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"We do it right!"



United Testing and Balancing, Inc. began as an independent test and balance agency in 1976 and maintains its corporate office in Nashville, Tennessee. Since 1976, UTAB has tested and balanced a variety of projects. We are also qualified to certify cooling tower performances and measure sound and vibration. In conjunction, Phase I Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) investigations and IAQ Assurance Monitoring of buildings for owners and property managers are included in our scope of services.

Old fashioned values with modern technology are combined to assure project success.

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1ST QUARTER, 2011

SPECIAL POINTS OF
INTEREST REGARDING
UTAB:

- Celebrating almost 40 years in business.
- Over 25% of our TAB technicians are certified Test and Balance Engineers.
- Over 80% of our technicians are certified by AABC and/or NEBB.

UTAB joins hands with Habitat

United Testing and Balancing, Inc. is excited to announce their first partnership with Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity. UTAB will be a gold sponsor for the 2011 Regions Bank build at Park Preserve.

Located in northern Davidson County, Park Preserve is Nashville Area Habitat's fifth neighborhood. Construction began in 2010 with the first six homes dedicated in October. When completed in 2020, the development will be home to potentially 380 single-family homes for approximately 1,000 hardworking family members who are currently located in sub-standard housing.



All homes are ENERGY STAR®

certified and built to LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) for Homes standards.

As a gold sponsor, UTAB has made the commitment to underwrite the cost of the building materials for one house (approximately 1,150 sq. ft.).

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

In addition to our financial commitment, UTAB has agreed to supply 30 volunteers for each of our build days.

We are seeking volunteers (groups and individuals) willing to give of their time and effort, to join forces with our team members to complete construction of a new home for a deserving family.

The house will be built on Saturdays and Sundays over a 5 week period. Volunteers work each day from 6:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Nashville Habitat provides the technical staff and volunteers to lead the volunteer build team.

Habitat families, earning their sweat equity hours, will work along with the sponsors' build team.

PREFER THE KITCHEN?

In addition, as a sponsor we will need help in providing breakfast, lunch, snacks and water for the 50 person build team.

Food will need to be delivered to the job site.

Habitat Build Schedule



Saturday, March, 12th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 13th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturday, March, 19th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 20th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturday, March, 26th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturday, April, 2nd, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 9th, 6:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

The home will be dedicated on Saturday, April 16th at 2:00 p.m.

Construction & General Build Information

—Participate in the construction.

—Follow directions of Habitat Construction staff and Supervisors On Site (SOS) to complete a quality home.

—Possess the ability to perform physical construction activities for an 8-hour workday.

—No specific construction skills required.

Building begins at 7 a.m. Volunteers need to arrive by 6:30 a.m. to allow time for registration. The build day could end anywhere between 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

You don't need to bring your own tools; everything will be provided. If you want to bring your own hand tools and tool belt, you are more than welcome to; however, make sure they are clearly labeled so they don't get lost in the shuffle of Habitat tools.

Open toe, open heel shoes are not permitted at the build site. Tennis shoes or work boots are best. If it is raining, you might want to bring an extra pair for the ride home because the site can get muddy!

Building goes on rain or shine, so if it looks cloudy bring a poncho.

Volunteers must be at least 16 years old. Those ages 16 and 17 are not allowed to use power tools or be on ladders/roofs. Volunteers ages 16 and 17 must be accompanied by an adult, 21 or over, in a ratio of 1 adult to every 5 youth.

Habitat's Mission, Values & Principles

Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity is an ecumenical Christian ministry that provides the life-changing opportunity for people to purchase and own quality, affordable homes.

Values and principles

Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity plays an active role in the development and construction of affordable housing units. We collaborate with many other housing providers and community-based agencies. Nevertheless, our core programs are distinct from many of the other agencies:

Working hand in hand with people in need produces a sense of empowerment and accomplishment. This provides an environment for

positive life changes.

We believe homeownership produces more responsible and active citizens, which improves communities and cities.

When people act in response to human need, giving without seeking profit or interest, we believe the effects are multiplied by God. The miraculous happens when we step out in faith. We do not charge interest or make a profit on Habitat homes.

We believe in bridging theological differences, using the hammer as an instrument to manifest God's love.

We acknowledge the community building power of partnering with donors, volunteers, faith-based communities, businesses, organizations and homeowner families.

We believe in the importance of our volunteer ministry. Our goal is for each of these volunteers to come to a deeper understanding of the need for affordable housing and the situations faced by Davidson County's low-income families.

(From the NAHFH Website)



Come be a part of the team as we start this new year by giving a hand-up and work to make a difference in a family's life.

If you are interested being a part of our team or have any questions contact:

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