

"This program has removed huge barriers to make that possible and has given not only myself an opportunity but my children and ultimately their children as well."

-Rose Reinert

COULEECAP HELPS REMOVE THE BARRIERS TO HOME OWNERSHIP

The road to home ownership for Rose and her family wasn't easy; she had some struggles along the way. But it was really important to her that she give her boys a home of their own. For that, she turned to Couleecap's home ownership program.

"Couleecap staff are very encouraging but very honest. They looked at my entire life and goals," says Rose. "This program made sure I could be successful long-term." Couleecap works with home-buyers like Rose to give them the tools they need for long-term success and financial stability.

Rose's home was built as part of a four-lot development project in which Couleecap and our partners built affordable housing in place of abandoned and unsafe structures. With support from the Otto Bremer Trust and other funders, we provided expert housing counseling services and down payment assistance to families wishing to make the dream of owning a home a reality.

Rose believes Couleecap programs help the entire community both directly and indirectly. As Rose says "[Couleecap] is literally working family by family, changing neighborhood by neighborhood, to really build up the community."

When asked why the community should support Couleecap Rose is clear. "I think that donating to Couleecap is a wise investment. Couleecap does a phenomenal job pulling resources into our community from state, federal, and private grants. So they're bringing funds into our community and maximizing the gifts that we give."

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Our Mission

Couleecap fights poverty and promotes self-sufficiency, economic development, and social justice. We are *People Helping People*, and every day our actions make a difference in the lives of people and families throughout the Coulee Region.