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## ***For Immediate Release***

# **L-C Valley Habitat for Humanity Announces Purchase of Clark Communications Building**

***Site will eventually combine administration offices, construction shop, and ReStore***

**LEWISTON, ID, Monday, May 20, 2024** -- L-C Valley Habitat for Humanity (LCV HFH) is pleased to announce that it has signed the purchase agreement for the Clark Communications building at 2208 8th Avenue, Lewiston, ID.

LCV HFH will benefit from this purchase by reducing overall rental costs for two separate locations. The administration office is currently housed in the basement of the Clarkston United Methodist

Church and will move to the new location immediately. The ReStore will remain at 1633 G Street in Lewiston until later this summer.

"We have worked hard for the last five months with our realtor, Becka Picchena, and our Board to visualize and outline what we see for our opportunities in this building," said Deb Snyder, Executive Director of the local Habitat. "We are looking forward to our entire staff working closer together under one roof. The Board and staff has worked hard and put in many hours to complete the necessary explorations of this opportunity."

Caleb Carlyle, Habitat Board Chairman, also shared his thoughts on the purchase:

"The local Habitat Board looked at several other properties before we chose the Clark Communications building for a purchase opportunity, The long-term opportunities for this open land and commercial building result in several Habitat homes being built. This parcel in Lewiston offers so many advantages we did not see in any other options in the L-C Valley."

Over the last three decades, the local Habitat for Humanity has built 35 decent, affordable, energy efficient homes for families in Asotin and Nez Perce counties, giving hope to qualifying families in need by selling the homes with low or zero interest mortgages. LCV HFH will begin building its 36th home in July 2024.

If you would like more information on this topic or are interested in becoming a partner family or a Habitat volunteer, please contact Deb Snyder at (509) 758-7396, by email at [director@lewisclarkhabitat.org](mailto:director@lewisclarkhabitat.org), or by visiting our website at <https://l-cvalleyhabitat.org>.

## ***More about the L-C Valley Habitat for Humanity***

Our local affiliate started in 1991 with a focus on building and renovating simple, decent, affordable housing for the residents of Nez Perce and Asotin Counties. To date, with the help of our valued community partners, generous contributions from donors, and countless hours of volunteer labor on home builds, we have been fortunate enough to construct 35 homes here in the LC Valley. We truly believe that our work is part of a greater community-wide effort to improve the place we all call home.

L-C Valley Habitat for Humanity is a non-profit, faith-based organization devoted to changing lives through the practice of "giving people a hand up, not a handout."