### **Bridging Health & Housing – The Home Depot Foundation**



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MEALS WHEELS AMERICA

2018 MEALS ON WHEELS ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXPO









#### Since 2011: As of July 2018

- Over \$250M Awarded to Veteran Nonprofit Partners
- Over 40,000 Veteran Homes and facilities improved, enhanced or positively impacted
- Over 4,000 U.S. Cities Positively impacted
- Nearly 3,000 U.S. Cities (veteran specific) positively impacted





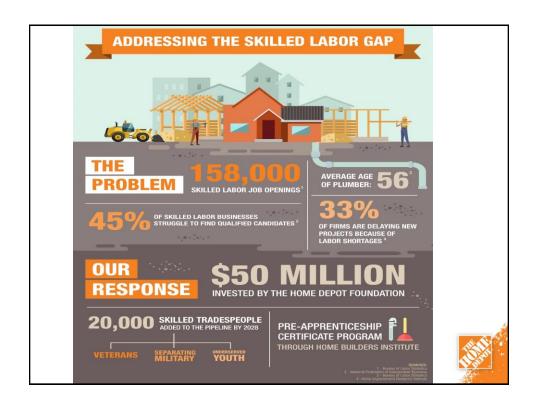
#### **Meals on Wheels America**

**THANK YOU** for all you do for veterans!

#### **Since 2012:**

858 veterans have been served through MOWA Helping Homebound Heroes





### Working Together: Team Depot & Meals on Wheels

**TEAM DEPOT** is The Home Depot's associate-led volunteer force! Local stores volunteer in communities across the country to support veterans.

<u>Team Depot Process</u>: Requests are submitted through online portal

- Request for Team Depot assistance
- Better tracking of our partnership and what volunteers are doing in communities around the country
- Ease of reporting and trends







## Team Depot Project Funding Process

If you are looking for local funding, you can reach out to the Team Depot Captain at your local store and ask for support to provide critical home repairs to senior veterans in your community.

We want to insure a meaningful and successful project for our associates and partners.

**Giving Guidelines for Projects** 

<u>Amount</u> # of Volunteers ■ \$2,000 5 – 10

■ \$5,000 15 – 20



### **Working Together: Team Depot Projects**

#### **Volunteer-Friendly Team Depot Projects:**

- 1 Day Project (4 6 hours); Prep Days may be required
- ✓ Landscaping
- ✓ Painting
- ✓ Wooden benches
- ✓ Picnic Tables
- ✓ Flooring

- ✓ Accessibility modifications
- ✓ Improvements to outdoor spaces
- ✓ Beautifications or enhancements



## Working Together: Team Depot Projects

### Projects that do not qualify for Team Depot: Work requiring contractors or structural changes

- Roofing, Electrical, Plumbing or HVAC
- Removal or disposal of mold, asbestos or other hazardous materials
- Rental properties
- Any project requiring permits or licenses
- Properties requiring approval from homeowner associations or property restrictions
- Product donations only (appliances, tools, lawn mowers, heaters, air conditioners, etc.)
- Any structure not permanently affixed to the ground such as manufactured or mobile homes/trailers
  - <u>Exceptions</u>: building wheelchair ramps, landscaping, gardening and outdoor living spaces

## Working Together: The Home Depot Services business

- ✓ HVAC, roofing, electrical, plumbing
- ✓ Team Depot Grant can provide up to 30% of the total cost of the project for Services projects
- √ 70% of the overall project must involve Team Depot volunteer work
- ✓ Paid for with donation gift cards
- Services must be completed before or after your Team Depot Project Day









## **Living our Values:**Taking Care of Our People

Volunteer Hospitality - create a welcoming atmosphere

- Provide water, snacks
- Restrooms
- Provide breakfast and/or lunch

Team Depot associates volunteer for all projects







### Working Together: Team Depot & Meals on Wheels

How can **YOU** help in Team Depot and Meals on Wheels continue to work together?

- Submit great projects
- Submit projects in timely manner
- Focus on volunteer-friendly tasks
- Inform Team Depot PR team about what you're doing
- Send pictures of projects to MOWA and Team Depot (TeamDepotPR@homedepot.com)







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