



PRESS RELEASE

Habitat for Humanity Idaho Falls Area will be celebrating the completion of two new homes on Saturday, October 29, 2011. The public is welcome to join the Habitat board of directors, our two new partner families and Habitat staff at the dedication ceremony scheduled for 4 pm to 6 pm located at 3220 and 3224 S Romrell Lane in Ammon.

1. Thrivent Builds with Habitat and the local Lutheran community sponsored Build #23
2. Habitat affiliate mortgage proceeds and ReStore profits sponsored Build #24.
3. SHOP 2008 monies were used for infrastructure expenses.
4. CHC Foundation funding offset the cost of adding the code required garages.
5. The Home Depot/Habitat for Humanity Partnership in Sustainable Building grant enabled these two homes to be built to Energy Star and WaterSense standards.
6. Whirlpool Corporation donated a range and Energy Star® refrigerator for both Habitat homes.
7. Valspar, Habitat's National Paint Partner, donated the paint.
8. Lowes donated evergreen and deciduous trees for landscaping.
9. Yale Locks donated all interior and exterior doorknobs.
10. Schneider Electric donated breaker boxes for both homes.
11. Punts Plumbing, K & K Contactors, SEI Electric, Holeshoot Plumbing, Green Acres Home Improvement, FoxTree Countertops and Rocky Mountain Cabinets, Buckland Concrete and MAK Sheetrock all donated contractor labor.
12. Anything Glass donated windows.
13. Starbucks donated coffee to the Saturday workday volunteers.
14. Union Pacific Railroad donated used railroad ties for the landscaping.
15. URS Corporation gave a large, unsolicited cash donation.
16. Private individuals who made various cash donations over the course of the build project.

In addition to cash and in-kind donations, over two hundred individuals from the Idaho Falls area and across the United States donated over 2000 hours of volunteers labor. The partner families themselves contributed over 500 "Sweat Equity" hours to make their dream of home ownership a reality.

Habitat for Humanity® works in partnership with people in need to build simple, no-frills, affordable, sustainable, energy efficient housing in modest neighborhoods. The houses then are sold to the Build Partner family at no profit and with no interest charged.

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