

# **Job Position Description Summary**

Job Title: ReStore Warehouse Associate Driver

Employment Type: Full-time

**Reports To:** ReStore Manager

Location: ReStore @ Alexandria/Chantilly/Herndon, VA

## **Organization Summary**

Habitat for Humanity of Northern Virginia's (Habitat NOVA) is a proven, stellar leader in ensuring affordable home ownership for low to moderate-income families and individuals living in Northern Virginia. Habitat homeowners secure a no-interest mortgage to purchase their home, while the organization secures corporate sponsorship, in-kind donations, and volunteer labor to make the home affordable. Founded in 1990, Habitat NOVA has built or rehabilitated more than 95 homes and improved the lives of hundreds of people. We build homes in partnership with individuals, corporations, associations, faith-based organizations, and other community groups—totaling almost 200 volunteers per month—on our construction sites.

As a local, self-sustaining affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International, Habitat NOVA serves the counties of Fairfax and Arlington and the Cities of Falls Church, Fairfax and Alexandria. More information is available at <a href="https://www.habitatnova.org">www.habitatnova.org</a> and on our <a href="https://www.habitatnova.org">Facebook</a> page.

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As an integral part of Habitat NOVA's ReStore team, the ideal candidate will be responsible, conscientious, and demonstrate excellent interpersonal, communication, and customer service skills. The ReStore Warehouse Sales Associate is primarily responsible for customer sales and donor assistance, merchandising, housekeeping, and administrative functions. Additional duties within the ReStore may include the pick-up of merchandise from donors, safely packing the merchandise in the ReStore truck, then delivering and unloading the merchandise at the ReStore. This position requires working 40 hours per week and will regularly include scheduled weekend days.

## Responsibilities

- Customer service, sales assistance, and assistance to donors
- Overseeing volunteers as needed, making their experience meaningful
- Processing cash, credit card and check transactions, following established procedures for each type of sale
- Operating a forklift
- Daily cleaning and organization of ReStore, including merchandising and displays
- Answering telephone and providing ReStore information, directions, meeting the caller's needs
- Maintaining an effective working relationship with ReStore staff, volunteers, Habitat homeowners and ReStore customers
- Driving Habitat vehicles to pick-up and deliver donated goods

- Loading and unloading all donated materials
- Screening for product usability when donors call or bring in donations
- Communicating with Donations Manager regarding incoming donations
- · Other Duties as assigned

This not an all-encompassing list of responsibilities. Responsibilities may change over time. Candidate should be flexible. Position requires occasional interaction with Habitat for Humanity NOVA's Executive Director, Chief Operations Officer, and Volunteer Coordinator. Candidate should demonstrate ability to work collaboratively in groups.

#### **Qualifications**

- Knowledge and experience in retail sales (minimum 2 years required)
- Ability to spend majority of the day standing or moving about ReStore. Work may require climbing ladders, considerable standing, bending, kneeling, and reaching in awkward and tiring positions
- Ability to operate a cash register, office equipment and accurately make change
- Familiarity with and commitment to Habitat's mission, methods, principles, and structure
- Good customer service and communication skills; ability to interact with donors, customers, volunteers, and other constituents in-person, by phone and in writing
- <u>Must have clean driving record for the past five years</u> required to meet our insurance requirements (see Driver Guidelines in the next section)
- Required to pass DOT Certification (drug and alcohol testing required)
- Ideal candidate will have experience driving box trucks up to 26 feet
- Must provide copy of driving record (within 30 days) if called in for interview
- High school diploma or equivalent
- Must be 18 years of age or older (to meet our insurance requirements)
- Must pass Criminal Background Check and Sexual Offender Check
- Must be able to safely lift and position up to 100 pounds

#### **Driver Guidelines Required by Insurance Carrier:**

- Be at least 18 years of age
- Have a valid driver's license
- Have at least 5 years' experience driving any specialized vehicle
- Have NO major violations in the last 5 years
- Have 2 or less minor violations in the last 5 years

## Compensation and Benefits Package.

Hourly rate dependent on experience and qualifications. Habitat for Humanity of Northern Virginia offers the opportunity to work in collaboration with a dynamic and passionate development team that is committed to ensuring affordable homeownership for everyone living Northern Virginia. We offer a competitive compensation and benefits package including health care benefits, life and disability insurance, retirement savings plan with an employer contribution, generous paid time off, and much more.

For immediate consideration, please submit a cover letter and resume to <a href="jobs@habitatnova.org">jobs@habitatnova.org</a>. Include in the subject line: Preferred Job Location - ReStore Warehouse Position. No recruiter calls.

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