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## **HOMEAID CARE DAY AT ACSS CAFÉ 458**

Volunteers improve Old Fourth Ward café, a social enterprise helping to transform the lives of Atlanta's homeless.

**Atlanta, GA - October 16, 2018** – On October 5, HomeAid Atlanta held a Care Day at **Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency (ACSS)'s Café 458**. Café 458 serves brunch on Sundays, and all proceeds support the programs of ACSS, which has a mission to empower financially vulnerable individuals to become self-sufficient, sustainably employed, and economic contributors to society.

Hard working volunteers from **Juneau Construction Company, Atlanta Realtors Association's Young Professionals Network, and BA Barrett Construction** went above and beyond over the course of the day, making much-needed improvements including installing new lighting, flooring and ceiling tiles, as well as painting and cleaning. **Juneau Construction Company** sponsored the event.



*Volunteers from Juneau Construction, Atlanta Realtors Association and BA Barrett Construction at Café 458 on Friday, October 5.*

David Barrett of **BA Barrett Construction** coordinated and lead this Care Day, with assistance from his crew. Generous donations from **Lade-Danlar Lighting & Electrical Distribution, Behr Paints, and Southeastern Commercial Flooring** provided a great savings on needed materials for the day's tasks. The work of volunteers and the generous financial and material donations generated a savings of approximately \$8,000 for ACSS.

Adrienne Hamilton-Butler, ACSS Director of Development and Marketing was thrilled with the work completed, saying, "Thanks to the HomeAid Care Day, a space that was once dull, dark, and dated is now bright, contemporary, and fresh! Your gift of time and talent has made a big difference in our ability to serve others. Café 458 is now an aspirational space! Thank you!"

HomeAid Atlanta, founded in 2001, is a nonprofit organization that builds new lives for homeless families and individuals through housing and community outreach. HomeAid works with the building industry and community organizations to assist people experiencing homelessness. HomeAid Atlanta has completed over 100 housing, remodel and care day projects serving victims of domestic violence, teen mothers, veterans and more. HomeAid is the designated charity of the Greater Atlanta Home Builders Association. Learn more at [www.homeaidatlanta.org](http://www.homeaidatlanta.org).

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