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Atlanta Habitat Homebuyer and Rotarians build walls during international conference

Atlanta Habitat for Humanity homebuyer Ms. Walton received help from Rotary members around the world to build walls for her new house in the westside's English Avenue community. Joining Ms. Walton (purple shirt) from left are past Rotary International Director Robert Hall, Atlanta Habitat President/CEO Lisa Y. Gordon, Habitat for Humanity International CEO Jonathan Reckford, Rotary International President John Germ, and Rotary International Aide Ron Beaubien. During Rotary International's 100th Convention, more than 120 Rotarians spent the afternoon of June 13, 2017 on the East Plaza of the Georgia World Congress Center building 75 wall frames—enough for two and half houses.

ABOUT ROTARY: [Rotary](#) brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. Rotary connects 1.2 million members of more than 35,000 Rotary clubs in over 200 countries and geographical areas. Their work improves lives at both the local and international levels, from helping families in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world.

ABOUT ATLANTA HABITAT: Atlanta Habitat for Humanity transforms communities through neighborhood revitalization, education, innovative development and partnerships. As one of the largest affiliates of Habitat for Humanity International, Atlanta Habitat has built more than 1,400 houses—impacting the lives of more than 5,500 family members and 100 neighborhoods—since 1983. In addition to constructing quality, affordable, energy-efficient homes, the nonprofit homebuilder also rehabs existing structures and performs minor repairs for qualifying homeowners. Houses are sold with zero-interest mortgages to first-time homebuyers in Atlanta and South Fulton County. Visit www.atlantahabitat.org or follow us @atlantahabitat.

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