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NEW HOMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS FOR THREE HABITAT HOMEBUYERS

Saturday, December 15, 2007 we will celebrate three house dedications for three deserving Habitat families; the Walton's, Speller's and Robinson's. They have all in been in the Habitat program for over 18 months and it is finally time for them to each move their families into their respective home. Each family has completed their sweat equity and home ownership training and they are ready to become homebuyers.

December 15 we will be assisting three more families break the cycle of poverty housing and into the cycle of growth offered by homeownership. We'll begin with the dedication of 1719 LaSalle Avenue in Portsmouth at 1 PM (Walton Family). From there, we'll proceed to the 3:30 PM dedication of 909 Halifax Street (Robinson Family) and 915 Halifax Street (Speller Family) in Norfolk. Please come to support the families as they embark on this exciting time in their lives.

Habitat for Humanity of South Hampton Roads serves the community by eliminating substandard housing and providing an opportunity of homeownership for qualified low-income families. Through volunteer labor, donations of money and materials, Habitat builds houses with the homebuyer's help. Habitat houses are then sold to families at no profit and financed with affordable, no-interest loans. Habitat for Humanity of South Hampton Roads serves Chesapeake, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, Virginia Beach, and Isle of Wight County.

If you are interested in making a financial donation or a donation of services please contact Habitat for Humanity of South Hampton Roads, 455-0050 or shrhabitat@verizon.net.