

**RTO (Retired Teachers of Ontario) District 15 Halton** recently fielded a 15-member construction team for a Build Day on June 13, 2019. They joined Habitat for Humanity Halton-Mississauga on their build site located at 2384 Queensway Drive, Burlington. Along with local charitable group, CATCH18, RTO District 15 is helping to raise awareness and necessary funds for the completion of Habitat's project named Crew-Goetz Landing. Under construction are 18 new townhouses that will provide secure homes for those who would not otherwise be able to own their own home. Our District 15 members were given safety training and all the personal protective gear necessary to work on a construction site. Some of the jobs performed by 3-member teams were installing drywall and insulation in the garages. Some new skills were learned by these retired teachers who believe in life-long learning! They appreciated the adage "measure twice and cut once". At the end of the day, the RTO Team left the build site not only tired, dirty and sweaty but, more importantly, felt a great sense of satisfaction and reward for their small contributions in helping complete the beautiful new homes for 18 deserving Halton families. RTO District 15 is helping Habitat for Humanity Halton-Mississauga "build a world where everyone has a decent place to live". Won't you join us and lend your support to this very worthy local cause by making a contribution. You can donate on-line at <https://secure.e2rm.com/registant/TeamFundraisingPage.aspx?teamID=794383&langPref=en-CA#&panel1-2>

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