



# Frye Road Build Day Volunteer Guide

Including FAQ's, parking information and other instructions.

Thank you so much for getting your group involved and volunteering to help build affordable housing in Northern Virginia! Habitat for Humanity of Northern Virginia (Habitat NOVA) works to bring people together to build homes, communities and hope.

**Waiver needed:** if this is the first time you have volunteered at a Habitat NOVA site during this calendar year, please follow the instructions to complete a waiver online, at our SignUpGenius page: <http://tinyurl.com/Habitat-IC>

**What time do I arrive?** 8:30 AM. If you arrive after 8:30, you may not be able to volunteer as **all volunteers must attend orientation and a safety briefing.**

**What is the expected finish time for the work day?** 3:00PM

**Where is the build site?** 8300 Frye Road, Alexandria, VA 22309

**Where can I park?** Please Parallel Park on Frye Road on the NORTH end past Pole Road. See map included. Please be courteous of the other homes, do not block any driveways, and be aware of fire hydrants where parking may be restricted.

**What should I wear?** Please wear comfortable, durable clothing: loose fitting jeans or work pants, short or long sleeve shirts, thick soled closed toed shoes or work boots. Most volunteers find it helpful to wear layers as the temperature can vary through the day. **We do not allow leggings, tights, sleeveless shirts, or inappropriate footwear on our sites. This is FOR YOUR SAFETY.** If you arrive in unsuitable clothing, you may be asked to leave.

**What should I bring?** Feel free to bring a bagged lunch and a water bottle to help keep you hydrated! We'll have all the tools and materials you'll need. You may bring your own equipment, but please make sure you leave with them. We are not responsible for any tools left behind.

**What is the minimum age to volunteer?** All volunteers must be 16 years or older to volunteer on a construction site. They must also have their parent or guardian sign their waiver form before volunteer.

**Who can I contact on the day of in case I have questions?** Please call Kelly Renaud at 540-268-8685. You may also call Romana Sanchez, Director of Construction: 571.926.0976.

**All volunteers need to watch our safety video before volunteering!** [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2\\_VH0Fh2I0o](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2_VH0Fh2I0o)

**Parking instructions for your Habitat NOVA build day:**

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