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PRESS RELEASE

**Habitat for Humanity of York County to Salvage Grave Library**

**Kennebunkport, ME** — On November 29, 2016, a salvage team from Habitat for Humanity of York County will work to remove reusable items from the Perkins House which is scheduled for demolition at the Graves Library in Kennebunkport. The Perkins House will make way for construction of the new Mothers Wing and additional parking. The Mothers Wing will honor all mothers who have utilized the library's services over the past 100 years to encourage their children to read. The new addition will be added to the rear of the library, include an elevator for access for person with disabilities, and update the infrastructure.

A Habitat ReStore salvage team will carefully remove windows, doors, light fixtures, cabinets, countertops, appliances, sinks, toilets and other reusable items from the Perkins House. The salvage service is offered at cost and the items from the Perkins House will be offered for resale at the Habitat ReStore, 4 Industrial Drive, Kennebunk. Proceeds from the sale of the items will support Habitat's affordable housing mission.

Habitat has many opportunities to volunteer on the Cole Road Build, at the ReStore, on a salvage, in the office or assisting with weatherizations. Anyone interested in participating or donating to Habitat is encouraged to call the Habitat office at 985-4850 or visit the website at [www.habitatyorkcounty.org](http://www.habitatyorkcounty.org).

**About Habitat for Humanity York County**

Habitat for Humanity York County, the local affiliate of Habitat International, was incorporated in 1985 as a non-profit builder of affordable homes in partnership with low-income families, community volunteers, and local businesses. Our mission is to work towards the elimination of poverty housing in York County and to stir the hearts and minds of others to take action on this issue.

For more information about Habitat for Humanity York County visit our website at:

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