

Challenge Match: Habitat for Humanity

Written by Palladium-Item

Nov. 7, 2013 |

pal-item.com

The Wayne County Foundation has chosen 35 area organizations to participate in two weeks of intense fundraising called the Challenge Match.

The one-to-one match offers the possibility of generating \$338,500 or more for non-profit organizations throughout Wayne County. The program is designed to help organizations develop new donors and encourage increased giving from regular contributors.

The Challenge Match program runs from Nov. 12-25. Qualifying contributions to the participating organizations during that period will trigger matching dollars from the foundation, within certain limits. Learn more at www.waynecountyfoundation.org or call (765) 962-1638.

Participating agencies will be featured in future editions of the Palladium-Item.

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Richmond, Indiana, Inc.

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Richmond, Indiana, Inc.

• **Street/mailling address:** 1114 S. F St., Richmond, IN 47374

Office hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Phone: (765) 962-5986

Website: www.habitatofrichmond.org

Contact name, title, and email address: Mindy M. Reece, CEO, info@habitatofrichmond.org

Annual budget: \$408,000

Mission of your organization: To eliminate poverty housing in Wayne County, Ind., by being the hands and feet of Jesus building simple and decent homes for low-income families.

How much do you hope to raise during the matching grant period? \$50,000

For what specific projects or needs do you intend to use the donated money? The funds will be used to implement two new programs: A Brush With Kindness Program (ABWK). The ABWK program helps low-income homeowners, who struggle to maintain the exterior and interior of their homes. And the Rehabilitation of Foreclosed Homes (RFH). Habitat completely upgrades foreclosed homes to Habitat for Humanity International (HFHI) standards, which includes electrical, plumbing, and assurance of energy efficiency, resulting in a virtually new home.