



*Swinging a hammer on the build site is not the only way to build affordable homes. There are many other ways your time and talents can serve the cause of affordable housing. \*\*All of these activities may be done while wearing a mask and safely socially distancing*

### ReStore

New and gently used household items are donated and resold to provide housing affordability

- ReStore Committee
- Upcycle Team (reuse of items in a different way than original intent)
- DIY Team (create crafts with our excess inventory)
- Repurpose furniture (strip it, sand it, make it beautiful again!)
- Test appliances, electronics and hardware donations
- Door Greeter
- Donations Assistant (help process donations)
- Repair furniture
- Customer Service (help customers locate items, measure items, carry to vehicle)
- Merchandising Volunteer (arrange merchandise displays in creative ways)

### More Ideas

- Favorite recipes book
- Cards to new and future homeowners
- Scrapbook
- Flower garden/plants for new homeowners
- Bird houses/flower boxes
- Trick or Treat for change
- Tool drive
- Art project to sell at ReStore or give to new Homeowner
- Gift or snack bags for volunteers
- Collect new books-children of homeowners
- Host a canned good or school supply drive for future homeowners
- Build a tool caddy for a new homeowner and fill it with tools
- Write a note of encouragement to our homeowners in progress
- Organize a collection of household ReStore donation items in your neighborhood
- Plan a workday to volunteer at the ReStore—our largest single source of funding!

### Weekday Warriors

A group of men and women who regularly help us build Wednesdays and Thursdays

- Consistent volunteer opportunity
- Must be 18 years old

### Construction

In lieu of building on site, consider these ways to serve

- Build a picnic table at your site for a future homeowner
- Build a playhouse for a future homeowner (we have plans and can help with this!)

### Homeowner Services

Habitat Cabarrus relies on the guidance and help of volunteers

- Homeowner Support Mentor (become a home buyer buddy to walk through the process with our future homeowners)
- Homeowner Selection Committee
- Spanish translation services; paperwork & discussions
- Donate gift baskets
- Conduct information sessions via Zoom (basic home repair, landscape, financial literacy for children, couponing, etc.)