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Currently serving Acadia, Iberia, Lafayette, and Vermilion Parishes; Breaux Bridge, LA

Enclosed you will find an application for Rebuilding Together Acadiana.

Rebuilding Together Acadiana is a non-profit organization supported entirely by contributions of time, labor, material and money. We are dedicated to providing critical home repairs and home modifications for those who, due to financial hardship, age, and/or disability, cannot do the work themselves. Skilled and unskilled **volunteers**, along with able-bodied members of the recipient's family and friends, complete the repairs.

To be eligible for consideration in the program, you must:

- Own and occupy your home* and provide proof of homeownership
- Have lived in your home for at least 3 years
- Be age 65 or older, or physically disabled, or a US Veteran
- Be low income based on federal guidelines and provide proof of income

*WE DO NOT REPAIR MOBILE HOMES, BUT WE DO CONSTRUCT WHEELCHAIR RAMPS, STEPS AND HANDRAILS

Please include verification of all income, proof of occupancy and proof of homeownership with your application. Your application cannot be processed until all documentation is turned in. The best documents to serve as proof are copies of the following options:

Income: Social Security Benefit Statements, US Treasury Checks, Two (2) months of Pay Stubs, Two (2)

years of Tax returns, Pension Letter, VA Benefits letter, Proof of Alimony/Child Support

Occupancy: Utility bill showing resident's name and address

Ownership: Cash Sale, Bill of Sale, Deeds or 100% Interest Ownership listed on Property Tax Assessment

If you have any questions about the program or need assistance in completing the application, please call 291-9910. Homeowners who apply and qualify will be contacted to arrange for a visit by a team of Rebuilding Together Acadiana volunteers. The information they gather will be used in determining sites to be repaired. Please allow at least four to six weeks to process your application.

Thank you for your interest in Rebuilding Together Acadiana.

Sincerely,

Jodee Ware Executive Director