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## Charleston Habitat's Builder Bash Features "Construction Couture"

A celebration that can only be described as Carhartt meets Chanel

Charleston, SC – If you see a man in a suit paired with a tool belt, or a woman in a dress made of orange construction fencing, you may be at Charleston Habitat for Humanity's "[Builder Bash](#)," **Thursday September 29, 6pm-10pm at The Cedar Room** in the old Cigar Factory, 701 East Bay St.

The Builder Bash will celebrate Charleston Habitat's continuing work to partner with local families, build affordable housing and strengthen neighborhoods. Guest attendees are being encouraged to dress in a way that might be described as [Carhartt](#) meets [Chanel](#).

The construction-site couture will showcase guests donning tool belts, construction tape ties, reflective vests and work boots. Even the décor and many of the auction items were created with reclaimed and repurposed materials. Guests will enjoy yummy bites and beverages, to the beat of music performed by JackieB & Me.

Funds will be raised throughout the evening in silent and live auctions, featuring Darron Mearns of Bowtie Benefit Auctions. In case you're not sold yet, there will be plenty of surprises to keep guests entertained, including a few games and some special guests. Attendees will get the chance to meet Craig Conover and Naomie Olindo of Bravo's "Southern Charm," as they support the need for affordable housing in the Charleston community.

Tickets are \$85 a person and may be purchased until September 26<sup>th</sup> at [chasbuilderbash.eventbrite.com](http://chasbuilderbash.eventbrite.com) or 843-722-7145. No tickets will be available for purchase at the door. Parking is provided on site.



### About Charleston Habitat

*Established in 1989, Charleston Habitat for Humanity works to strengthen communities and eliminate substandard housing conditions in downtown Charleston, West Ashley and the City of North Charleston. Charleston Habitat for Humanity builds quality affordable housing in partnership with deserving, low- and moderate-income working families. In the past 27 years, the affiliate has built 82 new homes, renovated 16 houses and supported 45 homes in Honduras - improving over 600 lives through homeownership. More than 1,000 volunteers invest more than 4,000 volunteer hours per house to make safe and affordable housing a reality for Charleston residents.*