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ST. CROIX VALLEY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY WELCOMES ROBERT FAULKNER TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The organization began its 30th fiscal year (FY2026) July 1.

Wednesday, July 23, 2025- (Hudson, WI) St. Croix Valley Habitat for Humanity welcomed Robert Faulkner to its Board of Directors at its July meeting. Faulkner is a fixed operations specialist at General Motors and has spent much of his career in training, management and consulting, including his service in the United States Army.

Since moving to Roberts, WI with his wife and family, Robert has focused his free time on giving back. He currently serves on the Advisory Board for Dakota County Technical College Automotive Department and has been a key volunteer with St. Croix Valley Habitat for Humanity since 2021, leading volunteers on construction sites, supporting work in the ReStore and at SCVHFH community events. "I have been lucky enough to have had some great opportunities and Habitat is a way I can pay some opportunities forward," Faulkner said of his volunteer work.

When he isn't volunteering, Faulkner says he enjoys distance running, collecting antique fruit jars and working on old cars and engines.

SCVHFH is currently building homes in New Richmond and Ellsworth and is taking volunteers for its bi-annual Rock the Block event in River Falls. More information can be found at <u>scvhabitat.org</u>.

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About St. Croix Valley Habitat for Humanity

St. Croix Valley Habitat for Humanity helps families with safe, affordable housing. In 1996, community members in River Falls, WI and surrounding communities recognized the critical need to bring people together to build housing, communities and hope and founded the local, nonprofit Habitat affiliate. In its tenure, SCV Habitat for Humanity has partnered with more than 90 families in Pierce and St. Croix Counties. Visit scvhabitat.org for homeowner and volunteer information and to support the mission that puts families on the path to generational wealth.

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