



DC • Alexandria

## **What is National Rebuilding Day?**

National Rebuilding Day is Rebuilding Together DC • Alexandria's flagship event. On Saturday, April 25, 2020, teams of volunteers from companies, organizations, and houses of worship will repair homes owned by individuals and families in need in Washington, DC and Alexandria, Virginia. (You choose the city for your project.)

In doing so, volunteers eliminate health and safety hazards and help residents continue to live safely and independently in their homes.

Rebuilding Together DC • Alexandria has hosted National Rebuilding Day on the last Saturday of April every year since 1987. During the most recent National Rebuilding Day, more than 700 volunteers repaired over 40 homes.

## **Why should we participate in National Rebuilding Day?**

- Many of DC and Alexandria's low-income homeowners live in unsafe conditions but cannot physically or financially address the critical repairs that are needed in their homes. These precarious situations could lead to unnecessary illness or injury, bankruptcy, or even homelessness.
- By completing these repairs at no cost to the homeowners, your volunteers can help ensure that residents in our community – including older adults, individuals with disabilities, families with children, and veterans – can continue to live safely and independently in the most affordable home to them: their own.
- By renovating community spaces such as parks and schools, your volunteers can help create healthy neighborhoods for residents living in underserved communities.
- Your company, organization, or house of worship will receive several benefits, which may include logo placement on our website, recognition in our Annual Report, lunch for your volunteers, and more. (See list of sponsorship packages for full details.)
- Working together as a team outside the office makes for a better team inside the office!

## **Do our volunteers need to be skilled at repairs?**

No! We welcome volunteers of all skill levels, ranging from those with no experience to those with very advanced experience.

Our programs staff will work with you to find a project that fits your volunteers' level of experience with repairs.

### **How many volunteers should we bring to the project?**

We typically have a maximum of 10-15 volunteers at each home. If you would like to have more than 15 employees volunteer for National Rebuilding Day, you may need to select a larger National Rebuilding Day sponsorship package.

For more information, please contact [Katharine Dixon at kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org](mailto:Katharine.Dixon@kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org) or 703.836.1021

### **What are the logistics of a National Rebuilding Day project?**

Your volunteers will show up on National Rebuilding Day, do the repairs, and then depart.

In the weeks before National Rebuilding Day, you will designate one of your volunteers as the "House Captain." The House Captain is our primary point-of-contact with your company, organization, or house of worship for this volunteer project. The House Captain will have several responsibilities in the weeks leading up to National Rebuilding Day, including attending a training, conducting a home visit to see what repairs are needed, purchasing and picking up the tools and supplies (RTDCA will pay for this), and supervising the rest of your volunteers on National Rebuilding Day. RTDCA's programs staff (and, for new volunteer teams, an experienced RTDCA volunteer leader called a "Team Leader") will provide guidance and support and answer any questions the House Captain has. For more information, visit our website.

Some National Rebuilding Day sponsorship packages include lunch for your volunteers. If your company selects one of our other National Rebuilding Day sponsorship packages, then your company will be responsible for providing lunch for your volunteers.

### **Do we receive any additional benefits?**

Yes! By sending us your completed National Rebuilding Day sponsorship form – and payment for whichever National Rebuilding Day sponsorship level you select – your company, organization, or house of worship will receive several benefits, which may include logo placement on our website, recognition in our Annual Report, lunch for your volunteers, and more. (See list of sponsorship packages for full details.)

### **We are interested in doing a National Rebuilding Day project! What are the next steps?**

1. Decide which National Rebuilding Day sponsorship package your company, organization, or house of worship would like to purchase.

2. Send us your completed pledge form and team form by February 28, 2020. Additionally, please send us your payment (check or online payment) by March 25, 2020.
3. Once we receive your completed forms, our programs staff will reach out to your House Captain with instructions about next steps and schedule a repair project that best fits your volunteers' schedules and skill level!

You can email the completed form to Katharine Dixon at [kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org](mailto:kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org) or you can mail the form to:

Rebuilding Together DC • Alexandria  
700 Princess Street, Suite 206  
Alexandria, VA 22314

You can pay for your National Rebuilding Day sponsorship package by mailing a check to the address above, or by making an online payment (click the "Donate" button on our website's home page).

**If you have any additional questions, please visit [www.RebuildingTogetherDCA.org](http://www.RebuildingTogetherDCA.org) or contact Katharine Dixon at [kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org](mailto:kd@RebuildingTogetherDCA.org) or 703.836.1021**



## National Rebuilding Day

Recruit a group of volunteers from your company, organization, or house of worship to complete a single-day project at our flagship event! On **Saturday, April 25th, 2020**, volunteers will repair homes owned by individuals and families in need in Washington, DC or Alexandria, Virginia. (You choose the city for your project.) Details on National Rebuilding Day sponsorship packages are listed below.

<b>HOME BUILDER (\$3,000)</b> <i>Faith-Based &amp; Civic Organizations</i>	<b>NEIGHBORHOOD BUILDER (\$5,000)</b>	<b>COMMUNITY BUILDER (\$7,500)</b>	<b>CITY BUILDER (\$10,000)</b>	<b>REGION BUILDER (\$25,000)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 sign with your organization's name</li> <li>• Recognition in our Annual Report</li> <li>• Letter of appreciation</li> <li>• Supplies needed to make repairs to one home</li> <li>• Volunteer insurance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo on our website</li> <li>• Logo on all volunteer t-shirts</li> <li>• 1 sign with your organization's name</li> <li>• Framed certificate recognizing our support</li> <li>• Recognition in our Annual Report</li> <li>• Supplies to make repairs to one home</li> <li>• Volunteer insurance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo in our monthly e-news</li> <li>• Clickable logo on our website</li> <li>• Logo on all volunteer t-shirts</li> <li>• 1 sign with your organization's name</li> <li>• Framed certificate recognizing our support</li> <li>• Recognition in our Annual Report</li> <li>• Lunch provided for all your volunteers</li> <li>• Supplies to make repairs to one home</li> <li>• Volunteer insurance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo featured in our newsletters twice</li> <li>• Logo featured on our social media</li> <li>• Name on all signs at every project site</li> <li>• Logo in our monthly e-news</li> <li>• Clickable logo on our website</li> <li>• Logo on all volunteer t-shirts</li> <li>• Framed certificate recognizing our support</li> <li>• Recognition in our Annual Report</li> <li>• Lunch provided for all your volunteers</li> <li>• Supplies to make repairs to one home</li> <li>• Volunteer insurance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo featured in our newsletters four times</li> <li>• Water bottles with company logo and our logo</li> <li>• Logo featured on our social media</li> <li>• Name on all signs at every project site</li> <li>• Logo in our monthly e-news</li> <li>• Clickable logo on our website</li> <li>• Logo on all volunteer t-shirts</li> <li>• Framed certificate recognizing our support</li> <li>• Recognition in our Annual Report</li> <li>• Catered lunch provided for all your volunteers</li> <li>• Supplies to make repairs to one home</li> <li>• Volunteer insurance</li> </ul>



## National Rebuilding Day Partner Pledge Form

By partnering with Rebuilding Together DC • Alexandria, **your organization can invest in the community:**

\_\_\_ **Yes, sign our team up for National Rebuilding Day on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020!**

**My organization will become a National Rebuilding Day Partner at the following level:**

**\$25,000** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$10,000** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$7,500** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$5,000** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$3,000** \_\_\_\_\_ **Other \$** \_\_\_\_\_

My credit card information is below or a check is enclosed: \_\_\_ Check \_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_ MasterCard

Please make checks payable to **Rebuilding Together DC • Alexandria** and mail to: **700 Princess Street, Suite 206, Alexandria, VA 22314.**

Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**If you prefer to pay online, you can make your payment on our website,**

**[www.RebuildingTogetherDCA.org](http://www.RebuildingTogetherDCA.org)** (click on the "Donate" button on the home page).

Please contact **Katharine Dixon** with questions: **[kd@rebuildingtogetherdca.org](mailto:kd@rebuildingtogetherdca.org)** / **703.836.1021**



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## National Rebuilding Day Partner Team Form

**Sponsoring Organization** \_\_\_\_\_

**House Captain Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**House Captain Cell#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Co- Captain Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Co- Captain Cell#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email** \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ A **LIGHT** house may need scraping, painting, and/or cleaning and general repair work. It can be staffed with unskilled volunteers and a handyman. This type of home may require 1 weekend of prep work culminating in the completion of the repairs on PROJECT DAY.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A **MEDIUM** house requires a knowledgeable House Captain. It may need carpentry and drywall repairs, minor electrical and plumbing work. It may require several skilled people. This type of home may require 1-2 weekends of prep work culminating in the completion of the repairs on PROJECT DAY.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A **HEAVY** house needs a lot of work, often requiring several skilled people. The House Captain should be prepared for a major workload. It will usually require an advanced crew of skilled volunteers for 2-3 weekends of prep work culminating in the completion of the repairs on PROJECT DAY.

Each group size should not exceed 15 per house/per shift. **The # of volunteers in your group is:** \_\_\_\_\_

*If your group is small, we might combine your team with an additional volunteer group.* Please list the number of skilled and professional volunteers you anticipate recruiting for your group. This helps us accurately align house repairs with your team of volunteers.

	Roofing	Carpentry	Electrical	Drywall	Window Repair	Cabinetry	Other:	Other:
# of skilled volunteers								