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## **Sen. Green Commends Rebuilding Together - St. Louis**

JEFFERSON CITY, MO – Rebuilding Together - St. Louis is an affiliate of a national volunteer organization. It revitalizes neighborhoods in partnership with our communities by rehabilitating the houses of low-income homeowners, particularly the elderly and the disabled, so that they may continue to live independently in comfort and safety. Rebuilding Together - St. Louis also renews neighborhoods by rebuilding community centers, playgrounds and other community projects.

“If you are aware of an elderly and/or disabled person in North County St. Louis who may need help in repairing the home they own please contact Rebuilding Together - St. Louis.” said Sen. Green.

Rebuilding Day, which will occur on May 6, 2006, is the annual one-day blitz where volunteers make home repairs to the homes of low-income elderly and disabled homeowners in Saint Louis City and County. Their volunteers come from businesses, religious groups, schools, community service organizations, corporations and associations. All professions are represented, and anyone age 14 or older who's willing to lend a hand can help.

“Rebuilding Together - St. Louis and all of the volunteers should be commended for helping our elderly and disabled neighbors who are financially or physically unable to keep up their homes.” said Sen. Green.

For more information please visit [www.rebuildingtogether-stl.org](http://www.rebuildingtogether-stl.org) or call (314) 918-9918.

The Saint Louis affiliate was incorporated in 1992. In 1993, 105 volunteers worked on five homes. Ten years later, Rebuilding Together - St. Louis completed its 500th home project. By the conclusion of 2004, Rebuilding Together - St. Louis has worked on 627 homes and 24 community projects in 45 communities on annual Rebuilding Days, as well as 62 year-round projects since 2002. As many as 2500 volunteers have participated on Rebuilding Day.

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