

## Habitat ReStore is Growing!

The ReStore, LLC opened its doors in January 2004 in a grand effort to raise additional funds to support Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity's mission. The ReStore helps builders, contractors, suppliers, and individuals by accepting donations of new and slightly used building materials and building supplies. Each donation is TAX-DEDUCTIBLE, and donors receive a receipt at the time of drop-off. Any supplies that cannot be directly used in the building of a Habitat home are then marked down to at least 1/2 OFF the original price and placed on the shelves to be sold. The best part is, the ReStore sells its inventory to the ENTIRE PUBLIC!!!

As we approach our first year anniversary, the ReStore is making excellent progress:

- We now have the ability to pick up large donations of building materials with our own truck!!!
- We have expanded our store located at 411 S. Wahsatch by 3,000 sq. feet to total 13,000 sq. feet.
- Our inventory is very diverse and individuals can purchase items from the following departments: cabinets, doors/windows, electrical, finishes, plumbing, roofing/insulation, and tools/appliances.
- Thanks to our customers, our sales have steadily increased month by month which is helping more needy families become proud homeowners. Last month, the ReStore earned a net profit of \$13,000—our most successful month to date!



- While our shelves are always stocked with unique items, we are constantly looking for additional donations of various new and used building materials.

- To date, our ReStore Manager, John Veteto, and many other dedicated volunteers have been very successful in operating the store! As we grow, however, we are always looking for a few good men and women to volunteer in the store or on the ReStore committee.

If you are doing some redecorating, remodeling or home repairing, come down to the ReStore first to look for your project supplies. If you have been planning to do Fall cleaning of your garage or basement, please donate your unwanted

building materials to the Habitat ReStore. Your old items will be put to good use in supporting Habitat home building projects. The ReStore is open to the public Thursday - Saturday from 9:00 - 5:00. We can also accept donations on Tuesdays & Wednesdays by appointment. Please call our ReStore at 667-0840.

### *Volunteers Needed for Habitat ReStore!!!*

Schedule: Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, & Sat.  
Full-time: 9:00-5:00, or Part-time: 9:00-1:00 or 1:00-5:00

*Make new friends and share your talents!*

**Call Barbara @ 632-8466**

### *Upcoming Orientation!*

***Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity is in need of deserving families to serve!*** We will hold our next Partner Family Orientation on Saturday, January 22, 2005. Attending the orientation is the first step in qualifying for a Habitat for Humanity home. In order to attend, families must be low-income and meet the following three criteria:

1. Have a *level of need* for new housing
2. Be *willing to partner* in our program
3. Have the *ability to pay* our monthly no-interest mortgage payments

If you know someone who is struggling with high rental payments, our program might be for them! If they are interested in being invited to our upcoming orientation, please have them call the Habitat office at 719.475.7800. For more detailed information on our qualification process, please view our website: [www.pikespeakhabitat.org](http://www.pikespeakhabitat.org), and click on "The Families We Help".

### Special Thanks to These Community Partners

*(July 1 - September 30, 2004)*

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### Donating to Habitat is as easy as 1-2-3!



1. Make your check or money order payable to PPHFH
2. Place your check in the enclosed self-addressed envelope
3. Stamp and drop your envelope in the mailbox for pick-up

*We value all gifts, large or small! Donations are tax-deductible and will help support our mission of building lives by building homes.*