



# GROUP VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## Community Development

### Minor Repair Housing Program

The minor housing repair assistance program is designed to alleviate immediate threats to the health and safety of low income home owners by providing grants for minor home repairs

### Voluntary Demolition Assistance Program

This program provides demolition assistance to help property owners tear down and remove dilapidated houses

The Community Development Department of the City of Bryan depends on federal grant funds which are limited, and utilized on a first come, first serve basis. With assistance from your group, the City may be able to help homeowners who do not qualify for these programs, may need some type of assistance not covered within the program guidelines, or have already received assistance within the year.

#### *Projects:*

- Voluntary Demolition of structures
- Building porches and ramps to make homes accessible for disabled citizens
- Minor home repairs which may include painting, landscaping, repairing windows, yard cleanup, replacing rotten boards, organizing within the house (i.e. removing furniture/clutter)

#### *Qualifications:*

- Ability to use tools and lift heavy objects (will depend on the project)
- Must be 16 or older
- Must obtain all labor, tools, and supplies

City staff will assist in facilitating the project with the volunteer group and homeowner, but no federal funds will be used in the project.

THE VOLUNTEER GROUP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING ALL LABOR, TOOLS, AND SUPPLIES, AND ASSUMES ALL LIABILITY FOR ANY INJURIES OR DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE PROJECT.

Please contact Community Development 979-209-5175, or [communitydevelopmentweb@bryantx.gov](mailto:communitydevelopmentweb@bryantx.gov) at least two (2) weeks in advance if you are interested in coordinating one of these projects.