Pillar To Post Home Inspectors

Franchise Summary

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Category: Real Estate Services

Subcategory: Home Inspection Services

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Franchise Fee: \$58,500

Royalties: 7%

Cash Investment: \$25,000

Total Investment: \$150,000 - \$150,000

NetWorth: \$200,000

VetFran: Yes

SBA approved: Yes

Master Franchise / Area Developer Opportunity: No

Founded: 1994 Franchised: 1994

Additional Details

Pillar To Post is part of the FirstService Brands family, joining respected home service names like Floor Coverings International, CertaPro Painters, California Closets, and Paul Davis. With 30+ years of franchise excellence, Pillar To Post stands tall as the #1 home inspection brand in North America — with 400+ franchise business owners and 800+ inspectors coast-to-coast.

Owned by FirstService Brands: Financially backed by a publicly traded company.

Recurring Revenue Potential: Between real estate agents and brokerages, business owners can establish high-value partnerships that drive repeat business.

Recession-Resistant Model: Demand remains consistent across economic cycles — homeowners, banks, and buyers rely on inspections to finalize deals.

Anchored in Real Estate: Home inspections are a need, not a want. Regardless of market conditions, real estate transactions keep moving, and inspections are always required.

Executive Ownership Model: franchise owners lead and scale —they don't do the inspecting. A lean team of certified inspectors enables owners to grow past \$1M+ in revenue with a low headcount.

WHY Pillar To Post Home Inspectors?

Number 1 in the industry and most trusted brand.

Established brand.

30+ years in business.

400+ franchise business owners.

Industry-leading technology and top NPS score (96).

Affordable \$150K total investment.

SBA-registered opportunity.

20% veteran discount (\$11,700 of initial fee). Home Based.

No brick and mortar.

Great validation and item 19.

Highly differentiated tech forward product and experience.

OUR IDEAL FRANCHISEE

We're looking for leaders - not inspectors. The strongest candidates:

Think BIG and want to build a multi-inspector business.

Lead with vision and empower others. Are coachable, curious, and driven to grow.

Embrace technology and innovation.

Are ready to commit full-time to building their business. Can invest \sim \$150K plus 12 months of personal expenses.

FINANCIAL DETAILS

Franchise Fee: Single: \$58,500

Providing earnings guidance in Item 19 in

FDD: Yes

Total investment range: \$150,000 and 12

months of living expenses

Cash investment: \$25,000 - \$50,000 Net worth requirement: \$200,000 Royalty: 7% of gross revenue Additional fees: Brand fund (for advertising) = 4% of gross revenue Financial assistance available: Yes, 3rd

party

VetFran program: Yes

Veterans/Minorities/First Responders Discount? Yes, 20% of the Franchise Fee

(\$11,700)

SUPPORT & TRAINING PROVIDED

Training and support program details:

Coaching: Personal business coach, regular coaching calls, regional meetings, franchise business owner mentoring, and annualconferences.

Training: Our all-inclusive training system is called Foundations for Success. This program teaches our franchise business

Have a growth mindset and are ready to build a legacy in a professional service space.

AVAILABLE MARKETS

US markets available: Non-exclusive territories

- 95% is available

HOT Regions/Desirable: Phoenix, AZ; Dallas, TX; San Antonio TX; Charlston NC; Mrytle Beach SC; Jacksonville FL; Tampa FL

NOT available: None Canadian Referrals: Yes International Referrals: No

BACKGROUND

Year founded: 1994 Year Franchised: 1994

Number of franchises currently operating: 400+ Number of International franchises currently

operating: 0

Number of corporate owned franchises: 0

Home Based: Yes

Absentee ownership available: No Semi-Absentee ownership available: No Accepting Master Franchisor and Area

Developer Referrals: No

Average number of employees required: 2

E2 Visa Friendly: Yes

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ownerseverything they need to know about owning a business, inspections, sales, and marketing. It is a robust 11-week virtual and hands-on program.

Marketing Systems: We support you with your own website, printed materials, presentations, social media advertising, 5-starreview program, and call center/online booking system.

Technology & Software: Inspection done on a custom build called OnePoint, ability to be quick to market with continuousinnovation, no dependence on software vendors, path of our systems based on our own strategic visions, and integrationpossibilities (ex: PTP360).

-Our proprietary software, called OnePoint, allows for fast and easy inspections, continuous innovation, technologicaladvances, and differentiation

Employee Training: Yes, and free

Cost for Training: Included in the Franchise

Fee

Lodging and airfare included: No Site Selection Assistance: N/A Lease Negotiation Assistance: N/A

Mentor following training: Yes

Length of mentoring Franchisee: Ongoing