



Privacy Policy

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Habitat for Humanity of McDonough County respects your privacy. This policy explains the types of information we may collect through this website and other interactions with our organization, how we may use that information, and the choices available to you.

Information we collect

We may collect information you voluntarily provide when you contact us, sign up for updates, volunteer, inquire about homeownership, make a donation, or otherwise communicate with us. This may include your name, email address, telephone number, mailing address, and information relevant to your inquiry.

Our website may also collect limited technical information automatically, such as browser type, device information, pages visited, and similar information used to operate, secure and improve the website.

How we use information

We may use information you provide to respond to inquiries, communicate about Habitat programs and volunteer opportunities, process or acknowledge donations, administer our programs and activities, maintain appropriate organizational records and improve our services and website.

Donations and payment information

Online donations may be processed by third-party payment or fundraising services.

Payment information submitted through those services is subject to the provider's privacy and security practices. Habitat for Humanity of McDonough County does not intend to store complete payment-card information on this website.

Email communications

If you choose to receive email updates, we may use the contact information you provide to send news about projects, volunteer opportunities, fundraising, and other Habitat activities. You may unsubscribe from marketing email using the unsubscribe option provided in those messages.

Sharing information

We do not sell your personal information. We may share information with service providers when reasonably necessary to operate our website, communicate with supporters, process donations, or conduct our work. We may also disclose information when required by law or when reasonably necessary to protect our organization, users, or others.

Homeownership applications and sensitive information

Homeownership applications may require sensitive personal and financial information. Please submit such information *only* through the application and delivery methods specifically provided by Habitat for Humanity of McDonough County. **Do not send Social Security numbers, financial account information or completed homeownership applications through ordinary website contact forms or unsecured email.**

Third-party websites

Our website may link to websites and services operated by other organizations. Their privacy practices are governed by their own policies, and we encourage you to review those policies when leaving our website.

Cookies and website technology

Our website and services used with it may use cookies or similar technologies necessary for website operation, security, preferences, and measurement. We may update this section as the website's analytics and other services are finalized.

Children's privacy

This website is not intended to solicit personal information from children. If we learn that personal information from a child has been submitted inappropriately, we will take reasonable steps to address it.

Data security and retention

We use reasonable administrative and technical measures intended to protect information in our care. We retain information only as reasonably necessary for our operations, recordkeeping obligations and applicable legal requirements.

Your choices and questions

You may contact Habitat for Humanity of McDonough County to ask questions about this policy, update information you have provided, or request changes to your communication preferences.

Changes to this policy

We may update this Privacy Policy as our website, services, or legal requirements change. The effective date shown on this page will indicate the most recent revision.

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