

Quick Facts

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About Habitat

We are a non-profit, non-denominational housing organization. We welcome partners without discrimination to help us build simple, decent and affordable homes with low-income families. 100% of proceeds from the operation of our four ReStores, are directed to funding the administrative costs of Habitat Heartland Ontario.

Habitat Heartland Ontario believes that every man, woman and child has the right to the confidence, security and hope that a home provides. We offer low-income families a hand-up, not a hand-out, empowering them to become successful homeowners. Affordable housing is key to building strong, equitable and thriving communities.

We help families who:

- Can demonstrate a need for affordable housing.
- Are willing to partner with us and volunteer 500 hours of “sweat equity”.
- Have the ability to repay an interest-free mortgage over an average of 25 Years

Mortgage revenues go directly into a revolving house building fund to continue building yet more Habitat homes.

Habitat London History

Habitat for Humanity London Inc. was established in 1993 and is one of 72 affiliates of Habitat for Humanity® Canada.

Habitat expanded into the Counties of Oxford Middlesex and Elgin in 2012, changing names to Habitat for Humanity Oxford Middlesex Elgin, then merged with the affiliate in Stratford in January 2014, changing our name to Habitat for Humanity Heartland Ontario.

To date, we have built 76 homes (November 2018) in the 4 counties and have two ReStores in operation in London, one in Woodstock, one in St Thomas, one in Stratford and one in Listowel.

Vision

A world where everyone has a safe and decent place to live

Mission

To mobilize volunteers and partners in providing opportunities for families to achieve affordable and sustainable homeownership as a means of breaking the cycle of poverty and strengthening communities

Values

Housing for all
Human dignity
Family engagement
Partnerships

Inclusion
Strengthening of family and citizenship
Accountability

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- 76 homes built, 110 families served
- Winner, 2004 First Pillar Innovation Awareness Award
- Winner, 2011 Pillar Community Collaboration Award in Partnership with The Home At Last Affordable Home Ownership Program
- Winner, 2015 London Chamber of Commerce Environmental Leadership Award
- Finalist, 2015 Pillar Non-Profit Community Collaboration Award
- Winner, 2018 Habitat for Humanity Canada Housing Innovation Award
- Winner, 2018 London Home Builders' Association Community Service Award
- Finalist, 2018 Pillar Non-Profit Community Impact Award

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