes or the processing of entries; (vi) late, lost, stolen, delayed, damaged, misdirected, misaddressed, incomplete, unintelligible or postage-due entries; (vii) any printing or typographical errors in any materials associated with the Sweepstakes; or (viii) any condition caused by events beyond the control of Sponsor. By participating in the Sweepstakes, participants and the winners agree to release, discharge and hold harmless the Released Entities, and all others associated with the development and execution of the Sweepstakes, from any and all losses, damages, rights, claims and actions of any kind arising out of or relating to the Sweepstakes, participation in the Sweepstakes, the prize, and/or acceptance, possession, use or misuse of the prize, including but not limited to statutory and common law claims for misappropriation or participant's right of publicity.

9. **Winners List:** To obtain a copy of the winners' name or a copy of these Rules, mail your request along with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Clearwater Systems, 1411 Vernon Odom Blvd., Akron, Ohio 44320, Attn: 50 Year Contest. Requests must be received no later than ninety (90) days from the Sweepstakes End Date.

10. **Sponsor:** The Sponsor of the Sweepstakes is Clearwater Systems, 1411 Vernon Odom Blvd., Akron, Ohio 44320

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## **Terms and Conditions**

You need to submit your full name, email address, and photo of a water softener currently at your residence. You must provide accurate information about your identity and must not provide any false information or impersonate another person. The Sponsor reserves the right to verify the information and image you provide. Upon The Sponsor's request, you will promptly provide requested verification documentation, including identification documents and proof of address. If you do not provide the information requested or if you provide inaccurate information, The Sponsor may, in its sole discretion, terminate your entry.

## **Follow the Agreement and the Law**

In connection with using and/or accessing the Service, you will comply with this Agreement and all applicable laws, rules, and regulations. Without limiting the forgoing, you will not do any of the following in connection with your use of the Service:

- Post any User Content (each as defined below in Section 6) that is unlawful, harmful, violent, illegal, infringing on third party rights, false, misleading, fraudulent, pornographic, libelous, invasive, encouraging of money laundering, gambling, or any other unlawful or unwarranted behavior.
- violate any law, rule, or regulation, including any anti-spam, data privacy, or other restriction, as determined by Clearwater Systems in its sole discretion, that may be applicable to your use of the Service;
- create any derivative works of, modify, or reverse engineer any part of the Service;
- interfere with, disrupt, negatively affect, or inhibit other Users from fully enjoying our Service or damage, disable, overburden, put unreasonable load on, or otherwise impair the functioning of the Service infrastructure or the networks connected to the Service;
- promote any illegal activity or enterprise;
- stalk, harass, bully, impersonate or solicit information unrelated to a listed Item from anyone;
- copy, scrape, harvest, crawl or use any technology, software or automated systems to collect any information or data for the Service;
- sell or transmit anything you do not have a right to sell or transmit under law or existing relationship;
- pose a privacy or security risk to the Service or any User;
- infringe anyone's intellectual property, such as by posting counterfeit products for sale through the Service;
- spam any Users with email, junk mail, fraud, schemes, or the like;
- collect or harvest any information or data from Clearwater Systems' systems or attempt to decipher any transmission to or from the servers running the Service;
- use the contact information of any User of the Service (including Buyers) for any purposes other than in relation to: (a) receiving the Service and (b) any transactions between Users;
- use the Service in any way that is contrary to Clearwater Systems' public image, goodwill, or reputation;
- express or imply that any of your statements, activities, or causes are endorsed by Clearwater Systems, without Clearwater Systems' prior written consent.
- create multiple account to evade punishment or avoid restrictions;
- transmit or upload viruses, worms, or otherwise interfere with the Service; and/or
- take any action or inaction which Clearwater Systems, in its sole judgment, believes is questionable or could cause harm or liability.