

Gwinnett Habitat for Humanity PO Box 646, Lawrenceville, GA 30046 (770) 931-8080

# Application Habitat Homeownership Program



#### Orientation Date: \_\_\_\_

We are pledged to the letter and spirit of U.S. policy for the achievement of equal housing opportunity throughout the nation. We encourage and support an affirmative advertising and marketing program in which there are no barriers to obtaining housing because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin.

**Dear Applicant:** Please complete this application to determine if you qualify for the Habitat for Humanity homeownership program. Please fill out the application as completely and accurately as possible. All information you include on this application will be kept confidential in accordance with the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act. \*All fields are mandatory.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Applicant	Co-applicant		
Applicant's name	Co-applicant's name		
Social Security Number	Social Security Number		
Home phone Age	Home phone Age		
Married Separated Unmarried (incl. Single, divorced, widowed)			
Dependents and others who will live with you in the new Habitat home (not listed by co-applicant).	Dependents and others who will live with you in the new Habitat home (not listed by co-applicant).		
Name       DOB       Age       Male       Female	Name       DOB       Age       Male       Female		
Present address (street, city, state, ZIP code) □Own □Rent	Present address (street, city, state, ZIP code) □Own □Rent		
Number of years Number of Months	Number of years Number of Months		
If you have lived at your present address for less than two years, complete the following:			
Last address (street, city, state, ZIP code)  Own  Rent	Last address (street, city, state, ZIP code) □Own □Rent		
Number of years         Number of Months	Number of years Number of Months		

□ I authorize release of this information for reference checks.

2. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY - DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE			
Date received:	Date of selection committee approval:		
Date of notice of incomplete applicaton letter:	Date of board approval:		
Date of adverse action letter:	Date of partnership agreement:		

### 3. WILLINGNESS TO PARTNER

To be considered for Habitat homeownership, you and your family must be willing to complete a certain number of "sweat-equity" hours. Your help in building your home and the homes of others is called "sweat equity" and may include clearing the lot, painting, helping with construction, working in	<b>REQUIRED 250</b>		
the Habitat office or Gwinnett ReStore, attending homeownership classes or other approved activities.		Yes	No
	Applicant		
	Co-applicant		

Applicant/ Co-applicant Name(s)

If you are selected as a Habitat homeowner, you will be required to complete sweat equity hours plus a minimum of 10 workshops. This will include building all day on Saturday and workshops on some weeknights. Please list below the names & numbers of the people/daycare who will be able to keep any children too young to stay home by themselves.

Name	Relationship	Phone #

Included in the required sweat equity hours are "support" hours for your family and friends to help with the building process. Please list below the names of the people who will help you complete your sweat equity.

Name	Relationship

4. PRESENT HOUSING CONDITIONS	
Number of bedrooms (please circle) 1 2 3 4 5	
Other rooms in the place where you are currently living (please circle): Kitchen Bathroom Living Room Din If Other, please describe:	ing Room
If you rent your residence, what is your monthly rent payment? \$/month (Please supply a copy of your lease or a copy of the last month's money order receipt or canceled rent check.)	
Name, address, and phone number of current landlord:	
In the space below, describe the condition of the house or apartment where you live. Why do you need a Habita You are required to write a letter in your own handwriting. Please include this with your application. Attach a set sheet if needed.	

## 5. PROPERTY INFORMATION

Do you currently or previously own a home? (Circle one)

Yes No

□ I authorize Gwinnett Habitat for Humanity permission to contact landlords and employers.

6. EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION					
Applicant		Co-applicant			
Name and address of <b>CURRENT</b> employer			Years on this job		
	Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes)		Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes)		
	\$		\$		
Type of business	Business phone	Type of business	Business phone		
Name and address of <b>CURRENT</b> employer	Years on this job	Name and address of <b>CURRENT</b> employer	Years on this job		
	Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes)		Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes)		
	\$		\$		
Type of business	Business phone	Type of business	Business phone		
If working at current	job less than one y	year, complete the following informa	tion		
Name and address of <b>LAST</b> employer	Years on this job	Name and address of <b>LAST</b> employer	Years on this job		
	Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes) \$		Monthly (gross) wages (before taxes) \$		
Type of business	Business phone	Type of business	Business phone		

7. MONTHLY INCOME				
Income source	Applicant	Co-applicant	Others in household	Total
Wages (Gross)	\$	\$	\$	\$
TANF	\$	\$	\$	\$
Alimony	\$	\$	\$	\$
Child Support	\$	\$	\$	\$
Social Security	\$	\$	\$	\$
SSI	\$	\$	\$	\$
Disability	\$	\$	\$	\$
Section 8 Housing	\$	\$	\$	\$
Pensions	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other:	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other:	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$

	HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHOSE INCOME IS LISTED ABOVE			
PLEASE NOTE:	Name	Income Source	Monthly Gross Income	Date of Birth
Self-employed			-	
applicants may				
be required to				
provide additional				
documentation such				
as tax returns and				
financial statements.				

## 8. SOURCE OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS

Where will you get the money to make the down payment or pay for closing costs (for example, savings or parents)? If you borrow the money, whom will you borrow it from, and how will you pay it back? NOTE: Minimum \$2,000 co-payment (\$1,000 to start & \$1,000 before finish of the home.) Additional closing costs may be required at closing.

9. ASSETS (ITEMS YOU OWN)				
Type of Account	Name of bank, savings and loan, credit union, etc.	Account Number	Current Balance	
Vehicle			\$	
Vehicle 2			\$	
401K / IRA			\$	
Savings			\$	
Checking			\$	
			\$	
			\$	

	10. DEBT				
	TO WHOM DO YOU	AND THE CO-APPLICA	NT(S) OWE MONEY?		
	APPL	ICANT	CO-APF	PLICANT	
Account	Monthly Payment	Unpaid Balance	Monthly Payment	Unpaid Balance	
Other motor vehicle	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Boat	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Furniture, appliance, TVs (incl. rent-to-own)	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Alimony	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Child Support	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Credit Card	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Credit Card	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Credit Card	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Total medical	\$	\$	\$	\$	
School Loans	\$	\$	\$	\$	
School Loans - deferred - documentation required	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	

MONTHLY EXPENSES							
Account	Applicant	Co-applicant	Total				
Rent	\$	\$	\$				
Utilities (water, gas, electric)	\$	\$	\$				
Insurance (auto, renters, life)	\$	\$	\$				
Child care	\$	\$	\$				
Internet service/Cable	\$	\$	\$				
Cell phone	\$	\$	\$				
Land line	\$	\$	\$				
Vehicle expenses (gas, oil, maint)	\$	\$	\$				
Union dues	\$	\$	\$				
Food	\$	\$	\$				
Clothing	\$	\$	\$				
Other	\$	\$	\$				
Other	\$	\$	\$				
Other	\$	\$	\$				
Other	\$	\$	\$				
Other	\$	\$	\$				
Total	\$	\$	\$				
I have student loans (circle one): Yes No If I have student loans, are they deferred? (cirlce one) Yes No If they are deferred, until when?							
How are monthly bills paid? (circle a Other:		Check Online	Money Order				
			Are you behind on any utility, loan, credit card or other bills?				

## 11. DECLARATIONS

Please check the box beside the word that best answers the following questions for you and the co-applicant.					
	Applicant		Co-applicant		
a. Do you have any outstanding judgements because of a court decision against you?		Yes		Yes	
you?		No		No	
b. Have you been declared bankrupt within the past seven years?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
c. Have you had property foreclosed on or deed in lieu of foreclosure in the past seven years?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
d. Are you currently involved in a lawsuit?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
e. Have you directly or indirectly been obligated on any loan which resulted in foreclosure, transfer of title in lieu of foreclosure, or judgement?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
f. Are you currently delinquent or in default on any federal debt or any other loan, mortgage, financial obligation or loan guarantee?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
g. Are you paying alimony or child support or separate maintenance?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
h. Are you a co-signer or endorser on any loan?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
i. Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
j. Did you or anyone in your household serve or is currently serving in the military?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
k. Have you completed any government, state, county, or nonprofit homeless placement programs?		Yes		Yes	
		No		No	
If you answered "yes" to any question a through h, or "no" to question i, please exp	lain on a se	parate p	iece of pap	oer.	

I understand if I am in the top 10 families under consideration, a credit score will be pulled. Credit scores alone will not be the deciding factor.

#### **12. AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE**

I understand that by filing this application, I am authorizing Gwinnett Habitat for Humanity to evaluate my actual need for the Habitat homeownership program, my ability to repay an affordable loan and other expenses of homeownership, and my willingness to be a partner through sweat equity.

I understand that the evaluation will include personal visits, a credit check including credit score, landlord verification, and employment verification. I have answered all the questions on this application truthfully. I understand that if I have not answered the questions truthfully, my application may be denied, and that even if I have already been selected to receive a Habitat home, I may be disqualified from the program and forfeit any rights or claims to a Habitat home for a period of 25 months. The original or a copy of this application will be retained by Habitat for Humanity even if the application is not approved.

I also understand that Habitat for Humanity screens all applicants on the sex offender registry. By completing this application, I am submitting myself to such an inquiry. I further understand that by completing this application, I am submitting myself to a criminal background check.

Applicant signature	Date	Co-applicant signature	Date
X		X	

**PLEASE NOTE:** If more space is needed to complete any part of this application, please use a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this application. Please mark your additional comments with "A" for applicant or "C" for co-applicant.

#### 13. INFORMATION FOR GOVERNMENT MONITORING PURPOSES

**PLEASE READ THIS STATEMENT BEFORE COMPLETING THE BOX BELOW:** We are requesting the following information to monitor our compliance with the federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act, which prohibits unlawful discrimination. You are not required to provide this information. We will not take this information (or your decision not to provide this information) into account in connection with your application or credit transaction. The law provides that a creditor may not discriminate based on this information, or based on whether or not you choose to provide it. If you choose not to provide the information, we may note it by visual observation or surname. Please check the box beside your selection.

Applicant	Co-applicant	
I do not wish to furnish this information.	I do not wish to furnish this information.	
<b>Race</b> (applicant may select more than one racial designation):	<b>Race</b> (applicant may select more than one racial designation):	
American Indian or Alaska Native	American Indian or Alaska Native	
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	
Black/African-American	Black/African-American	
White	White	
Asian	Asian	
Ethnicity:	Ethnicity:	
Hispanic or Latino	Hispanic or Latino	
Non-Hispanic or Latino	Non-Hispanic or Latino	
Sex:	Sex:	
Female	Female	
Male	Male	
Birthdate:	Birthdate:	
///	///	
Marital status:	Marital status:	
Married	Married	
Separated	Separated	
Unmarried (single, divorced, widowed)	Unmarried (single, divorced, widowed)	

## EQUAL CREDIT OPPORTUNITY ACT NOTICE

The Federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act prohibits creditors from discriminating against credit applicants on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status or age (provided the applicant has the capacity to enter into a binding contract); because all or part of the applicant's income derives from any public assistance program; or because the applicant has in good faith exercised any right under the Consumer Credit Protection Act. The federal agency that monitors compliance with this law concerning this company is the Federal Trade Commission, with offices at [FTC Regional Office for the Southeast region, 225 Peachtree Street, NE, Suite 1500, Atlanta, GA 30303 or Federal Trade Commission, Equal Credit Opportunity, Washington, DC 20580.

You need not disclose income from alimony, child support or separate maintenance payment if you choose not to do so. However, because we operate a Special Purpose Credit Program, we may request and require, in order to determine an applicant's eligibility for the program and the affordable mortgage amount, information regarding the applicant's marital status; alimony, child support and separate maintenance income; and the spouse's financial resources.

Accordingly, if you receive income from these sources and do not provide this information with your application, your application will be considered incomplete, and we will be unable to invite you to participate in the Habitat program.

Applicant(s):

X	X
Print name:	Print name:
Date:	Date: