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APPLICATION FOR FREE HOME REPAIRS

Deadline: December 1st

Dear Homeowner:

Fall 2017

Applications for the National Rebuilding Day free home repair program will be accepted until **December 1st**. Early applications are given priority, apply as soon as possible!

Rebuilding Together Metro Chicago (formerly Christmas in April) is a volunteer home repair effort that conducts a one-day community work blitz to help repair the homes of low-income homeowners. Eligibility for the free home repair is based on both financial eligibility and the type of work needed, with priority given to elderly and disabled homeowners.

Our program has been in existence for twenty-seven years and is composed entirely of volunteers who work at banks, law firms, construction companies, unions, etc. Although we do all of our work in April 2018, we must choose our homes now. For that reason, we ask that you submit your application promptly.

We are planning to select about 25 homes in the City of Bellwood this year. Please also encourage others to apply.

Complete the application as completely and accurately as you can. If you are being considered for our program, we will ask you to provide proof of your household income and homeownership when we visit you. At that time, we will also want to see the types of repairs that you need.

We are so impressed with the community spirit in Bellwood and look forward to working with residents there during the coming year. Together we can ensure that the investment you have made in your family home is preserved for generations to come.

Very truly yours,
Wanda Ramirez
Executive Director
