

Disabled Veteran Home Repair & Modification Program



Wild River's **Disabled Veteran Home Repair & Modification Program** helps disabled veterans with limited incomes to get the repairs and modifications they need so that they can remain healthy and safe in their homes. Our goal is to alleviate any critical health, safety and accessibility concerns in the home, so that veterans can securely enjoy their home for years to come. Some of our home repair work includes accessibility modifications (ramps), weatherization, energy efficiency, critical repairs, and exterior repairs.

This program is open to disabled veterans, provided they have received an honorable discharge, and is not restricted to any specific veteran groups.

Please note, the Veterans Home Repair Corps Program is not designed to provide immediate emergency fixes. While the program aims to address critical repairs, it operates on a scheduled basis, prioritizing projects based on urgency, health, safety, accessibility, and available resources. If you are in need of urgent repairs that pose an immediate threat to the health, safety, or accessibility of your home, it is recommended to seek alternative resources for emergency assistance.

Who is it for?

Disabled Veteran Home Repair & Modification Program projects must meet the following requirements:

- Be a veteran living with disability (does not need to be service related)
- Veteran must own and/or reside in a home in need of repairs (rentals are not eligible for this program)
- Veteran must have either an Honorable or General Discharge with proof of DD-214
- Veteran must occupy the home as their primary residence
- Reside within the service area of Wild Rivers Habitat for Humanity for at least one year

Households must also meet the following requirements:

- Meet income eligibility requirements
- Have homeowner's insurance coverage
- Be up to date on mortgage and property taxes
- Agree to partner fully with Habitat in all aspects of the repair project

Important to understand: We may only be able to commit to part of what a house needs.

We can conduct repairs that fall into one of the following categories:

- Increase accessibility for any functional limitations.
- Modifications to allow caretaker(s) to live with the veteran.
- Repairs to the home if in a state of disrepair, inside or outside.
- Installation of energy efficient features and equipment.
- Any other modification to allow for adaptive living.

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