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Join the Kickoff Celebration for the Habitat - Catholic Build # 114!

Rhonda Davis has a big dream – to own her own home. With the help of Habitat for Humanity of Sangamon County, volunteers, and the support of members of the Catholic community, her dream is coming true. Please join us on Thursday, April 8th at 5:15pm at Habitat for Humanity at 2744 S. 6th street for the Kickoff Celebration. Meet future Habitat homeowner, Rhonda, and learn more about this build.

Rhonda put her family first but has always dreamed of owning her home, "I have wanted my own home after renting for more than 20 years, but family considerations—the needs of my children-- came first, and I put her application on hold, delaying her dream," Rhonda said, "It is so exciting. I will have room for my grandchildren when they come to visit."

Habitat House #114 is being made possible by Steve Koch-Ameriprise Financial, with Blessings from Bishop Thomas John Paprocki & Rev. Msgr. David Hoefler.

"We're grateful for Steve Koch and his dedication to making a difference in our community", said HFHSC executive director Colleen Stone. "Once this home is completed, she will pay a zero percent interest mortgage, provided by Habitat, and property taxes. It's a hand up for hard-working families like Rhonda's and strengthens our communities."

For more information or to join the efforts to provide simple, decent, affordable housing, visit <u>http://www.habitatsangamon.com</u> or call 217.523.2710. Habitat for Humanity is currently recruiting volunteers for this and future Habitat projects in Sangamon County.

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