



Builders Blitz 2019

MEDIA ALERT

Local Builders Join Habitat for Humanity Greater Orlando & Osceola County for Builders Blitz *4 Builders will Construct 4 Homes in 5 Days, February 4-9, 2019*

WHAT: Habitat for Humanity Greater Orlando & Osceola County is partnering with four (4) builders to build four (4) homes for future Habitat homeowners in just five (5) days.

Habitat Orlando & Osceola is hosting the Cornerstone Guild Breakfast and a Home Dedication Ceremony during Builders Blitz. Orange County Mayor, Jerry L. Demings, will speak at both events.

WHEN: **Cornerstone Guild Breakfast – Thursday, February 7, 2019, 7:30 a.m.**
Habitat Orlando & Osceola is celebrating with their Cornerstone Guild giving society members at a breakfast on the build site at which Orange County Mayor, Jerry L. Demings, will stress the importance of affordable housing in Orange County. Attendees may tour the homes under construction.

Home Dedication Ceremony – Saturday, February 9, 2019, 10 a.m.
The four new Habitat Orlando & Osceola homeowners will be presented with the keys to their newly built homes during a Home Dedication Celebration. Orange County Mayor, Jerry L. Demings, will share his good wishes for the new homeowners.

WHERE: Arbor Bend in South Apopka, Orange County, 1221 South Washington Avenue, Apopka, FL
Arbor Bend is Habitat Orlando & Osceola's third planned community in Orange County which will feature 34 homes when completed later this year. The single-family homes will range from three to five bedrooms and will include energy efficient appliances, WATER STAR certification and simple, landscaped yards.

INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES:

- Catherine Steck McManus, president and CEO, Habitat for Humanity Greater Orlando & Osceola County
- Orange County Mayor, Jerry L. Demings
- Future homeowners
- Homebuilder representatives

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About Habitat for Humanity Greater Orlando & Osceola County

Habitat for Humanity Greater Orlando & Osceola County partners with sponsors, donors and volunteers to build affordable housing, revitalize neighborhoods and strengthen communities. Habitat homeowners help build their own homes alongside volunteers and pay an affordable mortgage, achieving the strength, stability and self-reliance to build a better life for themselves and their families. Neighborhood Revitalization empowers residents to revive their neighborhood through repairs, beautification projects, community cleanups and developing community partnerships to enhance their quality of life and nurture their sustainability. Habitat Orlando & Osceola is one of *Habitat for Humanity International's affiliates* working in local communities across all 50 states in the U.S. and in approximately 70 countries. To learn more about Habitat Orlando & Osceola, call (407) 648-4567 or visit www.habitatorlandoosceola.org, like us on [Facebook/habitatorlandoosceola](https://www.facebook.com/habitatorlandoosceola) and follow us on Twitter [@HabitatOrlOsc](https://twitter.com/HabitatOrlOsc) and on [Instagram/habitatorlandoosceola](https://www.instagram.com/habitatorlandoosceola).

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