



habitat insider

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HUD certification and Bank of America grant

Habitat for Humanity Choptank is now a certified Housing Counseling Agency through the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and can now better meet the needs of the community, thanks in part to a grant from Bank of America.

Habitat Choptank applied to HUD for approval as a Housing

Counseling Agency, demonstrating an active presence in the communities it serves and the provision of housing counseling services in accordance with HUD requirements.

To support the HUD Housing Counseling program, Habitat Choptank applied for a grant from Bank of America and received \$5,000. Thanks to the generosity of Bank of America, Habitat Choptank can increase homeownership and housing stability and help families become more resilient and empowered to build a better future.

Click the button below to learn more about our housing counseling resources!

[Housing Counseling](#)



Hard Hats & High Heels

Our signature event, Hard Hats & High Heels was a success! We raised over \$72,000 to support our mission!

Board members, staff, donors, volunteers, and other friends of Habitat Choptank came to the Waterfowl Building on November 19 to celebrate our 30th anniversary and to support our mission of building homes, community, and hope in Talbot and Dorchester Counties.

Everyone enjoyed a fun night with cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, the silent and live auction, and more!

We'd like to extend our gratitude to all of our event sponsors, everyone who contributed to our silent auction, the volunteers who helped to set up, tear down, and run the event, and everyone else who made Hard Hats & High Heels possible!



recent grant awards

This month, Habitat Choptank received a \$4,850 grant from the Waddell Foundation (pictured above). These funds will support our Helping Hands Revolving Loan Fund program in Dorchester County.

Habitat Choptank also received a \$2,000 grant from the Walmart Community Grants Team and the Dorchester Square Walmart. This Local Community Grant Program will support community and economic development in Dorchester County.

Our gratitude goes out to the Waddell Foundation and the Walmart Community Grants Team for their generous gifts!



homebuyer highlights

Stephanie's home dedication

Stephanie's home dedication took place on Saturday, December 17th in St. Michaels! Stephanie's family and friends, as well as Habitat Choptank board members, staff, and volunteers gathered to celebrate our 101st home dedication and to watch Stephanie become a homeowner!

You don't have to swing a hammer to help us build homes! Click the button below to learn more about the Carpenter's Club!

[Carpenter's Club](#)

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