



## September 2017 Monthly News & Updates



Shop the Habitat ReStore Friday and Saturday for our Labor Day Weekend Sale!  
Selected appliances on sale at very special prices in our parking lot:

**Stoves = \$50! Refrigerators = \$100!**

(Specially priced appliances are sold "as-is" with no warranty)

[Visit Our Website](#)



### Message From Our Executive Director

The last two months have been a whirlwind of activity at MAHFH. I'm finally getting settled in and am excited about the next chapter. I'm thrilled to announce our expanded partnership with Eagle Communications, who will be sponsoring all of our events in the next year. Thank you to Scott Olesky, General Manager, for your generous support.

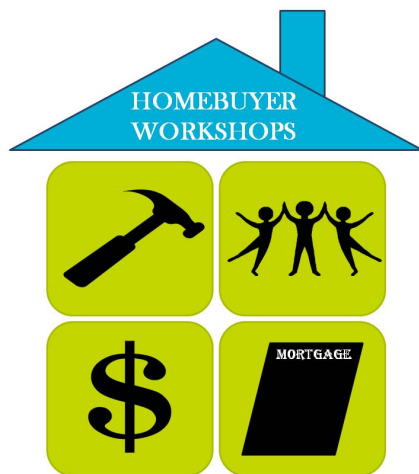
We hope everyone can join us for Habitat Hoedown on October 27th. A new twist this year will be the addition of some outdoor games.

Thank you to Mark Linville for meeting with some of our supporters in the Faith community to develop partnerships to work toward our common goals.

Last but not least a HUGE thank you to Melody, Marie, Pedro, Easton, and all of the staff and volunteers at ReStore for your hard work and dedication during this time of transition. You are the best!

## MAHFH Mourns the Passing of MAHFH Board Member Tom Bennett

Tom Bennett was not only a good friend to Habitat for Humanity, he was a good friend to the community. A long time Habitat board member, Tom is known for his understated manner and humble demeanor. Much of what Tom has done for this community will never be known, he never sought attention or acclaim, he just did what needed to be done. We will miss you, Tom, and your sweet wife, Gayle as well. Your daughters, Leslie and Sara, remain in our prayers.



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## Homebuyer Readiness Workshop September 14

Homebuyer Readiness Workshops are FREE and OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, and cover a variety of topics relating to home ownership. These workshops are mandatory to qualify for a Habitat Home.

September Topic: Basic Landscaping - Learn the tricks of the landscaping trade from a professional - Dede Brokish, Landscape Designer.

Light refreshments and limited childcare available.

September 14, 7pm, Manhattan Public Library

[Learn More and Register for FREE Homebuyer Readiness Workshop](#)

## Habitat for Humanity Hoedown Tickets on Sale September 15

Don't miss this year's best entertainment value - the Habitat Hoedown on October 27! Dinner, Dancing to a live band and Silent Auction - for only \$20 a ticket!

[Buy Hoedown Tickets Online](#)



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## Kansas Habitat for Humanity Affiliate Meeting

Karmen Davenport and Melody Sexton traveled to Wichita on August 23 to meet with other Kansas Habitat Affiliates to share great ideas and

discuss issues. One great bit of news: The Kansas Housing Resource Center has awarded a grant to the Kansas Habitat Affiliates in the total amount of \$150,000. Affiliates will share that amount, grant monies will be distributed in October. MAHFH expects to receive between \$5K - \$10K to spend on affordable housing projects in our community!

## Happy Birthday MAHFH!

September 6 marks the 23rd year Manhattan Area Habitat for Humanity has been building homes and changing lives.

[Ten Facts You Didn't Know About MAHFH](#)



## Habitat for Humanity's "Cars for Homes" Program Raises \$\$\$ For Our Affiliate

**Since January 2017, Donations of cars to the Habitat Cars for Homes program raised \$526,834.88 for Habitat International and \$399.09 for our local Habitat projects in the last quarter!**

**Do YOU have a car that you no longer use? Donate it today at  
[Cars for Homes](#)**

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### ReStore Manager Pedro Marquez Receives OSHA Certification

It is an OSHA requirement that you have a trained "Competent Person" on the job site. Pedro Marquez of MAHFH ReStore attended this training in Kirksville, MO on August 10-12, meeting the requirements of Habitat International and making our work sites a safer place for everyone.

[Learn More About OSHA Competent Person Certification](#)

## FINAL SALES FRIDAY

Join us at the Habitat for Humanity ReStore (2711 Amherst Avenue) on the last Friday of every month for one-time only deals on dozens and dozens of items!

Friday, September 29



## Habitat ReStore Round-Up

Looking for an easy way to support our Habitat Mission even more?

Simply "Round-Up" your purchase at the Habitat ReStore cash register and help your donation dollars go farther!

[Learn More about the Habitat ReStore](#)

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