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Habitat for Humanity Tucson Receives \$10,000 Grant from The Home Depot *Gift Cards will Supply a Portion of the Tools and Materials for Eight New Homes*

TUCSON, Ariz. (May 26, 2010) – The Home Depot Foundation granted Habitat for Humanity Tucson \$10,000 in gift cards to support its 9th Annual Building Freedom Day.

“Home Depot has always been a great Habitat supporter, both locally and nationally,” said Michael McDonald, Executive Director. “We’re so grateful for their support that helps us build homes for deserving families.”

On September 11, 2010 Habitat Tucson will celebrate its ninth Building Freedom Day where more than 700 volunteers will begin construction on eight homes simultaneously. The Habitat houses will be located in the Corazon Del Pueblo development where 15 Habitat homes have already been completed and four more will be dedicated this June.

“The families who will move into these homes have gone through the selection process, qualified, and are excited to begin their new lives as future homeowners,” said McDonald.

The Home Depot’s grant will allow Habitat Tucson to purchase building materials, tools and other equipment needed to build the homes.

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Habitat for Humanity Tucson works to end poverty housing by creating opportunities for homeownership in partnership with low-income families; and by making decent shelter a matter of community conscience and action. Habitat Tucson offers a hand up, not a hand out. www.habitattucson.org