Habitat for Humanity makes a tremendous impact on the lives of homeowners. Our work impacts health, environmental and educational outcomes; civic and social engagement; the financial stability of Habitat families; and local economies. This infographic details one component of our economic impact. See below to learn how Habitat’s work contributes to local economies across the state by supporting jobs and purchasing local goods and services, creating a ripple effect that multiplies our investment to generate meaningful impact.

### Beyond the house: How Habitat's investments ripple across local economies
An economic impact analysis

We spend money on businesses and services (construction materials, office supplies, etc.).

Thanks to our spending, those businesses spend more on employees, materials, etc.

Those employees now have more money and can increase their household spending.

$34,553,636
invested in operations, construction, rehabilitation and renovation

$60,470,675
economic impact of Habitat’s investments

$1.75
dollars injected into the state economy for every dollar invested by Habitat

$2,348,216
in local and state taxes paid

668
jobs supported, generating

$27,633,065
in wages paid into the state economy

Top industries impacted:
1. Community food, housing and relief services
2. Construction of new single-family residences
3. Real estate sales and property management

88% of affiliates included

Results measure only the economic impact of affiliates as measured by affiliate expenditures on programming and operations. Additional factors contributing to economic impact (e.g., property taxes paid, homeowner spending) are not included. The economic impact was estimated using IMPLAN, an economic modeling software, based on data from affiliate financial documents.