



## SELECTION PROCESS RE-OPENED FOR HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOMES IN LYNWOOD

*Two New Mandatory Orientations will be held January 5<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> in City of Lynwood*

Los Angeles, CA – December 26, 2009: [Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles](http://www.habitatla.org) has reopened the selection process for prospective low-income families to apply for homeownership at its Lynwood neighborhood. All applicants are required to attend a homeownership orientation and the final two have been announced for January 5<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Hard-working, low-income families, living in substandard conditions, are invited to attend the orientations to determine if they may qualify for homeownership in partnership with Habitat for Humanity.

**WHO:** Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles

**WHAT:** Homeowner Selection Orientations for Lynwood Homes

**WHEN:** Tuesday, January 5, 2010 at 6:00 pm  
Saturday, January 9, 2010 at noon

**WHERE:** Bateman Hall  
11330 Bullis Road, Lynwood, CA 90262

**WHY:** Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles makes homeownership possible for hardworking families earning less than 80% of the median household income. Habitat partner families that qualify must pay back a zero interest loan; agree to give 500 hours of “sweat equity” building their home or their neighbors’ home and currently live in substandard conditions. Homeowner orientations are the first step in the application process and are mandatory. Applicants will be considered for ten homes currently under construction in the City of Lynwood.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF GREATER LOS ANGELES** strives to eliminate poverty housing through advocacy, education and partnership with families in need to build simple, decent affordable housing. Since 1990, HFH GLA has built and renovated over 600 homes locally and worldwide, transforming the lives of hundreds of individuals. For more information, visit <http://www.habitatla.org> <<http://www.habitatla.org>> or call 310-323-4663.

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