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# Tyson Foods Celebrates First-Time Workforce Housing Partnership with Habitat Omaha

*Company leaders participate in a cookout  
with new homeowners and Habitat Omaha staff Friday, Aug. 26*

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### What

Cookout celebrating the workforce housing partnership between Tyson Foods and Habitat for Humanity of Omaha. The partnership is providing mortgage-ready counseling and access to affordable housing to 162 Tyson Foods team members and their families in Omaha.

### When

Friday, Aug. 26, 2 p.m.

### Where

Habitat for Humanity Omaha's offices, [1704 N. 24<sup>th</sup> St.](#) The event will be in the warehouse on the south side of the building. Parking is available in the front parking lot and limited spaces along the south side of the building near the warehouse entrance.

### Who

Representatives from Tyson Foods corporate offices including VP of HR-Fresh Meats, Dan Heffernan, and Senior Manager for Corporate Social Responsibility, Garrett Dolan; Tyson Foods' Council Bluffs Case Ready Plant Manager Shane Kolle; Habitat Omaha CEO Amanda Brewer and Program Director Lacey Studnicka; and local elected officials.

### Why

Studies indicate the Omaha area needs more than 70,000 affordable housing units to meet workforce demands. Companies like Tyson Foods and Habitat Omaha's latest workforce housing partners—Children's Hospital and Medical Center and Beardmore in Bellevue—recognize the need for safe, affordable housing for their employees. They also recognize the benefits of Habitat Omaha's counseling that provides life skills education, such as establishing good credit, saving money, and the financing that goes along with securing a mortgage.

**The news media is invited and encouraged to attend.** Interviews and photo opportunities will be available.

### About Habitat for Humanity of Omaha

Founded in 1984, Habitat for Humanity of Omaha builds and renovates homes, repairs existing houses, takes down blighted structures and advocates for better laws and systems. Habitat also works with individuals and families to acquire the access, skills and financial education to become successful homeowners. Through shelter, we empower. To learn more, visit [habitatomaha.org](http://habitatomaha.org).



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### **About Tyson Foods**

Tyson Foods, Inc. (NYSE: TSN) is one of the world's largest food companies and a recognized leader in protein. Founded in 1935 by John W. Tyson and grown under four generations of family leadership, the company has a broad portfolio of products and brands like *Tyson®*, *Jimmy Dean®*, *Hillshire Farm®*, *Ball Park®*, *Wright®*, *Aidells®*, *ibp®* and *State Fair®*. Tyson Foods innovates continually to make protein more sustainable, tailor food for everywhere it's available and raise the world's expectations for how much good food can do. Headquartered in Springdale, Arkansas, the company had approximately 137,000 team members on Oct. 2, 2021. Through its Core Values, Tyson Foods strives to operate with integrity, create value for its shareholders, customers, communities and team members and serve as a steward of the animals, land and environment entrusted to it. Visit [www.tysonfoods.com](http://www.tysonfoods.com).

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