



Habitat
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of Evansville

COMMUNITY BUILDER

Winter 2019/2020

Strategic Plan Approved, Annual Fund Campaign Announced

In January 2019, Habitat's Board of Directors approved *100 Homes with 100 Families*, the 2019–2023 Strategic Plan. The plan calls for increasing yearly house production by 30 percent – building 20 homes in each of the next five years. The plan also calls for continuous improvement of Habitat's rigorous homeownership training program, including its capstone 6-Month Money Management Seminar, as well as the creation of a comprehensive Volunteer Recruitment Program.

To fund these objectives and to strengthen its annual giving program, Habitat has established an Annual Fund Campaign.

Longtime board member Steve Titzer is chairing Habitat's Development Committee and leading this first-ever Annual Fund Campaign. "I believe that everyone can sponsor a house," says Steve. "It might be a goal that takes an entire lifetime, but by giving to Habitat annually and seeing those gifts accumulate, sponsoring a house becomes a possibility for all."

As part of the Annual Fund Campaign, a new society is being founded called the Habitat Homebuilders Society, and anyone who gives \$1,000 or more per year qualifies for membership. Habitat will recognize lifetime giving, and donors will see for themselves how close they are to funding a home.

By supporting Habitat's mission, you are helping local families build a stable future. Be part of this special year of building by donating today!

How to Donate to Habitat's Annual Fund Campaign

Online

Visit evansvillehabitat.org/give at any time to make a safe and secure donation online. Choose "Give Now," then "Annual Fund Campaign" on the drop-down menu.

Mail

Use the enclosed envelope to mail your contribution. Indicate "Annual Fund Campaign" on the memo line of your check.

Your contribution helps local families become strong, stable, and self-reliant. To learn more, call Sr. Jane Michele McClure at (812) 423-5623 ext.226.



Development Committee Leads Annual Fund Campaign

Twenty-seven community leaders have joined Habitat's Development Committee and are actively seeking support from the community. As special Habitat representatives, they are willing and eager to tell the Habitat story and invite you to get involved.

Christina Bennett, M.D. | Deaconess Care Group
Bill Bussing | Attorney-at-Law
Joyce Donaldson | Community Volunteer
Eric Dunville | Community Volunteer
Kevin Eastridge | F.C. Tucker Emge Realtors
Danny Garness | Field & Main Bank
Jim Godsey | German American Bank
Aaron Field | BKD
Bryan Hayden | Old National Bank
Tricia Hollander Henning | The Hollander Group
Andy Hermann | Lechwe Holdings
Jacob Browning Hester | Browning Funeral Home
Marcus Hester | The Hester Group
John Hevron | Northwestern Mutual

Brant Kennedy | Harding, Shymanski & Company
Kyle King, O.D. | Evansville Eyecare Associates
Kathy Kleindorfer | Consultant, Strategy and Leadership Development
Andy Niemeier | Azzip Pizza
Dave Papariella | Harding, Shymanski & Company
Jim Sandgren | Old National Bank
Jimmy Schiff | Schiff Air Conditioning & Heating
Mike Sutton | Community Volunteer
Noah Thomas | Chapman Law
Steve Thomas | Chapman Law
Steve Titzer, Chair | Community Volunteer
Kendra Vanzo | Old National Bank
Sharon Walker | The Long View Group, LLC

Every hand makes a difference.

Homeowner Opportunities

Contact Habitat office for more information at bharrison@evansvillehabitat.org or (812) 423-5623 ext. 236.

UPCOMING CLASSES FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE HOMEOWNERS...



IVYSUCCEED Career Info Sessions:

Habitat for Humanity and Ivy Tech Community College have partnered to offer free career counseling, resumé writing, improving interview skills, and scholarship funding to assist Habitat homeowners and their families attain a college degree or certificate.

IVYSUCCEED Career Info Sessions are available to those who wish to participate through the months of January through March 2020 at Ivy Tech Community College. If you would like to attend one of the info sessions, please register with Carrie Feltis of Ivy Tech at (812) 429-1423.

Thursday, February 27	1:30-3:00 p.m.	Room 265
Thursday, February 27	5:30-7:00 p.m.	Room 223
Wednesday, March 4	8:30-10:00 a.m.	Room 265
Tuesday, March 31	5:30-7:00 p.m.	Room 123

Volunteer Opportunities

Please register to volunteer at evansvillehabitat.org/volunteer. For more information, contact volunteer@evansvillehabitat.org or (812) 423-5623 ext. 233.

"In my short time at Habitat, I am so inspired by the dedication and vigor of our volunteers. Whether you are a skilled carpenter or have never swung a hammer, Habitat for Humanity needs volunteers of all skill sets to build homes, communities, and hope. Opportunities abound. Volunteers can participate at almost every stage in the building process, including framing, siding, painting, and yard work. Join me in putting God's love into action!"

- Meredith Dixon, Volunteer Workforce and Safety Manager



ReStore Opportunities

The first-ever ReStore-sponsored Habitat home is complete! This home was dedicated on February 4, 2020, and welcomed Hailee and her daughter Tay'Lynn home. You can help us continue celebrating this milestone home by shopping, donating, and volunteering at the Evansville Habitat ReStore.

1301 N. Royal Avenue • Evansville, IN

Hours:
Monday – Friday 9-5
Saturday 9-4



For updates on the next Habitat home sponsored by the ReStore, follow us on Facebook!



@Evansville Habitat ReStore

For more information, call us at (812) 602-3460 or visit our website www.EvansvilleReStore.org.

Every Habitat moment creates positive change.

We've been up to a lot over the last several months! Stay up to date with our monthly E-News. Send your name and email to info@evansvillehabitat.org to sign up!



HabiTea, the annual Women Build Fundraiser, took place on August 22, 2019, and raised a total of \$27,200! The ladies and gentlemen who attended enjoyed a delightful lunch, a testimonial from a Habitat homeowner, over 100 silent auction items, and several community vendors.

Thank you to our sponsors: The Diamond Galleria, Deaconess Women's Hospital, Media Mix Communications, KI Lumber, and Enjole Interiors!

Welcome to the Habitat Team!



Meredith Dixon
Volunteer Workforce
and Safety Manager



Andrea Ward
Construction Manager



Ashley Bockhorst
Mortgage Administrative
Specialist



The Beautifying Ballard Blitz took place on Saturday, September 14, and brought together dozens of community volunteers to help make the Ballard Neighborhood shine. By collecting over 200 bags of trash and debris, these amazing volunteers worked hard to clean up the streets. Thank you to everyone who came out to help and thank you to Thrivent Financial for your sponsorship!

Congratulations, Beth!

We are so excited that our very own Beth Folz has been elected Board President for Habitat for Humanity of Indiana! We are so thankful for her dedication and passion for Habitat's mission locally and now at the state level as well.



Save-the-Dates



Thursday, February 27
6:00 p.m.
Tropicana Evansville

Hard Hats and High Heels is the annual gala fundraiser raising money for the 2020 Millennial Build. This year's event is in celebration of the new decade by revisiting the 1920s for an incredible Roaring 20s evening complete with a silent auction, live auction, live performances, and more. This event is one you don't want to miss!

For more information or to buy tickets/table sponsorships call Gail at (812) 423-5623 ext. 231.

HABITAT CRUISE-IN

Sunday, April 26
Evansville Habitat Office
(560 E. Diamond Ave.)

The Habitat Cruise-In is back by popular demand! Join us on Sunday, April 26, at the Evansville Habitat parking lot for a fun-filled car show that the whole family can enjoy. When you're not taking a look at beautiful and unique cars, you can take a tour of the Habitat office and learn about the work we do in Evansville and Mt. Vernon.

For more information or to register, call Sr. Jane Michele McClure at (812) 423-5623 ext. 226.



Every family deserves a decent, affordable home.

Congratulations to these new Habitat homeowners!



Brent and Vicky H.

June 6, 2019
203 S. Grand Ave.

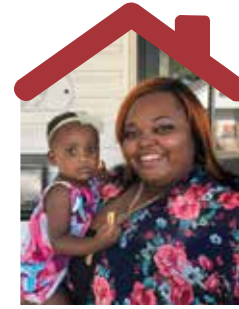
House sponsor:
Interfaith Build



Chanel F.

June 26, 2019
302 S. Bedford Ave.

House sponsor:
Charles and Patricia Robertson



Alexis G.

July 30, 2019
209 S. Bedford Ave.

House sponsor:
Alan and Sharon Braun Foundation



E'Lexis L.

August 5, 2019
307 S. Grand Ave.

House sponsor:
Evansville Teachers Federal Credit Union



Tiffany S.

September 4, 2019
209 E. Oregon St.

House sponsor:
Lutherans for Habitat



Kendra J.

September 7, 2019
219 E. Missouri St.

House sponsor:
Butch and Linda Feulner



Kimiko V.

October 14, 2019
114 E. Oregon St.

House sponsor:
Eyewitness News and Evansville Otters



Jennifer M.

October 16, 2019
114 E. Oregon St.

House sponsor:
UCC/DOC Churches & In Memory of Randall Goins Build



Brenda B.

November 4, 2019
1018 N. Governor St.

House sponsor:
Old National Bank



Vernice J.

November 6, 2019
313 E. Louisiana St.

House sponsor:
Millennial Build



Sherita U.

November 14, 2019
1014 N. Governor St.

House sponsor:
Operation Home For Good



Shannon and Brooklynne B.

December 19, 2019
1012 N. Governor St.

House sponsor:
Gary and Kim Alles

Shout-Out

Shout-Out to all the Habitat homeowners who have paid off their mortgages between June 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019: Sharron Burton, Mary and Jerry Cartwright, Randi McNary Cathey, Mary Chisler, Gina Cook, Arlene Jackson, Carolyn Lane, and Yolanda Norman. Congratulations!

Home Maintenance Tip

from Patrick Landry,
Habitat's Construction Director...



With winter underway, it is a good idea to not only make sure your furnace is serviced properly but also that your A/C unit is clear of all leaves and debris and properly cleaned for the winter. If you do have a heating and air professional come to do a check up on your furnace, make sure they are checking on your A/C unit as well and that it is properly cleaned and ready for its winter off.



Everyone can help build homes, communities and hope.



Thank you to these volunteer groups:

Berry Plastics, Evolent One Care, First Presbyterian Group, Graybar, Habitat Board of Directors, IU School of Medicine, Ken Co., Knights of Columbus, MetroNet, Orthopaedic Associates, SABIC, Signature School, UE Phi Gamma Delta, USI American Society of Civil Engineers, USI Campus Chapter, Uniseal, Valero, and many more!

Types of Volunteers Needed

Receptionists, mowing volunteers, Core Crew members, data entry volunteers, future homeowner advocates, budget partners, and interns.



Shout-Out
to some new Core Crew members:
Diane Weiss-Altstadt, Cheryl Folz,
and Tim Freels!
Welcome to the Crew!

Habitat mourns the loss of longtime Habitat champion and staff member, Susan Weis.

After a long and arduous battle with cancer, Susan Weis passed away in her home on December 5, 2019 at age 47.

Susan helped over 80 families become homeowners through her position as Habitat's Mortgage Administrative Specialist and served hundreds more as a member of the Family Selection Committee. From 2010-2016, Susan represented St. Philip's Parish and served as chair of Catholics for Habitat. Susan was such a kind and generous

individual and this loss is felt by every member of the Habitat community.

Susan is survived by her husband David, and four children, Aaron, Anna, Andrew, and Adeline as well as several close family members. We ask for your thoughts and prayers as her loved ones navigate this difficult time.



Building a Legacy with the Perigo-Prickett Society



The Habitat community mourns the deaths of two Perigo-Prickett Society members.



Rev. Richard "Rector" Schechter

Rev. Richard "Rector" Schechter passed away Friday, September 27, 2019, at the age of 88. "Rector" Schechter was the devoted pastor of Olivet Presbyterian Church (now Olivet Community Church) from 1976 – 1991. Along with Bobbi Hoy, Jim Perigo, Francis Hillenbrand, and many others, he worked through the Evansville Council of Churches to focus on the need for decent housing in Evansville.

The group later worked to gain Habitat for Humanity affiliate status for Evansville in

1984, with Evansville thus becoming the first Habitat organization in the state of Indiana. Rev. Schechter was a member of Habitat's board of directors, the emeritus board of directors, and the Perigo-Prickett Society. He and his wife Joann sponsored "This Gold House" for Habitat for Humanity when they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Richard was a beloved Christian leader whose influence was widespread and whose enthusiasm was contagious. He will be missed.



Lou Ann Green

The Habitat family is saddened by the passing of Lou Ann Green. Lou Ann died on Friday, July 5, 2019 just six months after her husband, Dan.

Dan and Lou Ann Green survived the destruction of their mobile home in the deadly tornado of 2005 and went on to become Habitat homeowners in the New Haven community on Evansville's southeast side as well as members of the Perigo-Prickett Society.

We send our deepest sympathy and promise of prayer to Lou Ann's daughter, Jennifer, and two grandchildren, Sascha and Kilei.

The Society is pleased to welcome new members: Jeanne M. Carter, Dennis and Angelika Clark, and Tom and Martha Sommerfield.

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville recognizes all individuals and couples who have become members of the Perigo-Prickett Society as of December 31, 2019. Through their legacy giving Habitat's ability to continue to help families become strong, stable and self-reliant through shelter is ensured. Deceased members of the Society are indicated by a †.

Perigo-Prickett Society Members

David and Teri Hollander Albin
Tom and Marcia Ballard
Lois M. Bennett†
Lola J. Bromm†
Bill and Phyllis Bussing
Jeff and Margaret Ann Byrne
Jeanne M. Carter†
Dennis and Angelika Clark
David and Ginny Cook
Charles F. and Frances Crawford†
Ed and Martha† Diamond
Melvin L. Dickhaut†
LeRoy and Pat Dilger

Greg and Joyce Donaldson
Jim and Cathy Edrington
Marjorie E. Ewing†
Gilbert and Alberta Fehrenbacher†
Chuck and Linda Fellwock
Scott and Jacqueline Fenneman
Butch and Linda Feulner
Diane and Mark Floyd
Beth Ann and Ron Folz
Jim and Emily Fowler†
Elizabeth Fox
Theresa Frielinghausen
Danny and Theresa Garness

John and Lucille Gooch†
Dan and Lou Ann Green†
Ben Greiner†
Jingle Igleheart Hagey
Eugene and Barbara Hamlow
Jim and Carol Havens
Brian and Trisha Hawkes
Joyce Hendrix
John and Kelly Hevron
Jim Hineborg
Nancy Hitch
Mike and Carol Hull
Elizabeth Kalb

Kris Kinsey
Dr. Llewellyn Lieber†
Rev. Steve Lintzenich
Jack and Bonnie Main†
Jim and Mary Stumpf McCarthy
David† and Colleen McLaughlin
Anne and Bill† Nicholson
Bob and Shirley† Nicholson
Dan and Laura Niemeier
Jim† and Pat Perigo
Jim and Janette Prickett
Charlotte Richardt†
Aileen Roberts
Irene Ruston†
Yvette Sapp
Oscar† and Dottie Schauss

Richard and Joann Schechter
Carl and Beverly† Schofield
Frank and Judy Schultheis
Jim† and Joann Schwenker
Roger and Elizabeth Shinner†
Kenneth Silverman†
Tom and Martha Sommerfield
Jim† and Pam Stevens
Steve and Wendy Thomas
Steve and Sandy Titzer
Fran and Vernon Vix
Diane Weiss-Altstadt
Maryedna Wilkie†
Jim and Laura Wittman
Scott and Holly Wittman
Dick and Paula† Yeager

Want to join the Perigo-Prickett Society?

Membership in the Perigo-Prickett Society is open to all. Just name Habitat for Humanity of Evansville as a beneficiary in your estate plans (our legal name is Habitat for Humanity of Evansville, Inc.) and let us know or make a contribution to the Habitat for Humanity Endowment with the Vanderburgh Community Foundation. For more information and to learn about how your membership in the Perigo-Prickett Society can help families become strong, stable, and self-reliant through shelter, contact Sr. Jane Michele McClure at (812) 423-5623 ext. 226.



Every gift creates change.

Honor | Memorial | In-Kind Gifts | Cars for Homes | May 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019

In Honor Of:

Ballard Neighborhood Project
Dominique Smith

Elmer Berberich
Earl and Mary Carter

Sherrill A. Boyd and Robert E. Carter
Eugene and Barbara Hamlow

Jeanne and John Condren
Brian and Amy Harper
Scott and Zophia Harper

Wilma Duckworth's 90th Birthday
Angela Grebe

Chuck Fellwock's 90th Birthday
Edward and Jo Anne Furniss

Bryan Hayden
Kyle and Lindsay Dodd

James Hineborg
Gregory and Susie Head
George and Peggy Neireiter

Mike Hull
Judy Streetman

Gary and Gloria Mazo
Daniel Pipe-Mazo

Sr. Jane Michele McClure's 50th Jubilee
LeRoy and Pat Dilger
Catherine Greulich
Karen Katafiasz
Sharon Layman
William and Lisa Muller
Anne Nicholson
Dan and Laura Niemeier
Clifford and Linda Paulin
Ann Scheitlin
Thomas Scheller
Delbert and Judy Wittman

Jim and Janette Prickett
Ronald and Beverly Attinger
Alfred Buck

Fred & Betty Roeder's 70th Anniversary
Robert and Mary Roeder

Skip Seaman
Timothy Arnold

Steve and Wendy Thomas
Daniel and Kim Hermann

In Memory Of:

Wanda and Wallace Adye, MD and Grandma Stone
Bruce and Misty Adye

Larry Bartley and Ed Schultheis
Ken and Janet Schultheis

Rev. Lawrence E. Becker
Steve Becker
Kenneth and Marilyn Burgdorf
Layne Christensen
Harold Dillworth
Ron and Beth Folz
Bonnie and Bill Frost
Patricia Freeman
Grace Glaser
Kendra Glaser
Olivea Glaser
Steve Glaser
Judy Grebe
Ruby Grebe
Joyce Guilford
Pamela and Kenny Harp

Delores Hedeman
Indiana Youth Institute
Gary and Mary Ann Kemper
William and Ruth Lang
Brian Lovell
Connie Lovell
Gary Lovell
Norma Lovell
Jo An Niehaus
Jeffrey and Karon Palmer
Fred and Betty Robinson
Donald and Anne Sabbert
Edna Sickbert
Jennifer Stickler
Alice Stinson
Susan Straub

Dick Cannon
Charles and Elizabeth Storms

Geoffrey David
Wildner and Janel Allen
Nancy Bizal
Louis and Pamela Buschkill
Gary Burk
Jerry and Betty David
Timothy Deig
Gerald and Adelia Evans
Richard and Rita Eykamp
Tessie Grimm
Barbara Harmon
Ray and Linda Holloman
Harvey and Carol Klenck
Jean Memmer
James and Mary Kay Muehlbauer
Robert and Sharon Nesmith
Herman and Carolyn Schapker
Joan Schmitt
Tom and Gloria Speer
John and Susan Wetzel

Virginia Deig
Elmer and Ellen Berberich

Jack Dempsey
Charles Allen
Norman Brown
Lizbeth Creech
Linda Doud
Susan Duncan
Rick and Amy Feitl
Gary and Martha Holder
Don and Jaylene Kiefer
Harold and Iris Mann
Betty Worthington

Joyce Diaz
Cole and Tammie Vaughn

Kit Holland-Eichholz
Mark King
Prudence Moore

Kenneth George Fehd
Bobby Nicholson

Barbara Flittner
Bobby Nicholson

Jim and Emily Fowler
Douglas and Mary Thompson

Miriam June Gibson
Marilyn Brothers
Robert and Sandra Kingsland
Benjamin and Jeanne Neely
Aileen Roberts

Frederick and Susan Rushman
Scott Smith
Charlotte Stoltz

Daniel Green
Pamela Schnetzler
John and Cynthia Sieracki

Lou Ann Green
Lee and Jennifer Bryan
Ron and Beth Folz
Pamela Schnetzler
John and Cynthia Sieracki
Glenn and Jennifer Wuchner

Henry Hertel
Ron and Kathy Hollander

Verda Miller and Doris Wiegand
Eugene and Barbara Hamlow

Ted Olsen
Bobby Nicholson

Rev. Richard Schechter
Charles and Christine Clark
Robert and Ellen Costner
Annette Drake
Kurt and RoAnn Fairchild
Geraldine Gunderson
Gloria Hendrickson
Intel Alumni Network
Eugene and Carla Jendrek
Doris Kestermann
Barry and Joan Mason
Emilie Miller
Monroe Presbyterian Church
Aileen Roberts
Boyd Smith
Wendra Tuell
Robert and Donna Tyner
Jodi Uebelhack
Robert and Connie Wade
Terry Woodbury

Leo Scheu
Bradley Scheu and Allison Miller

Lawrence and Ruth Stahl
Quentin and Ann Stahl

Bettye Statham
Larry and Donna Burton
Cory and Roseann Mason
Ruth Nicholson
Steve and Barbara Will
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Paul and Eleanor Werner
James and Kathryn Zelle

Jim Stevens
Ronald and Judith Irvin

Susan Louise Weis
Dennis and Angelika Clark
Lisa Corcoran and John Nelli
Walter and Anne Cottrell
Rita J. Fairchild

Butch and Linda Feulner
Ron and Beth Folz
Chris and Alice Huus
Darin and Jacinda Keitel
Barbara Lacer
Daryl and Carolyn Lipper
Kenny and Jeanne Mesker
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Patricia Sandefur
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St. Philip Catholic Church Men's Club
Julie Turner
Jeffrey and Michele Wildeman
Scott and Holly Wittman
Glenn and Jennifer Wuchner

Robert Emerson Wylie
Clark and Linda Absher
Kathy Cozart
Michael and Rebecca Croghan
Lockye Drone
Robert Endicott
Samuel and Martha Endicott
Sue Endicott
Carl Funkhouser
David Hall
Indiana Legal Services
Jeanne LaDuke
Patricia Lewis
Larry Miller
Joe and Jane Morber
Sue O'Neal
Harrison and Judith Peyton
Nancy Proctor
Janet Rice
Donald and Breeze Sobek
Michael and Jane Staley
Bob and Sue Webster
Kalyn and Dawn Williams
Ronald and Kay Winter

In Kind:

American Eagle Tree Service
Ashley Furniture Homestore
Theresa Frielinghausen
Frito-Lay North America
G.D. Ritzzy's
Head's Construction
Killebrew Brick
Lewis Bakeries
Luke Nordine
Old National Bank
Robert and Cindy Stallman
Thyme in the Kitchen
Viable Home Energy

Cars for Homes:

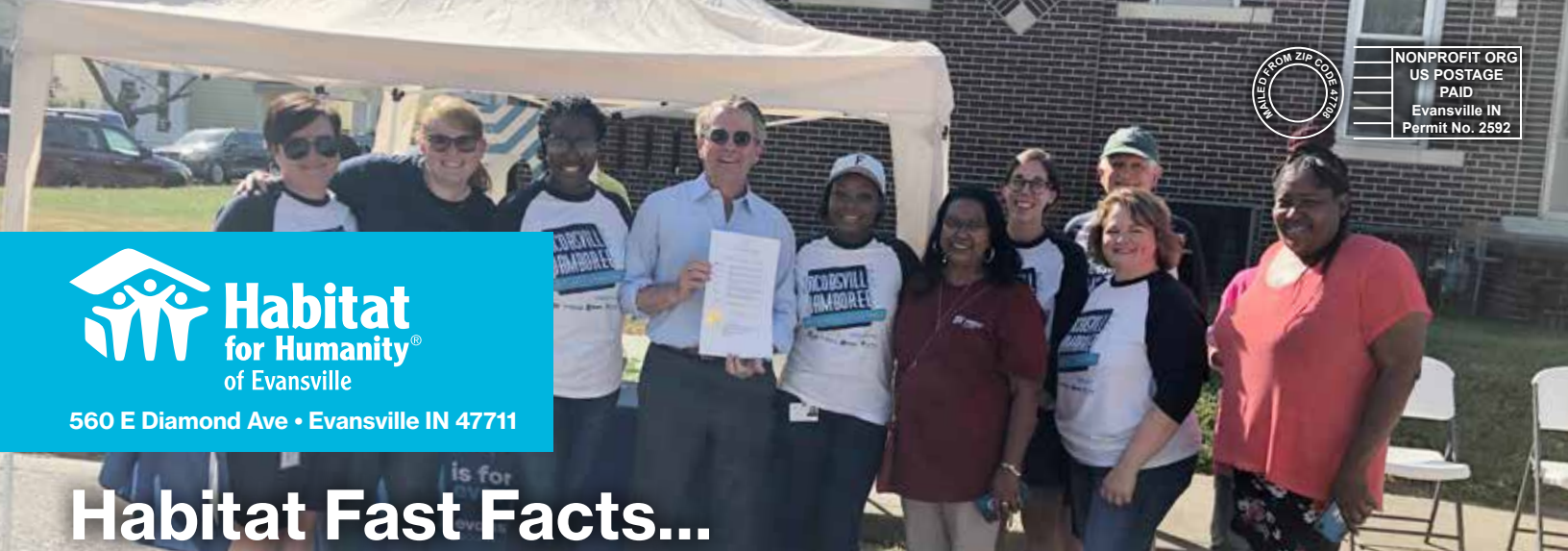
Nicole Gill



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Habitat Fast Facts...

Every Habitat home is a solid foundation for a family to build strength, stability and self-reliance.

- There are 23 future Habitat homeowners in our program working on sweat equity.
- Habitat for Humanity of Evansville has dedicated over 515 homes in Vanderburgh and Posey Counties.
- It takes approximately 75 volunteers giving a total of about 1,130 hours to build a Habitat home.
- Habitat is now building in the Jacobsville and Glenwood neighborhoods.

Homeowner Spotlight

“This home means stability and security. To everyone who has helped me on this journey, thank you! Thank you for believing in me and the other future homeowners. Without you guys, this would not be possible. I want to say thank you for helping me secure a solid, loving, welcoming foundation for my family.”

– Habitat Future Homeowner Del B.



Future Homeowner Del and her two daughters, Kori and LaBresha



To read Del's full Habitat story and the stories of others, go to www.evansvillehabitat.org/future-homeowners.