Volunteer Job Description

Title: Office Assistant

Job Goal: Help with the organization and running of daily administrative operations

Responsible to: Volunteer Coordinator

Time Required:

Approximate Hours: Minimum 2 hours/shift up to 6 hours/day:

• Monday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Tuesday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

• Wednesday 9:00 am − 3:00 pm

• Thursday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

• Friday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Length of Commitment: 1 month to as long as is mutually beneficial

Responsibilities include:

- Greet visitors to office and direct them as needed
- Organize office and assist staff in ways that optimize procedures
- Perform paper and digital document filing
- Perform various data entry and clerical duties
- Answer telephone, attempt to meet caller's needs, screen calls for staff, take messages

Desirable Qualifications/Skills:

- Enthusiasm for Habitat's mission
- Good oral and interpersonal communication skills, including a confident and compassionate phone manner, are required. Familiarity or willingness to learn MS Word, MS Excel, MS Publisher, and other programs is a plus
- Ability to follow HFHFDL's code of conduct and confidentiality policies
- Must be comfortable interacting with a diverse set of people with varied life experiences, both on the phone and as walk-in visitors to the office
- Willingness to learn about Habitat's programs, staff assignments and areas of expertise, committee structure so that callers can have questions answered efficiently or be quickly transferred to the correct person

Training provided:

- Phone system
- Habitat program overview
- Staff responsibilities, and a brief overview of other area resources in the social services/housing areas

Benefits: Meet great people, learn new skills, have fun in an office setting