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Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County Accepts Donation from 'Room & Board'

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By Natalie Mieles (Patch Staff)

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Press release:

Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County (Habitat Bergen) was thrilled to receive a donation of \$5,000 from Room & Board, the Minneapolis-based retailer offering modern American-made furniture and accessories.

Employees of Room & Board presented the check to Habitat Bergen's Executive Director, Jacey Raimondo, at the Habitat Bergen office. Those in attendance included Pat Saporito, Tasha Hogan and Mayra Mitchell, of the Room & Board New Jersey Distribution Center located in Moonachie.

“We look forward to building our relationship with Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County,” said Tasha Hogan, Room & Board Customer Service Wellness Liaison. “One of Room & Board’s guiding principles is to positively impact and strengthen the communities in which we work and live.”

“We are deeply grateful for Room & Board’s commitment to our mission to provide affordable housing and look forward to building a long-lasting relationship,” said Jacey Raimondo, Habitat Bergen Executive Director. “Their generous donation will make a positive impact on the families we serve throughout Bergen County.”

Pictured: Pat Saporito, Jacey Raimondo, Tasha Hogan and Mayra Mitchell.

About Room & Board

For more than 30 years, Room & Board has focused on the simple idea that good design should be beautiful, affordable and long-lasting. We work closely with American artisans to offer **modern** furniture and accessories—even custom pieces—that fit the needs of **modern** life. We’re proud that more than 90 percent of the products we sell are handcrafted in the U.S. to give customers the best combination of quality and price. Room & Board has stores in Minneapolis, Chicago, Denver, San Francisco, New York, Atlanta, Los Angeles, Costa Mesa, Washington, D.C., Seattle and Boston. For more information, visit roomandboard.com or call 800-486-6554.


About Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County

The goal of Habitat Bergen is to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the face of the earth by working in partnership with people in need. Using volunteer labor and donated funds and materials, Habitat Bergen builds or rehabilitates simple, decent houses and sells them to low-income families at cost, but with no interest added. Habitat Bergen is a people-to-people partnership, which joins all of us together regardless of race, nationality, religion, or socioeconomic status. That partnership begins with the homeowner families (partner families). Habitat Bergen is not a giveaway program, but a joint venture in which those who benefit from the housing ministry are involved in the work at various levels. They help with the construction of their own home, as well as the houses of their neighbors.

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