

What Are the Homeowner's Obligations?

All materials and labor are provided at no cost to the homeowner. In return, able-bodied homeowners and family members are expected to work alongside volunteers on the RTA Rebuilding Day in April.

What Impact Does Rebuilding Together Albuquerque Have in Our Community?

Since 1998, RTA has repaired a total of 180 homes with the help of 4,900 volunteers.

As a result of these renovations, RTA has developed a strong and positive history as an organization that is focused on serving community members in need. In addition, RTA's yearly projects involve hundreds of volunteers who find their participation valuable and gratifying.

How May I Help?

Donations can be mailed to:
Rebuilding Together Albuquerque
P.O. Box 27684
Albuquerque, NM 87125

All funds go directly to RTA and are tax deductible.

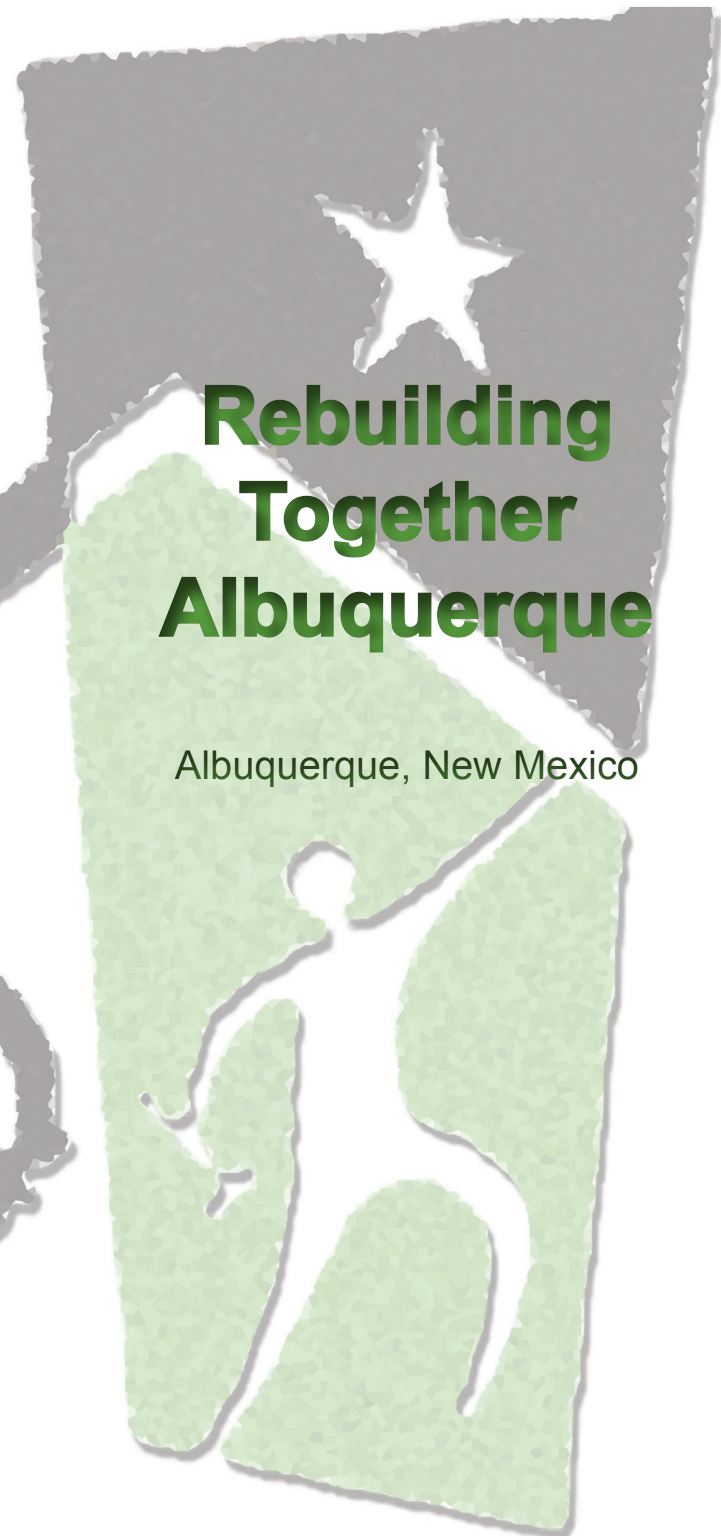
If you wish to become a sponsor or can volunteer for the next RTA project, please call:
Kim Trinosky at (505) 828-5258 or
Fred Silva at (505) 269-5669.

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What Is Rebuilding Together Albuquerque?

Established in 1998, Rebuilding Together Albuquerque (RTA) is an affiliate of a leading national volunteer organization. In partnership with the community, RTA repairs and refurbishes the homes of low-income homeowners, particularly the elderly and disabled, in order to restore and maintain their comfort, safety, and independence.

RTA is a 501 (C) 3 nonprofit organization operated by a community-based volunteer board of directors. Board members include representatives from the insurance and real estate industry, private corporations, independent businesses, the trades industry, and the community.

How Are Homes and Clients Selected?

Homes and clients are recommended by social service agencies, churches, neighborhood associations, and individuals. Board members visit the homeowners and homes to establish the need and extent of work required. The RTA Board of Directors ultimately makes the difficult decision on homes to be repaired.



Who Is Eligible for Rebuilding Together Albuquerque Assistance?

Low-income, elderly, and disabled families who are unable to take care of repairs themselves are eligible for these services. Individuals must own their own home and live in Bernalillo County.

What Type of Projects Are Completed?

RTA volunteers will complete common repairs: painting, cleaning yards, removing trash, installing locks, installing smoke detectors, and building ramps and handrails. Volunteers from the construction trades may also handle leaky roofs and plumbing and electrical problems.

Private/corporate donations provide funding. The cost of each renovation is approximately \$3,000.

Who Repairs These Homes?

RTA recruits volunteers from churches, schools, community organizations, small businesses, and the construction trades, as well as individuals. Skilled artisans and professionals from the construction trades are always welcomed; however, volunteers do not need to be skilled at home repair.



When Are Homes Repaired?

Although RTA is active all year long, most of the work happens on Rebuilding Day, which always falls on the last Saturday in April.

Rebuilding Day is April 24, 2010!



Volunteers at the Veterans Integration Center on Rebuilding Day 2009