

## Property and Housing Maintenance Assistance

This handout includes resources and information to volunteer organizations, non-profit agencies, and programs that provide assistance to senior citizens, people with disabilities and residents who may need assistance.



### GMCC Metro Paint-A-Thon

The Metro Paint-a-Thon helps seniors and people with physical disabilities continue to live independently in their homes. They use volunteer teams to scrape, prime and paint home exteriors for low-income clients, at no cost to the homeowner. If your home is in need of paint, let Paint-a-Thon help you! You must be the owner and occupant of a single family home. Your home/garage must be in either Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott or Washington Counties. You must be over age 60 or permanently physically disabled (if under 60). Homeowners must meet monthly income guidelines.

For more information about this program or to request an application, please call **612-276-1579** or email [info@gmcc.org](mailto:info@gmcc.org). Applications are generally accepted in late spring.



### The Care Crew

The Care Crew is a volunteer service organization designed to help fulfill the needs of the elderly, physically or financially challenged, and single parent families in the Northern Suburbs of the Twin Cities area. Residents in and near Mounds View / New Brighton can call the Care Crew for assistance with home repairs, yard work, rides or personal assistance.

If you are in need of help please contact the Care Crew at **763-784-2097**.



### The River Crew

The River Crew is a volunteer ministry of the River of Life Church for the purpose of assisting elderly, handicapped, disabled, unable, single-parent families or financially challenged households in Shoreview, Vadnais Heights and Arden Hills.

For more information please call: **651-484-8737** or visit: [www.riveroflifemn.org](http://www.riveroflifemn.org)



### Senior Link – Statewide Resources for Seniors

**Online access to statewide community resources for seniors, their families and caregivers.**

Need help finding assistance with day-to-day things like transportation or meals? The Senior Section of MinnesotaHelp.info will help seniors, their families, and caregivers focus on finding the help they need.

For more information please call:

**1-800-333-2433**

Or visit: [www.MinnesotaHelp.info](http://www.MinnesotaHelp.info)



### Rondo Community Land Trust

Rondo CLT, offers a foreclosure prevention option for distressed homeowners who want to remain in their home and are willing to give up some of their homes future value.

Rondo can be contacted at **651-221-9884**. Additional information can be found at [www.rondoclt.org](http://www.rondoclt.org)



### **Twin Cities Habitat**

Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity preserves homeownership by helping low-income homeowners repair and maintain their homes through their [A Brush with Kindness](#) program and by assisting families living in the City of Minneapolis who are facing foreclosure or who have fallen behind in their mortgage payments through their [Mortgage Foreclosure Prevention](#) program.

### **Holy Hammers**

The Holy Hammers is an ecumenical coalition of churches partnering with the Twin Cities affiliate of Habitat for Humanity to help bring affordable housing to our community. Currently 4 churches from the area are part of the Holy Hammers: **Incarnation Lutheran Church, Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, Presbyterian Church of the Way, Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church.**

For more information on **Twin Cities for Habitat** and the **Holy Hammers** please visit: [www.tchabitat.org](http://www.tchabitat.org)



### **Dispute Resolution Center**

The Dispute Resolution Center is a private, non-profit community mediation program founded in 1982 to provide mediation, facilitation, training and referral services. The Center's services provide an effective, convenient, affordable opportunity to find positive, satisfactory solutions to many types of community and family problems such as; matters of public safety concerning traffic or parking; rental arrangements; consumer-merchant disputes; neighborhood conflicts about noise, pets or property lines; small claims concerning money, property damage, or breach of contract; and post-divorce visitation concerns about co-parenting and communication between parents and children.

For more information please call:

**651-292-7791**

Or visit:

[www.disputeresolutioncenter.org](http://www.disputeresolutioncenter.org)



### **Northeast Youth & Family Services**

#### **Senior Chore Services**

Northeast Youth & Family Services (NYFS) is a non-profit social service agency that offers affordable help for seniors. Through their Senior Chore Program, youth are matched with local senior citizens in need of basic chore services such as house cleaning, snow shoveling and yard work. The youth gains valuable work experience while the senior citizen is allowed to live independently in their own home. Depending on income services are offered on a low-cost, subsidized or free basis.

For more information please call:

**(651) 486-3808**

Or visit: [www.nyfs.org](http://www.nyfs.org)



### **RAMSEY COUNTY Yard Waste Collection**

#### **Collection Sites**

#### **Accepted Materials and Locations**

##### **Brush/Trees Accepted:**

Sites that accept trees, shrubs, leaves, grass clippings and non-woody plants

[Arden Hills](#) | compost available | wood mulch available

[Frank & Sims](#) east of 35E | compost available | wood mulch | black dirt

[Midway](#) (Saint Paul) west of 35E | compost available | wood mulch

[Shoreview/White Bear Township](#) | compost | wood mulch available | black dirt

##### **Brush/Trees NOT accepted.**

Sites that accepts leaves, grass clippings, non-woody plants (No brush)

[Battle Creek/Highwood](#) | compost available

[Mounds View](#) | compost available

[Summit Hill](#) (Saint Paul) | compost available

#### **Collection Days and Hours (weather permitting)**

##### **April - November**

Monday | 11 am - 7 pm

Wednesday | 11 am - 7 pm

Friday | 11 am - 7 pm

Saturday | 9 am - 5 pm

Sunday | 11 am - 5 pm

##### **December—March**

Monday—Friday | Closed

Saturday | 9 am - 5 pm

Sunday | 11 am - 5 pm

**\*\*Closed on the following holidays:**

New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, and Christmas Day

#### **More Information**

**651.633.EASY (3279)**

<https://www.ramseycounty.us/yardwaste>