



A Brush with Kindness

**Mail completed form to:**  
 Goodhue Co. Habitat for Humanity  
 1407 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
 Red Wing, MN 55066

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City Citation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Application #: \_\_\_\_\_

*A Brush with Kindness* is an exterior home repair program for low-income homeowners who need help maintaining their homes. Questions? Call **651-327-2195** or email: **gchfh01@gmail.com**

SECTION 1 - Homeowner Information	
<b>Legal</b> Name of Homeowner:	Age:
Home Address:	City: Zip:
Email:	County:
Telephone Numbers: H: C: W: Please include <b>area code</b>	Number of Years at Address: Name of Neighborhood:
<p>List the names, ages, <b>and relationship</b> to homeowner of <b>all</b> people living in the home            (attach a list if more space is needed):</p> <p>Name/relationship: _____ Age: _____</p> <p>Name/relationship _____ Age: _____</p> <p>Name/relationship _____ Age: _____</p> <p>Name/relationship _____ Age: _____</p> <p>Name/relationship _____ Age: _____</p>	
<p>Is anyone in your household a veteran?    <input type="checkbox"/>Yes    <input type="checkbox"/>No                      Name _____</p> <p>Is anyone in your household currently in the military?    <input type="checkbox"/>Yes    <input type="checkbox"/>No                      Name _____</p>	
SECTION 2 - Special Needs	
<p>Is the homeowner or anyone in the home disabled?                      <input type="checkbox"/>Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, indicate the type of disability below (check all that apply, please describe if "other"):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Uses a Walker, Cane or Crutches                      <input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair Bound                      <input type="checkbox"/> Blind    <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Impaired</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Limb                      <input type="checkbox"/> Mentally Disabled                      <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p> <p>Is translation needed?                      <input type="checkbox"/>Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No    If yes, what language: _____</p>	
SECTION 3 - Household Income and Mortgage Information	
<p>The <b>TOTAL, combined income before taxes</b> for <b>ALL</b> persons living in the home is: \$_____ per <b>year</b></p> <p><b>You must attach verification of all HOUSEHOLD income</b> for each adult in the house, unless a full time student (provide proof of registration) and/or benefits for children</p> <p>(For instance, the most recent income tax return, monthly social security statement, other retirement income statements, employment check stub and please note on attached statements if it represents annual, monthly, twice-monthly, bi-weekly or weekly income.).</p>	
<p>Are you still making loan payments on your home?                      <input type="checkbox"/>Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, what is your monthly payment? \$_____ / month</p> <p>After paying your monthly bills (gas, electric, insurance, food, phone, medical, etc.), approximately how much money do you have left to spend on house repairs? \$_____ / month</p>	

## SECTION 4 - Sharing Your Personal Information?

If your application is a more appropriate fit with other, similar programs may we share it with them?  
 Yes                       No

*Unless you give us permission to share your information with other organizations, your application will be kept confidential. If you check yes, you give A Brush With Kindness your consent to share the information you provide on this application with similar organizations like Rebuilding Together or Senior Home Works if A Brush With Kindness is not able to assist you.*

## SECTION 5 - Homeowner's Agreement

I certify that the information on this application is accurate and that I own the property at the address given on this application. **I have no present intention to move or offer my home for sale for at least three years.** I confirm that any physically able persons residing in my home or visiting for the project day(s) will work alongside the **A Brush with Kindness (ABWK)** volunteers. I confirm that, except for the conditions listed above, my home is a safe place for volunteers.





To the extent permitted by law and without affecting the coverage provided by the required homeowners insurance, I agree to sign the release and waiver of liability.

\_\_\_\_\_                                      \_\_\_\_\_  
 SIGNATURE OF HOMEOWNER                                      DATE

Complete the following if you are not the homeowner, but are assisting the homeowner in completing this application.

Your name:	Your daytime phone number:	Is homeowner aware of this application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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## SECTION 6 - House Information / Exterior

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HOUSE INFORMATION</b></p> <p>Place a large "X" over the house (below), which most resembles the size of your house.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> 1 story</div> <div style="text-align: center;"> 1.5 story</div> <div style="text-align: center;"> 2 story</div> <div style="text-align: center;"> 2.5 story</div> </div> <p>Year Purchased: _____ Year Built: _____</p> <p>Last Painted: _____ Square Feet: _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>House Exterior</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"><b>Siding</b></td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"><b>Trim</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> brick</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> shakes</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> metal</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> stucco</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> aluminum</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	<b>Siding</b>	<b>Trim</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> brick	<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	<input type="checkbox"/> shakes	<input type="checkbox"/> metal	<input type="checkbox"/> stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate		<input type="checkbox"/> aluminum		<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Garage Exterior</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"><b>Siding</b></td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"><b>Trim</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> brick</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> shakes</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> metal</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> stucco</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> aluminum</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	<b>Siding</b>	<b>Trim</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> brick	<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	<input type="checkbox"/> shakes	<input type="checkbox"/> metal	<input type="checkbox"/> stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate		<input type="checkbox"/> aluminum		<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	
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## SECTION 7 - Checklist

- Did you complete all 11 sections of this application?
- Did you sign the application? (SECTION 5 AND 7)**
- Did you enclose a copy of the deed on your home or other proof of ownership**, such as a property tax receipt? *All documents submitted must show the name and address of the applicant.*
- Do you currently have homeowner's insurance?  Yes  No
- Are you current on your homeowner's insurance premiums?  Yes  No
- Did you include a statement verifying income?** This statement can be a copy of one or more of the following: tax return, social security receipts, retirement pay receipts, or other documentation of household income. ***All adults**, over the age of 18, must submit an income document (or prove current student status) showing name and address.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF HOMEOWNER

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

## SECTION 8 - Application History

Have you applied to **ABWK** in the past?  Yes  No What year(s)?\_\_\_\_\_

Has **ABWK** done work at your home in the past?  Yes  No Year(s)?\_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION 9 - Media and Publicity

Where did you learn about **A Brush with Kindness**?

- TV  Radio  Newspaper  Flyer  Friend  Neighbor  Neighborhood Organization
- OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_ *please describe*

If **ABWK** selects your house to be repaired, pictures of you and your home may be taken. Are you willing to be interviewed by media reporters? May we bring elected officials to your home?

- YES Interviews are okay  YES Visits by elected officials are okay
- NO I do not want interviews  NO I do not want visits by elected officials

## SECTION 10 - Personal Statement

**Please write a *brief* explanation of why you feel you should be selected and how it will help you.**

## SECTION 11 - Requested Repairs

Briefly describe the type of work you would like done on your home. Attach a separate piece of paper if there is not enough space to list all repairs. Remember that the items listed below will be considered for repair, but the final decision on what work can be done with our time and financial resources will be made at the discretion of A Brush with Kindness. The work done by A Brush with Kindness will focus on warmth, safety and independence. **Our volunteers are not professionals and may not be able to make all repairs.**

*Please print*

Area of Repair	Description
Accessibility Modifications. Examples: wheelchair ramp, bathroom grab bars, accessible shower stall, etc.	
Carpentry Repairs. Describe problems with doors, porches, steps, walls, etc. Indicate places on house needing repair.	
Roofing Repairs. Identify where roof leaks.	
Painting. List all exterior painting requirements.	
Doors and Windows. Describe repairs required, including locks, glass, frames, weather-stripping, etc.	
Yard Work. Indicate if there is cleaning and/or debris removal required. Identify type of yard work necessary.	
Other. Identify other repairs requested but not listed above.	