



## Application Form for Home Repair Assistance

We are now seeking applications for qualified Owner Occupied Homeowners in Waterloo. *The From the Heart: Waterloo Home Enhancement Project* is a Co-Sponsor Agreement between various Waterloo Agencies, Community Members, and Group Workcamp Foundation. This partnership will lead to the repair and improvement of up to 65 homes in Waterloo, Iowa. Group Workcamps are weeklong home-repair projects involving volunteers from youth groups recruited by Group Workcamps.

During the week of July 19 – July 25, 2015, senior high youth from across the nation will arrive with their youth groups in Waterloo, along with adult supervisors and Group Workcamps staff, to repair and/or paint up to 60-80 homes. The service is provided free of charge through the hard work of many volunteers.

### Who is Eligible?

- Residents (that either own their own home, or are currently buying the home) living within Waterloo city limits with homes in obvious need of repair.
- And, who are unable to do the work themselves due to physical and/or financial situations.
- And, who have no other means of getting the work completed.
- Please note, the homes must provide an environment that will be socially and physically safe for the teen volunteers.

The volunteers will spend five days repairing housing units for homeowners located in Waterloo and whose households are either **low income**, or have a member that is **elderly** or **has disabilities**.

The types of repairs this project will work on are: porch and step repair & limited construction, wheelchair-ramp construction, interior and exterior painting, weatherization & caulking, light carpentry, siding repair. Please complete the application and return application by **March 13<sup>th</sup> at noon** to:

**Operation Threshold  
From the Heart  
PO Box 4120  
1535 Lafayette  
Waterloo, IA 50704**

**Applications will be reviewed on a First Come First Served Basis! To be eligible for consideration please return ASAP.**

Applicants meeting the deadline will be contacted by a representative of From the Heart regarding your application.

**For more information please call 292-1875 and leave a message, or email [tmarrah@operationthreshold.org](mailto:tmarrah@operationthreshold.org).**



**FROM THE HEART: WATERLOO HOME ENHANCEMENT PROJECT**

**GROUP WORKCAMP HOME REPAIR APPLICATION**

**Only Owner/Occupants are Eligible!**

**Please print the following information:**

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address/City/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ Night Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you own your home? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
 How many people live in your home? \_\_\_\_\_ Your date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is anyone in your household over age 60 or disabled? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Please select what type of work that you need to be done to your home:**

_____ Interior painting	_____ Wheelchair ramp construction
_____ Roof repairs	_____ Porch/step repair & construction
_____ Minor siding & drywall	_____ Light carpentry
_____ Exterior painting	_____ Other (describe): _____

Please provide more details about the work listed above: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Volunteers **CANNOT** do electrical, plumbing, or heating work; and cannot do painting over 2 stories (28 ft) high.

**Please check the box that best describes your household's total annual income:**

<b><u>Income Range</u></b>	<b><u>Income Range</u></b>
<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 through \$14,700	<input type="checkbox"/> \$24,901 through \$30,000
<input type="checkbox"/> \$14,701 through \$19,800	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30,001 through \$35,100
<input type="checkbox"/> \$19,901 through \$24,900	<input type="checkbox"/> \$35,101 through \$40,200
Other Income: \$ _____	

**Community Coordination Release:**

For the purposes of insuring that as many homes in the community can be assisted as possible, do you authorize From the Heart to release of your **name** and **address** to other providers of home repairs?  
 Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Applicable \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature Date

**Operation Threshold Release:**

If you have been served by Operation Threshold, do you authorize Operation Threshold to release your total **household income percentage** to From the Heart for the purposes of determining priority for service?  
 Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Applicable \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature Date

**Return your application by February 27th at noon to: Operation Threshold, PO Box 4120, or 1535 Lafayette, Waterloo, 50704**

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