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Groundbreaking for Wichita Habitat's June "Wonder Week" Blitz Build

At eleven o'clock on April 24th ground will be broken in preparation for building four houses. Four houses for four families who will turn them into homes. All in one week. No wonder Habitat for Humanity is calling this blitz build "Wonder Week."

These four Wonder Week homes are being sponsored by the following companies: ICM, a local ethanol producer in Colwich, Hilb Rogal & Hobbs, Cargill Cares, and Slumberland Furniture. This will be the first house sponsorship for HRH as well as Slumberland. This is the third sponsorship for ICM and Cargill has been involved in several past sponsorships.

Employees from each of these companies will work as construction volunteers. Joining them to help complete this 7-day build will be a group of Habitat for Humanity volunteers from across the nation who call themselves the "Blitz Home Builders." The Blitz Home Builders are current and past Honeywell employees who personally support Habitat's goals.

Jerry Jones, ICM Vice-President of Administration said of ICM owner Dave Vander Griend, "Mr. Vander Griend is very happy to have the opportunity to provide support to the Wichita Habitat for Humanity organization. He believes in sharing part of his good fortune with those less fortunate than we are and he supports the Habitat mission of providing a helping hand."

Dave Cavenah, President of Hilb Rogal & Hobbs, a national insurance brokerage firm, recognizes the value of local charities and the importance of financially supporting them. "But I am excited about getting HRH employees involved in a way other than with money. Getting them involved in the team environment of building a house will be great."

**WONDER WEEK
4 HABITAT HOUSES IN 7 DAYS
GROUNDBREAKING CELEBRATION**

Monday, April 24

11:00 a.m.

32nd St. North and Arkansas St.

There will be representatives from each organization and Wichita Habitat for Humanity partner family members onsite for interviews.

About Wichita Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity International is a non-profit ecumenical Christian housing ministry, dedicated to ending poverty housing. The local Wichita Habitat for Humanity chapter, founded in 1986, has its 64th home under construction. Habitat for Humanity seeks to improve the lives of low-income families throughout the world by building simple, decent, and affordable homes for families in need. Habitat invites people of all backgrounds, races and religions to be involved. Habitat for Humanity International has built more than 200,000 houses around the world. More than one million people are living in Habitat homes they helped build and are buying through no-profit 0%-interest, mortgages.

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