



October 2022



Welcome Home, Ms. Dedra! 🏠

Just in time for the holidays, Ms. Dedra and her children will be moving into their new Habitat home! Having been displaced since Hurricane Ida, Ms. Dedra partnered with Habitat MS Gulf Coast to build her new home. Habitat is thankful to welcome them HOME and make their family's holiday season a little sweeter!



Happy Retirement, Belinda! 🎉

Mrs. Belinda retired after 15.8 years with Habitat MS Gulf Coast. We are so proud to call her our friend, grateful for her dedication to our mission, and wish her all the best in her retirement!



Hurricane Ian

As we watched Hurricane's Ian destructive path through Florida, our minds are flooded with memories as we reflect on the devastating events our Gulf Coast community are all too familiar with. We are reminded to have a recovery plan in place for our partner families and the local community. It is never too early to be prepared.

If you or someone you know is in the Southcentral Florida area, Habitat for Humanity Florida has an ongoing list of resources which you can find [here](#).

FINANCIAL EDUCATION



Financial Education Class

FINANCIAL RECOVERY

Designed to bring hope to families struggling to recover from a financial setback, this course will equip participants with proactive, practical strategies for getting back on their feet. The objective is to help participants visualize a brighter future and realize that their current financial difficulties don't have to be permanent.

REGISTER TODAY

For More Information:

 chunt@hfhmgc.org

 228-678-9100

Financial Recovery - October 27, 2022 at 3:00pm

Our last Financial Foundation class for the year is right around the corner! "Financial Recovery" is designed to bring hope to families struggling to recover from a financial setback, this course will equip participants with proactive, practical strategies for getting back on their feet. The objective is to help participants visualize a brighter future and realize that their current financial difficulties don't have to be permanent. Register today by calling the office at (228) 678-9100, emailing chunt@hfhmgc.org, or clicking [here](#) to register.

We are working on our Financial Foundations class schedule for the next year, so be on the lookout for that announcement!



RESTORE



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NEW

NEW RESTORE HOURS COMING SOON

Beginning Monday, October 24th, the Gulfport ReStore will begin a six-day operating schedule and the Ocean Springs Restore will have new coordinating hours. The new schedule and hours for BOTH ReStore locations will be as follows:

Monday thru Friday: 9:00am – 6:00pm

Saturday: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Sunday: Closed



Please click the links below to check out our inventory on Facebook:

[Gulfport Location](#) - 8022 Hwy 49 | 228-678-9116

[Ocean Springs Location](#) - 3176 Bienville Blvd. | 228-447-4835

Looking to donate? Drop-off your donated items at our ReStore locations in Gulfport and Ocean Springs, or call **1-866-434-7587** for a **free** pick-up. For more information on what we can accept, click [here](#).

Want to work with an awesome team at our ReStores? Check out all of our current openings [here](#)!

WORK WITH US!



WAYS TO GIVE



Build homes without lifting a hammer!

Planning your 2023 Annual Giving? Become a Key Turner!

Join our Key Turner's club with a monthly donation to: provide sustainable support of our long-term commitment to provide safe, affordable housing solutions in partnership with low-to-moderate income families in our community; help us effectively budget for the future; give hassle-free, automatic pledge payments towards every home we build, at a giving level that is best for you; and receive donation receipts eligible for tax deductions on every gift you give.

Unlock opportunity and build homes without lifting a hammer! Sign up [here](#).

Donate your vehicle now; it's easy and free!



(877) 277-4344 carsforhomes.org

Cars for Homes

Not sure why you're holding on to it? Your old car could help build a home for a local family. Turn your old vehicle into cash by donating it to Cars for Homes. We will put the proceeds towards affordable housing in our Gulf Coast community!

The process to donate your vehicle is fast and easy! You may even qualify for a tax deduction.

The program accepts almost all vehicles, including cars, trucks, motorcycles, recreational vehicles, boats, snowmobiles, farm equipment and construction equipment. The vehicle does not have to be running, but it must be whole and have four inflated tires so it can be moved by the towing operators.

If you'd like to donate your car or truck, please click here to go to the [donation wizard](#). If you want to donate any other type of vehicle, please call 1-877-277-4344.



AmazonSmile

With the holidays quickly approaching, [AmazonSmile](#) is a simple way for you to support your favorite charitable organization during the giving season. When you shop with [AmazonSmile](#), you'll find the exact same low prices and a vast selection as you normally would, with the added benefit that [AmazonSmile](#) will donate **0.5% of your eligible purchases** to the organization of your choosing at **no additional cost to you!** Don't you wish all holiday shopping could be that easy? Us too!

We would love it if you'd select Habitat MS Gulf Coast as your preferred charity! All you need to do is click [here](#), choose Habitat for Humanity of the MS Gulf Coast as your preferred charity, and your purchases will begin generating donations for us! **Don't forget to turn on [AmazonSmile](#) on your mobile app too!** Simply tap on "AmazonSmile" within the Programs & Features menu or Settings and follow the on-screen instructions. Happy shopping!



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