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## Align Credit Union Supports Habitat for Humanity Volunteers Help during National Women Build Week

Lowell, MA, May 15, 2017 - Align Credit Union's employees proudly supported Habitat for Humanity's 10th Annual National Women Build Week on May 11th. They helped with construction on a single-family home at 1067 South Street in Tewksbury. When completed, the house will be home for Maimunah and Abdul Karim and their three children, ages 1, 8 and 10. The new home will provide much needed space for the growing family as well as handicapped access for their middle son, Ahmad, who has spina bifida and is in a wheelchair.

Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell is a non-profit working towards eliminating poverty housing and homelessness by building and rehabbing simple decent affordable homes with the help of the homeowner and volunteers. Qualified families need to apply and be committed to volunteering 450 hours of labor on their homes or other projects. Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell builds homes in Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Concord, Dracut, Dunstable, Lowell, Reading, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, Wakefield, Westford and Wilmington.



### Photo Caption 1

Photo: Align Employees Lauren Robinson, Charlotte Arivella, LeeAnne Powers, Karen Manuelian, Sopheeng Toun, Jessica Daigneault, Brendalis Cabrera, Sara Paz, Karenlyn Garcia, Jennifer Rivera-Cintron and Joanne McCarthy.



### Photo Caption 2

Photo: Align Employees Sopheeng Toun, Charlotte Arivella, LeeAnne Powers, Karen Manuelian, Karelyn Garcia, Joanne McCarthy, Jessica Daigneault, Jennifer Rivera-Cintron, Sara Paz, Brendalis Cabrera with Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell Construction Manager, Scott Carpenter.

“Align has continued to work with us in the Lowell community for well over five years now. We know that we can count on them to always keep the community in mind. Their ‘can do’ attitude makes it a pleasure to work with everyone there, at all levels,” said Brenda Gould, Executive Director, Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell. “We are all very fortunate to have a company like Align, who puts their words into action and is a real partner in the community.”

“The women of Align look forward to this event every year. It not only connects them to the people in the communities we serve but also helps make a real difference. By providing a home to a deserving family, Habitat for Humanity, changes lives.” said Align President Ken Del Rossi. “Align is proud to be involved with such an amazing organization.”

### **About Align Credit Union**

Since 1922, Align Credit Union has provided customized banking solutions to individuals and families throughout Northeastern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire. Align offers a full suite of products and services including Personal and Business Banking, Mortgages, Financial Planning and Insurance. Founded as the Northern Massachusetts Telephone Workers Credit Union (NMTW), the Credit Union changed its name to Align in 2013. Membership is open to anyone who lives, works or attends school in many communities throughout Eastern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire. For additional information, stop by one of six branches in Amesbury, Danvers, Framingham, Haverhill and Lowell or visit [www.AlignCU.com](http://www.AlignCU.com).

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