

Homeownership Program Document Checklist

☐ **Copy of Valid Photo I.D. of all household members age 18 and over**

- Copy of Driver License (color copy); or
- State-issued ID (color copy); and,
- If not a US Citizen, copy of Permanent Resident Alien card (color copy of front and back)

☐ **Copy of birth certificates for everyone living in the home**

☐ **Social Security card for everyone living in the home**

☐ **Proof of Income for everyone living in the home:**

If employed:

- Copies of most recent 90 days of paystubs
- Copies of two most recent tax returns, including W2 forms

If self-employed:

- Copies of two most recent tax returns (including 1099 forms and schedule C)
- Current year-to-date Profit & Loss Statement

Benefits (Social Security, Disability, Retirement):

- Copy of updated/current award letter stating the monthly benefit, and duration, if applicable

Alimony/Child Support:

- Copy of court order showing amount awarded
- Copy of case history showing amounts disbursed
- If not court ordered, 6 months of payment history
- If divorced, copy of divorce decree

Other:

- Award letters for other assistance, if applicable, i.e.:
HUD
SNAP/Food Stamps
Housing

☐ **Bank statements:**

- Copies of the most recent 6 months of all bank statements, checking, savings, other, for all members of the household
- Copy of most recent 401(k) statement(s), if applicable

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Application must be completed, signed, and returned to our office at 280 Alligator Drive, Venice, FL 34293 **along with all copies** of supporting documents listed.
- You will be contacted regarding an update of your eligibility and how to proceed within 4-6 weeks of your complete application being received.
- After your application is received additional information may be required, along with documentation that you are unable to qualify for a conventional mortgage. A background check is also required.
- If eligible to proceed, a credit fee will need to be paid via check or money order: \$36.00 individual, or \$51.00 joint.
- Please call ahead when picking up or dropping off.
- For questions, contact Mary Ouellette: mouellette@HabitatSouthSarasota.org or (941) 493-6606 ex.226.

☐ Rental agreement for current place of residence

☐ Employer contact information:

Employer 1:

Name: _____
Address: _____

Phone: _____
Fax: _____
Email: _____

Employer 2:

☐ Landlord contact information:

Name: _____
Address: _____

Phone: _____
Fax: _____
Email: _____

IF ANY OF THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS ARE NOT SUBMITTED, YOUR APPLICATION

- You must have lived or worked in South Sarasota County affiliate boundary for the past 12 months, i.e., Osprey, Laurel, Nokomis, Venice, North Port or the Sarasota County side of Englewood.
- You must be a US Citizen or Permanent Resident Alien.
- If married, you must apply with your spouse.
- You must have 2 years of verifiable income and the ability to repay the mortgage.
- You must wait 3 years after foreclosure or bankruptcy has been finalized.
- Your household gross income must fall between the following income limits:

HFH SOUTH SARASOTA COUNTY ANNUAL 2023 INCOME LIMITS

Family Size	Minimum	Maximum
1	\$38,400	\$51,200
2	\$43,920	\$58,500
3	\$49,380	\$65,800
4	\$54,840	\$73,100
5	\$59,280	\$78,950
6	\$63,660	\$84,800
7	\$68,040	\$90,650
8	\$72,420	\$96,500



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Application

Habitat Homeownership Program

We are pledged to the letter and spirit of U.S. policy for the achievement of equal housing opportunity throughout the nation. We encourage and support an affirmative advertising and marketing program in which there are no barriers to obtaining housing because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin.

Dear Applicant: Please complete this application to determine if you qualify for the Habitat for Humanity homeownership program. Please fill out the application as completely and accurately as possible. All information you include on this application will be kept confidential in accordance with the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act.

I have taken HFHSSC orientation class: Yes ☐ No ☐

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

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2. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY - DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

Date received: _____
Date of notice of incomplete application letter: _____
Date of adverse action letter: _____

Date of selection committee approval: _____
Date of board approval: _____
Date of partnership agreement: _____

3. WILLINGNESS TO PARTNER

To be considered for Habitat homeownership, you and your family must be willing to complete a certain number of "sweat-equity" hours. Your help in building your home and the homes of others is called "sweat equity" and may include clearing the lot, painting, helping with construction, working in the Habitat office, attending homeownership classes or other approved activities.

I AM WILLING TO COMPLETE THE REQUIRED SWEAT-EQUITY HOURS:

	Yes	No
Applicant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Co-applicant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. PRESENT HOUSING CONDITIONS

Number of bedrooms (please circle) 1 2 3 4 5

Other rooms in the place where you are currently living:

☐ Kitchen ☐ Bathroom ☐ Living room ☐ Dining room

☐ Other (please describe) _____

If you rent your residence, what is your monthly rent payment? \$ _____/month
(Please supply a copy of your lease or a copy of a money order receipt or canceled rent check.)

Name, address and phone number of current landlord: _____

In the space below, describe the condition of the house or apartment where you live. Why do you need a Habitat home?

5. PROPERTY INFORMATION

If you own your residence, what is your monthly mortgage payment? \$ _____/month Unpaid balance \$ _____

Do you own land? ☐ No ☐ Yes Monthly payment \$ _____ Unpaid balance \$ _____

6. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION			
Applicant		Co-applicant	
Name and address of CURRENT employer	Years on this job	Name and address of CURRENT employer	Years on this job
	Monthly (gross) wages \$		Monthly (gross) wages \$
Type of business	Business phone	Type of business	Business phone
If working at current job less than one year, complete the following information			
Name and address of LAST employer	Years on this job	Name and address of LAST employer	Years on this job
	Monthly (gross) wages \$		Monthly (gross) wages \$
Type of business	Business phone	Type of business	Business phone

7. MONTHLY INCOME				
Income source	Applicant	Co-applicant	Others in household	Total
Wages	\$	\$	\$	\$
TANF	\$	\$	\$	\$
Alimony	\$	\$	\$	\$
Child support	\$	\$	\$	\$
Social Security	\$	\$	\$	\$
SSI	\$	\$	\$	\$
Disability	\$	\$	\$	\$
Section 8 housing	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other: _____	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other: _____	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other: _____	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$

PLEASE NOTE: Self-employed applicants may be required to provide additional documentation such as tax returns and financial statements.	HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHOSE INCOME IS LISTED ABOVE			
	Name	Income source	Monthly income	Date of birth

8.SOURCE OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS

Where will you get the money to make the down payment or pay for closing costs (for example, savings or parents)? If you borrow the money, whom will you borrow it from, and how will you pay it back?

9. ASSETS

Name of bank, savings and loan, credit union, etc.	Address	City, state	ZIP	Account number	Current balance
					\$
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10. DEBT

	TO WHOM DO YOU AND THE CO-APPLICANT(S) OWE MONEY?					
	APPLICANT			CO-APPLICANT		
	Monthly payment	Unpaid balance	Months left to pay	Monthly payment	Unpaid balance	Months left to pay
Other motor vehicle	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Boat	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Furniture, appliance, TVs (includes rent-to-own)	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Alimony	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Child support	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Credit card	\$	\$		\$	\$	
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Total medical	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Total	\$	\$		\$	\$	

MONTHLY EXPENSES

Account	Applicant	Co-applicant	Total
Rent	\$	\$	\$
Utilities	\$	\$	\$
Insurance	\$	\$	\$
Child care	\$	\$	\$
Internet service	\$	\$	\$
Cell phone	\$	\$	\$
Land line	\$	\$	\$
Business expenses	\$	\$	\$
Union dues	\$	\$	\$
Other	\$	\$	\$
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Other	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$	\$	\$

11.DECLARATIONS

Please check the box beside the word that best answers the following questions for you and the co-applicant

	Applicant	Co-applicant
a. Do you have any outstanding judgments because of a court decision against you?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
b. Have you been declared bankrupt within the past seven years?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
c. Have you had property foreclosed on or deed in lieu of foreclosure in the past seven years?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
d. Are you currently involved in a lawsuit?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
e. Have you directly or indirectly been obligated on any loan which resulted in foreclosure, transfer of title in lieu of foreclosure, or judgment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
f. Are you currently delinquent or in default on any federal debt or any other loan, mortgage financial obligation or loan guarantee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
g. Are you paying alimony or child support or separate maintenance?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
h. Are you a co-signer or endorser on any loan?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
i. Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

If you answered "yes" to any question a through h, or "no" to question i, please explain on a separate piece of paper.

12. AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE

I understand that by filing this application, I am authorizing Habitat for Humanity to evaluate my actual need for the Habitat homeownership program, my ability to repay an affordable loan and other expenses of homeownership, and my willingness to be a partner through sweat equity.

I understand that the evaluation will include personal visits, a credit check and employment verification. I have answered all the questions on this application truthfully. I understand that if I have not answered the questions truthfully, my application may be denied, and that even if I have already been selected to receive a Habitat home, I may be disqualified from the program and forfeit any rights or claims to a Habitat home. The original or a copy of this application will be retained by Habitat for Humanity even if the application is not approved.

I also understand that Habitat for Humanity screens all applicants on the sex offender registry. By completing this application, I am submitting myself to such an inquiry. I further understand that by completing this application, I am submitting myself to a criminal background check.

Applicant signature _____

Date _____

Co-applicant signature _____

Date _____

X _____ X _____

PLEASE NOTE: If more space is needed to complete any part of this application, please use a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this application. Please mark your additional comments with "A" for applicant or "C" for co-applicant.

13. RIGHT TO RECEIVE COPY OF APPRAISAL

This is to notify you that we may order an appraisal in connection with your loan and we may charge you for this appraisal. Upon completion of the appraisal, we will promptly provide a copy to you, even if the loan does not close.

Applicant's name _____ Co-applicant's name _____

14. INFORMATION FOR GOVERNMENT MONITORING PURPOSES

PLEASE READ THIS STATEMENT BEFORE COMPLETING THE BOX BELOW: We are requesting the following information to monitor our compliance with the federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act, which prohibits unlawful discrimination. You are not required to provide this information. We will not take this information (or your decision not to provide this information) into account in connection with your application or credit transaction. The law provides that a creditor may not discriminate based on this information, or based on whether or not you choose to provide it. If you choose not to provide the information, we may note it by visual observation or surname.

Applicant	Co-applicant
<input type="checkbox"/> I do not wish to furnish this information Race (applicant may select more than one racial designation): <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African-American <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic or Latino Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male Birthdate: _____ / _____ / _____ Marital status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Unmarried (single, divorced, widowed)	<input type="checkbox"/> I do not wish to furnish this information Race (applicant may select more than one racial designation): <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African-American <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic or Latino Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male Birthdate: _____ / _____ / _____ Marital status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Unmarried (single, divorced, widowed)

To be completed only by the person conducting the interview	
This application was taken by: <input type="checkbox"/> Face-to-face interview <input type="checkbox"/> By mail <input type="checkbox"/> By telephone	Interviewer's name (print or type)
	Interviewer's signature Date
	Interviewer's phone number

EQUAL CREDIT OPPORTUNITY ACT NOTICE

The Federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act prohibits creditors from discriminating against credit applicants on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, age (provided the applicant has the capacity to enter into a binding contract); because all or part of the applicant's income derives from any public assistance program; or because the applicant has in good faith exercised any right under the Consumer Credit Protection Act. The Federal Agency that monitors compliance with this law concerning this company is the Federal Trade Commission, with offices at: FTC Regional Office for the Southeast region, 60 Forsyth Street SW, Atlanta, GA 30303 or Federal Trade Commission, Equal Credit Opportunity, Washington, DC 20580.

You need not disclose income from alimony, child support or separate maintenance payment if you choose not to do so. However, because we operate a Special Purpose Credit Program, we may request and require, in order to determine an applicant's eligibility for the program and the affordable mortgage amount, information regarding the applicant's marital status; alimony, child support, and separate maintenance income; and the spouse's financial resources.

Accordingly, if you receive income from these sources and do not provide this information with your application, your application will be considered incomplete and we will be unable to invite you to participate in the Habitat program

Applicant(s):

X _____
Print Name: _____
Date: _____

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