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Habitat Matters

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Crossing County Lines

A new partnership is expanding our reach

Habitat for Humanity of San Antonio and Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity are partnering up and consolidating operations.

INSIDE: Read the announcement from our President & CEO

of San Antonio & Guadalupe Valley

President's Corner:

We have some exciting news!

By now you may have heard that Habitat for Humanity of San Antonio and Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity are partnering up and consolidating operations. We are thrilled about this expansion. It will allow us to grow while serving even more hardworking families in need of safe and affordable homes.

We are grateful to you our volunteers and donors. Your willingness to serve our mission over the years truly makes this expansion possible. This year we plan to build three homes in Seguin and 53 homes at our Rancho Carlota neighborhood in San Antonio. We also hope to build Guadalupe County's own first-ever Habitat neighborhood. We are currently working to acquire land for the project.

Our mission remains the same—to make homeownership truly affordable for families in need. Poverty doesn't fall neatly between county lines. By joining forces we can better fight for all of the families struggling in our region. We're grateful for your support as we embark on this new chapter.

In partnership,

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Natalie Griffith, President & CEO

About Guadalupe Valley

Meet the Executive Director, Madeline Zwicke

Madeline joined the **Guadalupe Valley** team in 2019. Her involvement with Habitat dates back to her time with the Bryan/College Station affiliate where she served as Volunteer and **Community Outreach** Coordinator. Madeline shares her passion for what Habitat does with



Madeline Zwicke- Executive Director of Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity

all those involved. "Our volunteers and supporters contribute talents and time to Habitat for all sorts of reasons, but regardless of the 'why', every



of San Antonio & Guadalupe Valley

Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity

- Founded in 1993
- 32 Homes Built

Habitat for Humanity of San Antonio

- Founded in 1976
- 1,221 Homes Built

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homeowner, volunteer and staff member share one thing in common - we all love the work."

She is excited for Guadalupe Valley to join forces with San Antonio to serve even more families."We hope to get even more people involved in Habitat's work in the years ahead."

Check out our newest Store

Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity operates one ReStore located at 256 W. Court St., Sequin, TX 78155. You will see the same great deals you expect

at Habitat Home Centers in San Antonio. If you're in Seguin stop by and say hello.



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HABITAT HOME CENTER

GV HABITAT RESTORE

HOLIDAY HOURS

All Habitat Home Centers and the Guadalupe Valley ReStore will be closed for Easter on Friday, April 15th and Saturday, April 16th.

> **The Habitat Home Centers** will re-open Monday, April 18th at 8 AM.

The Guadalupe Valley ReStore will re-open Tuesday, April 19th at 10 AM.

FREE & PAID DONATION PICKUP SERVICES

We've recently partnered with ReSupply to assist in picking up donations for our stores. For a small fee, the movers can provide services that the free donation option doesn't. For instance, paid movers can enter an occupied residence and both disassemble and bring out donations that may be in a multi-level home or apartment. For more information, please visit: habitatsa.org/habitat-home-center/how-to-donate/ or habitatgv.org/restore/how-to-donate/.

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CLOTHING FUNDRAISER

Looking for another way to support Habitat? You can now drop off your gently used clothes, shoes, belts, purses, hats and more to any store near you during business hours. Your donation will assist Habitat for Humanity of San Antonio & Guadalupe Valley's homebuilding program.

EARTH DAY

To thank you for supporting our stores and making every day Earth Day... we'd like to give you an Earth Day freebie! Visit any store and pick up your Hab-i-Swag (while supplies last). No purchase necessary. Friday, April 22nd, 2022 from 8am-6pm (San Antonio) and 10am-5:30om (Guadalupe Valley).

Save the Date!

House Dedication at Rancho Carlota Saturday, April 9, 2022 at 10 AM 13801 Watson Road, 78073

Join us as we congratulate 18 families on the completion of their affordable homes!

Build with us!

There's still time to join our spring build and sponsor a home! Each sponsor is invited to bring up to 25 volunteers. Take a house from studs to completion. It's a great team building opportunity for your



congregation or workplace. Show your neighbors in need some love and build with us this year! Call 210-223-5203 to get your organization involved.

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- Make a donation of stock or list Habitat for Humanity of San Antonio or Guadalupe Valley Habitat for Humanity in your will.
- Give through our website at HabitatSA.org, HabitatGV.org, or mail a check in the enclosed envelope.
- Give a convenient monthly donation through our websites: HabitatSA.org or HabitatGV.org

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100% of your donation helps build homes for families right here in your local area!

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