W Habitat for Humanity®

of Oregon







Building homes, communities and hope

Habitat for Humanity partners with people in your community, and all over the world, to help them build or improve a place they can call home. Habitat homeowners help build their own homes alongside volunteers and pay an affordable mortgage. With your support, Habitat homeowners achieve the strength, stability and independence they need to build a better life for themselves and for their families.







Building a **brighter future** in Oregon

A safe, stable and affordable home *transforms* a family's life – it leads to greater economic stability, access to quality education, increased civic and social engagement, and better health. Habitat for Humanity's homebuilding and repair activities also energize local economies, support jobs, increase tax revenues and reduce the need for household governmental assistance.



99 percent of Oregon children raised in Habitat homes report having the same or better health.



92 percent of children raised in Habitat homes graduate from high school, exceeding Oregon's rate by 16 percent.



80 percent of Habitat homeowners express an improved sense of community.



For nearly 25 percent of all Americans, their home is their biggest financial asset. For low-income households and households of color, homeownership can be a catalyst to wealth building.



Habitat is a leader in developing affordable, energy-efficient homes. In addition, repairs are a critical step to ensuring safe, healthy homes and preserving our housing stock.



In 2019, Habitat affiliates invested **\$34.5 million** into operations and construction activity, and paid **\$2.4 million** in local and state taxes. Our work supports **~668 jobs**.



Habitat for Humanity of Oregon works alongside the offices of dedicated staff and volunteers building and repairing homes across our state. We help advance the work of Habitat by supporting Oregon's 24 affiliates in the following areas: Training and technical assistance; fundraising and lending; public policy and advocacy work; and disaster response.