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# Fact Sheet

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## About Rebuilding Together Twin Cities

“My husband was in a tragic roll-over car accident on our son’s 5th birthday. He has continued to make remarkable progress from his brain injury and we are so thankful for the awesome volunteers who built the ramp we needed to bring him home.”

*Michelle*

Rebuilding Together Twin Cities has been preserving and revitalizing homes and communities since 1997. We are a community revitalization partner that is part of a national network of local affiliates who together transform the lives of low-income homeowners by providing critical renovations and modifications.

Leveraging local and national partnerships, the staff and volunteers of Rebuilding Together Twin Cities are dedicated to serving the homeowners, families and community members around the seven-county metro area. We provide meaningful, measurable and sustainable impact to homeowners, communities, nonprofits, parks and gardens where neighborhood members gather.

At Rebuilding Together Twin Cities, we believe that everybody deserves to live in a safe and healthy home.

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## Programs & Services

We work year round to preserve affordable homeownership, build healthy neighborhoods and ensure that homeowners in need can live independently in safe and healthy homes.

### SAFE AT HOME

We provide safety and fall prevention modifications and ramps for older adults or those living with a disability so that they can continue to live in safety and independence in their own homes.

### HOME REPAIR

We provide volunteer-delivered repairs including weatherizing, cleaning, installing flooring, patching and painting, siding, and landscaping, and timely contractor-delivered repair or replacement of essential systems, such as HVAC, electrical, plumbing, outer envelope and roofs that are critical to healthy, livable homes.





## COMMUNITY REVITALIZATION

We stabilize and revitalize neighborhoods by providing safe and welcoming places for communities to gather, such as community centers, schools, supportive housing facilities and outdoor community spaces.

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## OUR IMPACT

In 2018, more than 500 volunteers organized by Rebuilding Together Twin Cities spent 4,300 hours providing much needed home improvements and repairs to 158 residents from 84 different households. This equals a total of 180 straight days of effort donated by dedicated groups and individuals. Community projects completed by Rebuilding Together Twin Cities impacted 1,223 community members in 2018 alone. The 4,300 volunteer hours in 2018 were spent completing 112 projects locally in the Twin Cities including: 71 Safe at Home projects, eight nonprofit facilities and community spaces, and 33 home repair projects.

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## CONTINUED GROWTH

Rebuilding Together Twin Cities has seen extensive growth since the affiliate was started in 1997. Due to this internal growth and external awareness, additional funding is needed to allow Rebuilding Together Twin Cities' infrastructure to expand, enabling continue success in transforming the lives of low-income homeowners around Minnesota. Additional infrastructure, staffing and funding will allow Rebuilding Together Twin Cities to complete projects for the 250 homeowners currently on the wait list.

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## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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