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**Middlesex Habitat for Humanity to Hold a Military Build - Home Applicant Meeting on Monday, October 5, 2020, 6:00 PM at the Cromwell ReStore, Cromwell, CT.**

Middlesex Habitat for Humanity Invites All Interested Military Individuals/Families to Attend an Application Information Meeting for a Habitat for Humanity Home in Middlefield, CT.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide information about the Habitat for Humanity application process for homeownership. At this time, Middlesex Habitat will be distributing applications for the Military Build program.

The basic requirements to obtain a Military Build - Habitat for Humanity Home are the following:

- Must be a U.S. veteran or military service member (and their family)
- Must have a DD Form 214 or current Military ID
- Must have a need for simple, decent housing
- Must meet the income requirements for a house
- Must be able to pay a low-interest mortgage for the Habitat house
- Must be willing to partner with Habitat in building the house

Any eligible military individual/family interested is highly encouraged to apply.

The 3-bedroom home is located at 171 Hubbard Street in Middlefield, Connecticut. It will be renovated to meet Energy Star standards. Renovations of the house will begin in late 2020, and Middlesex Habitat is now starting the selection process.

Everyone's health is a priority to us. Middlesex Habitat for Humanity is taking on-site precautions to help reduce the spread of COVID-19:

- Please RSVP if you plan on attending
- Children should not attend

- Please do not attend this event if you are ill, have or had a fever in the past 72 hours, or have traveled outside the state of CT in the past 14 days
- Everyone who attends must sign in
- All staff and volunteers will be wearing a mask
- All attendees must wear a mask
- Hand sanitizer will be available throughout the facility
- Attendees will be spaced for adequate social distancing
- Application packets will be available for contactless pickup
- Information shared at the meeting will be available online

**For more information or to indicate who will be attending, individuals/families should call the Middlesex Habitat office at 860.398.6483 or email Maria Lopez at [mlopez@habitatmiddlesex.org](mailto:mlopez@habitatmiddlesex.org).**

**About Middlesex Habitat for Humanity of Connecticut, Inc.**

Founded in 1996, Middlesex Habitat for Humanity of Connecticut, Inc. is an Affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International. We are a 501(c) 3 ecumenical Christian housing ministry. We are an equal housing opportunity organization and we welcome people of diverse backgrounds, beliefs, abilities, races, ethnicity, and sexual orientation in all aspects of our efforts. Middlesex Habitat for Humanity is dedicated to eliminating substandard housing locally and worldwide through constructing, rehabilitating and preserving homes; by advocating for fair and just housing policies; and by providing training and access to resources to help families improve their shelter conditions. Habitat for Humanity was founded on the conviction that every man, woman and child should have a simple, durable place to live in dignity and safety, and that decent shelter in decent communities should be a matter of conscience and action for all.

Our Mission is to build, renovate, and repair simple decent and affordable homes in partnership with eligible families while seeking to eliminate substandard housing in Middlesex County, one house, one family at a time. For more information, visit [www.habitatmiddlesex.org](http://www.habitatmiddlesex.org).

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