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 A Brush with Kindness
 P.O. Box 423
 Atwater CA 95301
 209-726-0850

For Office Use Only-

Date Received:
Referred By
Phone No.

SECTION 1 - Homeowner Information

Legal Name of Homeowner: _____		Age: _____
Homeowner's Social Security number: _____		
Home Address: _____	City: _____	Zip: _____
Email: _____	County: _____	
Telephone Numbers: Home _____ Please include area code	Other _____	Number of Years at Address: _____

List the names, ages, and relationship to homeowner of all people living in the home
 (attach a list if more space is needed):

Name/relationship: _____	Age: _____
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Name/relationship _____	Age: _____
Name/relationship _____	Age: _____

Is the homeowner or anyone in the home a veteran? [] Yes [] No
 If yes, who? _____

SECTION 2 - Special Needs

Is the homeowner or anyone in the home disabled? Yes No

If yes, indicate the type of disability below (check all that apply, please describe if "other"):

Uses a Walker, Cane or Crutches Wheelchair Bound Blind Hearing Impaired

Loss of Limb Mentally Disabled Other: _____

Is translation needed? Yes No If yes, what language: _____

SECTION 3 - Sharing Your Personal Information?

If your application is a more appropriate fit with other, similar programs may we share it with them?
 Yes No

Unless you give us permission to share your information with other organizations, your application will be kept confidential. If you check yes, you give A Brush With Kindness your consent to share the information you provide on this application with similar organizations.

SECTION 4 - Household Income and Mortgage Information

The total, combined income before taxes for ALL persons living in the home is: \$_____ per **year**
You must attach verification of all HOUSEHOLD income for each adult in the house, unless a full time student
 (provide proof of registration) and/or benefits for children
 (For instance, the most recent income tax return, monthly social security statement, other retirement income statements, employment check stub and please note on attached statements if it represents annual, monthly, twice-monthly, bi-weekly or weekly income.).

Are you still making loan payments on your home? Yes No

If yes, what is your monthly payment? \$_____ / month

After paying your monthly bills (gas, electric, insurance, food, phone, medical, etc.), approximately how much money do you have left to spend on house repairs? \$_____ / month

SECTION 5 - Homeowner's Agreement

I certify that the information on this application is accurate and that I own the property at the address given on this application. I have no present intention to move or offer my home for sale for at least three years. I confirm that any physically able persons residing in my home or visiting for the project day will work alongside the **ABWK (A Brush with Kindness)** volunteers. I confirm that, except for the conditions listed in this application, my home is a safe place for volunteers.

I understand that the people who may work on my house are unpaid volunteers; that few, if any of them, are skilled in the building trades; and that **A Brush with Kindness MAKES NO WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, REGARDING ANY MATERIALS USED OR WORK DONE BY ANYONE AT MY HOUSE.** I hereby release **ABWK, Habitat for Humanity of Merced Co.** and all associated with it from any and all liability whatsoever. Moreover, to the extent damages are covered by insurance during the work to be performed, the parties waive all rights against each other and against any contractors, consultants, agents, employees or volunteers of the other for damages, except each party's rights as they may have to the proceeds of such insurance policy. The parties, as appropriate, shall require the contractors, consultants, agents and employees of the parties' similar waivers in favor of the other parties.

SIGNATURE OF HOMEOWNER

DATE

Complete the following if you are not the homeowner, but are assisting the homeowner in completing this application.

Your name:





Your daytime telephone number:

Is homeowner aware of this application?

Yes

No

SECTION 6 - House Information / Exterior

HOUSE INFORMATION	<u>House Exterior</u>	<u>Garage Exterior</u>																																				
<p>Place a large "X" over the house (below), which most resembles the size of your house.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 10px;">     </div> <p style="text-align: center;">1 story 1.5 story 2 story 2.5 story</p> <p>Year Purchased: _____ Year Built: _____</p> <p>Last Painted: _____ Square Feet: _____</p>	<table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Siding</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Trim</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> brick</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> shakes</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> metal</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> stucco</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> aluminum</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td><td></td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Siding	Trim	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> brick	<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	<input type="checkbox"/> shakes	<input type="checkbox"/> metal	<input type="checkbox"/> stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate		<input type="checkbox"/> aluminum		<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl		<table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Siding</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Trim</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> wood</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> brick</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> shakes</td><td><input type="checkbox"/> metal</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> stucco</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> aluminum</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> vinyl</td><td></td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Siding	Trim	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> wood	<input type="checkbox"/> brick	<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	<input type="checkbox"/> shakes	<input type="checkbox"/> metal	<input type="checkbox"/> stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> painted stucco		<input type="checkbox"/> asbestos/slate		<input type="checkbox"/> aluminum		<input type="checkbox"/> vinyl	
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SECTION 7 - Media and Publicity

Where did you learn about **A Brush with Kindness**?

TV Radio Newspaper Flyer Friend Neighbor Neighborhood Organization
 OTHER: _____ *please describe*

If **ABWK** selects your house to be repaired, would you be willing to have your picture taken or be interviewed by media reporters? May we bring elected officials to your home?

YES Interviews and photographs are OK YES Visits by elected officials are OK
 NO I do not want interviews or photographs NO I do not want visits by elected officials

SECTION 8 - Application History

Have you applied to **ABWK** in the past? Yes No What year(s)? _____
 Has **ABWK** done work at your home in the past? Yes No Year(s)? _____

SECTION 9 - Requested Repairs

Briefly describe the type of work you would like done on your home. Attach a separate piece of paper if there is not enough space to list all repairs. Remember that the items listed below will be considered for repair, but the final decision on what work can be done with our time and financial resources will be made at the discretion of A Brush With Kindness. The work done by A Brush With Kindness will focus on warmth, safety and independence. **Our volunteers are not professionals and may not be able to make all repairs.**

Please print

Area of Repair	Description
Accessibility Modifications. Examples: wheelchair ramp, bathroom grab bars, accessible shower stall, etc. Would you like an assessment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Carpentry Repairs. Describe problems with doors, floors, porches, steps, walls, ceilings, etc. Indicate places in house needing repair.	
Electrical Repairs. List rooms where wall outlets, switches and light fixtures do not work.	
Plumbing Repairs. Describe sink, tub or toilet leaks, etc.	
Roofing Repairs. Identify where roof leaks.	
Painting. List all interior rooms that require painting and any exterior painting requirements.	
Appliances. Identify appliances such as stove, refrigerator or hot water heater that do not work or need repair.	
Doors and Windows. Describe repairs required, including locks, glass, frames, weather-stripping, etc.	
General Cleaning. Indicate if there is cleaning and/or trash removal required. Identify if yard work is necessary.	
Other. Identify other repairs requested but not listed above.	

SECTION 10 – HOMEOWNERS FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

A Brush with Kindness is a program of Habitat for Humanity of Merced County that does home painting and repairs for low-income homeowners who need assistance to do necessary work.

Call 209-726-0850 with any questions.

Homeowner pays for the cost of the materials and contracted labor to repair their homes. A no interest 'Promissory Note' will be signed by the homeowner at the end of the repairs stating the agreed monthly payment based upon how much the homeowners can afford to pay. If the homeowner fails to make the monthly payments as agreed on the note, then Habitat for Humanity will exercise their legal right to record the note against the property, at homeowner's expense, to be paid when the home is refinanced or sold. There will be a \$10.00 credit check fee for any repair cost greater than \$1,000. Please do not send this fee with your application. Homeowner will be notified if the fee is required.

I understand there is a charge for this service.

Homeowners Signature

Date

SECTION 11 – Checklist

- Did you sign the application? (SECTION 5 AND 10)
- Did you enclose a copy of your property tax statement?** *All documents submitted must show the name and address of the applicant*
- For mobile homes, did you include a copy of the original title? Yes No
- For mobile homes, did you include a copy of the last issued registration card? Yes No.
- Do you currently have homeowner's insurance? Yes No
- Are you current on your homeowner's insurance premiums? Yes No
- Did you include a statement verifying income?** This statement can be a copy of one or more of the following: tax return, social security receipts, retirement pay receipts, or other documentation of household income. ***All adults, over the age of 18, must submit an income document (or prove current student status) showing name and address.***
- All Homeowners **must** show Social Security Card when the note is signed.

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