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Habitat for Humanity of Bucks County is planning a Women Build!

From Colorado to Pennsylvania, from Asia to Africa, women are taking the lead in the fight against poverty housing.

Women are building a legacy.

The Women Build program is designed specifically to recruit, train and **empower women** to build. Women-built projects provide an opportunity for women to **learn construction in a supportive environment** while rising to the challenge of **building a better future, one house at a time.**

The Habitat Bucks Women Build event will be entirely **planned, funded, and publicized by women**, and will be held in the third week of October.

An interest meeting was held on March 3rd and we were **overwhelmed** by the response! More than **100 women** attended and signed up for one (or more!) of the six women build planning teams: Activities, Food, Fundraising, PR, Training and Volunteer. **We would love to have you involved in this exciting project!** Whether you are interested in participating on a planning team or doing construction during the October event, **we want to hear from you!** The date of each team's first meeting is listed below.

Team Meeting Dates (all meetings are from 6:30-7:30 pm)

Activities: Thursday, April 7th • Doylestown Borough Hall
Food Service: Wednesday, April 13th • Neshaminy Warwick Presbyterian Church
Fundraising: Thursday, March 31st • Doylestown Borough Hall
Training: Wednesday, April 6th • Neshaminy Warwick Presbyterian Church
Volunteer: Wednesday, March 30th • Neshaminy Warwick Presbyterian Church
Public Relations: Thursday, April 14th • Doylestown Borough Hall

- **Neshaminy Warwick Presbyterian Church**
1404 Meetinghouse Road, Warminster, PA, 18974
- **Doylestown Borough Hall**
57 W. Court Street, Doylestown, PA 18901

Please RSVP to Laura (215.348.2204 ext. 302,
l.mcclellan@habitatbucks.org) for all team meetings.

Please contact Kelly (215.348.2204 ext. 305, k.hile@habitatbucks.org), outreach program director of Habitat Bucks, with questions or for more information on the Women Build Program.

Why participate in Women Build?

- Households headed by women have grown 400% since 1950.
- Nationally, 12 million children are living in poverty.
- Only 3% of construction workers are women.
- Since 1991, women have built more than 450 homes in the US.



"Women are the real architects of society." —Harriet Beecher Stowe