

PRESS RELEASE

Ware-Butler Building Supply Donates Material to Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity has accepted roughly \$100,000 worth of vinyl siding to use for their future projects.

January 10, 2023: Ware-Butler Building Supply has donated nearly \$100,000 worth of vinyl siding to Habitat for Humanity to use for future projects. Habitat says this donation will help as many as 12 families across Maine.

Eric Jolliff, Habitat's Community Engagement Coordinator of Greater Bangor Area, says the rising cost and availability of building materials in the past couple years has been a significant challenge for their organization. Jolliff says, "This donation from Ware-Butler is greatly appreciated and will be used by the Habitat affiliates across the state to construct houses for another 12 families."

1 in 6 families in the U.S. spend more than 50 percent of their income on housing. In Maine, that number is 1 in 8 families. Better, more affordable housing creates the ability and financial flexibility for a family to make forward-looking choices.

Ware-Butler Building Supply is proud to help this housing organization to provide families and individuals in need with a hand-up partner with Habitat for Humanity to build or improve a place they can call home. Driven by the vision that everyone deserves a decent place to live, Habitat for Humanity began in 1976 as a grassroots effort.

This donation will benefit Habitat for Humanity of Greater Bangor, Habitat for Humanity Seven Rivers, Habitat for Humanity of Greater Portland, Waterville Area Habitat for Humanity, Hancock County Habitat for Humanity, Waldo County Habitat for Humanity, Midcoast Habitat for Humanity, and York County Habitat for Humanity.

You can donate to Habitat for Humanity of Greater Bangor <u>HERE</u>, or contact your local affiliate.

For more information about Habitat Humanity, please contact Eric Jolliff at: <u>eric@habitatbangor.org</u>

Ware-Butler Building Supply appreciates the opportunity to help out the communities that support us. We are Maine, Start to Finish.

Visit <u>www.warebutler.com</u> to find out more information about our Made-In-Maine company.

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