



Amber Morey

Amber graduated from Georgia Southwestern State University with a BBA in Accounting and a MBA. She has been with Habitat for Humanity for six years; three

years with Habitat For Humanity International and three years with Bend Area Habitat for Humanity. She has found satisfaction in working places where she “somehow made a difference”. She knew she had contributed and made a difference to those around her while employed one summer at Elk Mountain Ranch in Colorado. The hard work and service of the staff and owners, as well as the heart for those served was so strong that some guests cried, sad to be leaving to go home from their dude ranch vacation! This realization strengthened her desire to work where she could help people. Following the seasonal job at the ranch, she accepted a position from Habitat for Humanity International headquarters in Americus, Georgia for a Grant Officer job in which she worked with seven Habitat affiliates receiving funding from the NSP2 grant. Looking to continue with non-profits following the end of the grant term, she applied in various cities and discovered Bend Habitat was in the midst of opening a position in finance. The position fit like a glove. The rest is history.

Amber very much likes the hands-on type of work she can do at our affiliate in Bend and especially appreciates there are more facets to her responsibility. When asked her most satisfying experience she replied her first home visit with a Habitat family “brought it all together”.

On the personal side, Amber enjoys traveling widely, and that includes seeing more of Oregon. She has a dog, Roosevelt, who she thinks is just the best dog ever. She loves hiking and enjoys taking pictures of beautiful surroundings. She enjoys volunteering at community events, races, and marathons. More unusual is that she has accumulated over 50 decks of souvenir playing cards! The collection came about in the process of playing lots of Nerfs in college; a fast action multiple-deck game needing distinctive cards.

She is “grateful to be living somewhere as beautiful as Bend and to be working for Bend Area Habitat for Humanity.” She credits all of the good in her life to “God, as well as friends who have served as family and her support system over the years.”

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