FY 2021-22 Annual Report





Thank you!



Twenty-five years ago, a few committed volunteers began meeting to talk about the need for affordable housing in Douglas County. Through their passion, dedication and hard work, Habitat for Humanity of Douglas County became an affiliate in January 1997.

Since then, thousands of volunteers have come together to share their leadership, vision, sweat and determination helping grow our organization into being the #6 small affiliate in the nation. Without the support of this community, 136 families would still be struggling to live in safe, decent, affordable housing. Thank you for making a difference in their lives.

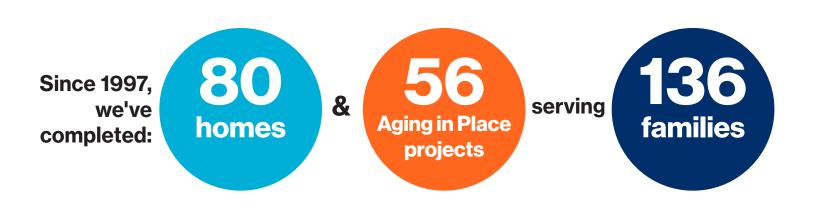
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Lori Anderson Executive Director



"At the heart of Habitat's work are the people. I am inspired by the passion and energy of the people of this community who continually say 'yes' to supporting Habitat. Thank you for building a world where everyone has a decent place to live."

Brooke Zabel Board Chair



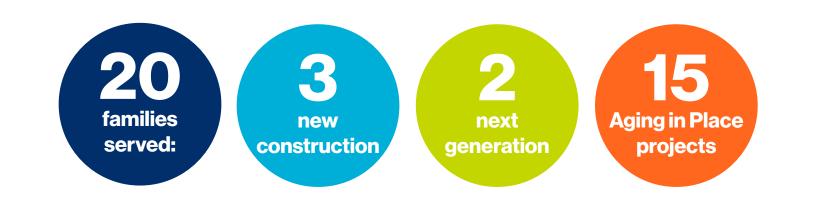
Our mission:

Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope.

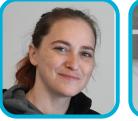
Our vision:

A world where everyone has a decent place to live.

Homeowner Services









Habitat homeowners help build their own homes alongside volunteers and pay an affordable mortgage. With Habitat's help, homeowners achieve the strength, stability, and independence they need to build a better life for themselves and their families.





When a homeowner chooses to sell their home back to Habitat, we call it a "Next Generation Home." The home gets modern updates and is made affordable for the next generation of Habitat homebuyers.

Aging in Place homeowners receive a free home assessment by a Certified Aging in Place Specialist. Together, they decide what work will be done to improve the safety, accessibility or other needed repairs to help them improve their ability to complete the activities of daily living.



Team Build Partners



- Master Builder
- Thrivent Financial
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- **Engineer**
- Brandon Manor Homes
- Architect
- City of Miltona
- Douglas Machine Foundation
- State Farm Youth Partnership
- Wells Fargo Foundation
- Workplace Team Builder
- 3M
- Carpenter
- Aagard
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- Blueprint
- 3M
- Alexandria Motor Co.
- Alexandria Industries
- Alomere Health
- Bethany on the Lake
- Diamond Buick GMC/Diamond Waves & Wags
- Edina Realty
- First Western Bank & Trust
- Hubbard Broadcasting KIKV/KULO
- Massman Companies
- Pemberton Law
- Ryan Witte State Farm Insurance
- ServPro
- Van Ahn & Co.

Church Partners

- Bethesda Lutheran, Alexandria
- Calvary Lutheran, Alexandria
- Faith Lutheran, Evansville
- Faith Lutheran, Miltona
- First Congregational United Church of
- Christ, Alexandria
- First Lutheran, Alexandria
- Grace Christian, Parkers Prairie
- Grace Lutheran, Brandon
- Immaculate Conception Catholic, Osakis
- Kensington Lutheran LCMC, Kensington
- Lake Community, Alexandria
- Our Lady of Seven Dolors, Millerville
- Shalom Lutheran, Alexandria
- St. Ann's Catholic, Brandon
- St. Mary's Catholic, Alexandria
- St. Nicholas Catholic, Belle River
- Sauk Valley Lutheran, Osakis
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Volunteers





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Cardinal Build





Team Build

ReStore



\$132,000 was raised to support Habitat's mission!







The ReStore now sells Amazon Select recycled paint, produced in Fridley, MN. Available in 20 colors, using Amazon recycled content paint, helps you protect the environment!

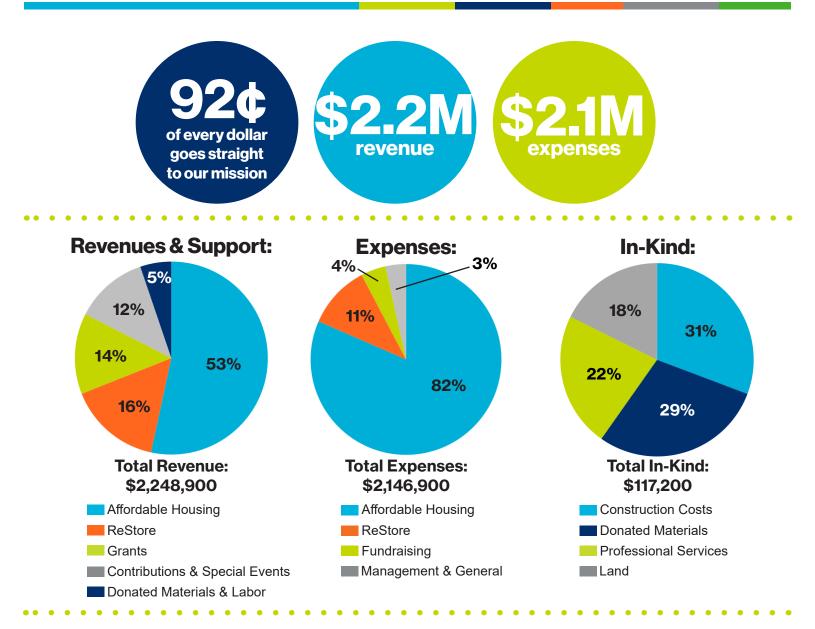
Donations from individuals and businesses

Are sold to the public at the ReStore Proceeds from the sales help Habitat for Humanity build safe, affordable homes

Local families help build their own homes and pay an affordable mortgage

Thanks to your donation, a local family has the foundtion for a brighter future

Financials





"I frequently meet people who say supporting Habitat for Humanity of Douglas County makes them feel good. Community members see the effect their support has on affordable housing. They believe in Habitat's mission and know that their donations are impacting lives for many generations."

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Tony Loosbrock Board Vice Chair/Treasurer



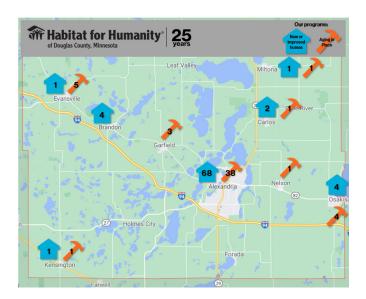
Habitat for Humanity of Douglas County has been awarded Charity Navigator's highest rating. Their independent rating system examines financial health, accountability, and transparency. Ratings show givers how efficiently they believe a charity will use their support today, how well it has sustained its programs and services over time and their level of commitment to good governance, best practices and openness with information.



"My children are my world and the reason I applied to Habitat. I want them to have a place for them to call **home**, a place they are **proud** to invite their friends to, a place they are **safe**."

-Jenna, Habitat Homeowner

Building strength, stability, and self-reliance through shelter.



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