

# Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity

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## **NEW PARTNERSHIP: NASHVILLE AREA HABITAT EXTENDS HOMEWORKS CLASSES TO GOODWILL ASSOCIATES**

- WHO:** 14 associates who work at Goodwill Industries and trainers from Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity's HomeWORKS program
- WHAT:** The second of a two-part Pre-Purchase Homebuyer Education course, offered to Goodwill associates by Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity, taught by family services director Casey Campbell. The course covers the topics of financial management, understanding credit, getting a mortgage loan, shopping for a home, and maintaining a home.
- WHERE:** Goodwill Industries  
1015 Herman St.  
Nashville 37208
- WHEN:** Saturday, November 7, 2009  
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- NOTES:** The synergies for this partnership are strong, in that Goodwill focuses on job skills training and employment, and Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity focuses on helping hardworking people purchase quality, affordable homes. By taking the Pre-Purchase Homebuyer Education course, Goodwill associates receive 8 hours of credit and a certificate required for them to apply for various homeownership programs. Some of them may ultimately be eligible for purchasing a Nashville Area Habitat home.

This is the first time that Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity has offered its HomeWORKS classes as outreach beyond the affiliate's own homeownership program.