

WHY REPAIR?

FOCUSING ON HEALTHY HOUSING



Safe, healthy, and secure housing is a solid foundation that leads to outcomes such as:

- Improved academic performance
- Decreased risk of developing asthma from indoor pollutants
- Decreased risk of seniors falling at home

MAINTAINING AFFORDABLE HOUSING



In the midst of an affordable housing crisis, restoring existing homes is crucial to preserving the well-being of homeowners and preventing the loss of their homes. Rebuilding Together uses a systematic, science-based approach to safe and healthy housing based on a 25-priority checklist.

According to the U.S.

Department of Housing and Urban Development, housing is considered affordable when it costs no more than 30% of a household's annual income. Based on this guideline, nearly 38% of Dutchess County's homeowners are cost-burdened.

CONTACT US

APPLY TODAY

We serve income-qualified homeowners and nonprofit facilities and community spaces in Dutchess County. Contact us or visit our website for further eligibility information or to receive an application.

INVEST IN OUR COMMUNITY

- ✓ Sponsor our programs or events
- ✓ In-kind (material, service, etc.) or individual donations

GET INVOLVED

Rebuilding Together Dutchess County is grateful for the volunteers that bring our vision to life. There are many ways for individuals to get involved: general volunteer, board member, events and organizational committees, house captain, carpenter, roofer, electrician, home inspector, plumber, and more.

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NEED A FEW HOME REPAIRS?

WE CAN HELP!



**REPAIRING HOMES
REVITALIZING COMMUNITIES
REBUILDING LIVES**



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WHO WE ARE

Our mission is to repair homes, revitalize communities, and rebuild lives. Rebuilding Together is the nation's leading nonprofit working to preserve affordable homeownership by providing no-cost home repairs and accessibility modifications to income-qualified homeowners. Our services ensure homeowners live independently in warm, safe, healthy and dry homes.

Rebuilding Together's local affiliates and nearly 100,000 volunteers complete about 10,000 rebuild projects nationwide each year. Rebuilding Together Dutchess County serves all of the County of Dutchess and since our founding in 1992, we have partnered with over 14,000 volunteers to complete more than 1,000 home repair projects, investing a market value of more than \$7 million into communities throughout Dutchess County.

Our Vision:
Safe homes and
communities for everyone.



WHAT WE DO



Rebuilding Together is a 501c3 nonprofit that receives funding, in part, from federal and local grants, community support, and donated volunteer labor and supplies. There is never a cost to eligible homeowners. Please note that mobile homes are only eligible for accessibility ramps and fire safety installations.




Rebuilding Day Program

Our flagship program that provides large-scale home repair and accessibility modifications that focus on improving the health and safety of the home.

 Stair, roof, porch and other critical structural repairs	 Intact and contaminant-free paint and wall covering repairs	 Wheelchair ramps, stairlifts, and expanded doorways
 Heating, cooling, and electrical system repairs	 Plumbing, moisture, and active water leak repairs	 Safe and accessible bathroom and kitchen modifications

Handyman Repair Program

Provides timely small-scale repairs including safety and accessibility modifications. These repairs can typically be completed in four hours or less.

 Grab bars, hand rails, and minor accessibility upgrades
 Energy efficiency upgrades and improved lighting
 Tripping and falling hazards

Community Strong Program



Provides improvements to a variety of nonprofit facilities and common spaces used by thousands of Dutchess County residents, including community parks and gardens, senior centers, homeless shelters and low-income daycare facilities.

Home Safety & Fire Prevention Program



Educates homeowners about fire safety and installs code-compliant smoke and carbon monoxide alarms, fire extinguishers, and reflective house numbers.

