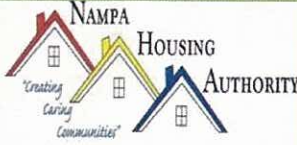


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# ROSS

Resident Opportunity and  
Self-Sufficiency



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*It's your life...what are YOU going to do with it?*

## New ROSS Program at Nampa Housing Authority

Nampa Housing Authority was one of a few applicants to receive money for the Service Coordinator Grant for the ROSS program in 2011.

This is a three year grant that enabled NHA to hire a Service Coordinator that will be responsible for linking you to the services, activities and programs available within our area that will help you to improve your opportunities and increase your self-sufficiency.

This program is here for you. It is another way for you to improve your quality of life, self-confidence and overall self-sufficiency .

## Motivational quotes...that inspire

*Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out. -Robert Collier*

*We can let circumstances rule us; or we can take charge and rule our lives from within. - Earl Nightingale*

## Classrooms at NHA...

Nampa Housing Authority has two classrooms available for use. We are in the process of getting these classrooms set up for programs that we hope to have, such as:

### Kids Programs:

Movie Club  
Game Club  
Arts/Crafts  
Tutoring

### Adult Programs:

Job search  
Parent support group  
Coupon class  
Computer class  
Adult Basic Education  
ESL

### Elderly/Disabled:

Coffee/Chat  
Movie Club  
Book Club  
Game Club  
Arts/Crafts  
Intergenerational Activities

More information about these activities will be coming your way. If you have any ideas for activities please contact the Service Coordinator.

## **Volunteer Hours Available!**

If you do not work or go to school and you need to complete community service hours please consider volunteering for some of the available volunteer activities with the ROSS program. Many of the ROSS activities will run better with additional hands to volunteer help.

### ***What's in it for NHA?***

Your volunteer time will enable NHA to create more successful enrichment activities that benefit the lives of its participants.

### ***What's in it for YOU?***

You will be able to complete your required community service hours on a regular/monthly basis. You will not have to travel far in order to complete the community service hours, and will feel good about helping your friends, neighbors and community by becoming an active volunteer!



## **Resident Activity Group**

One goal of the Service Coordinator is to help residents come together to help support and encourage each other. Simply stated, life is better with neighbors who care about and encourage each other. We all have successes, celebrations and good news to share. We all, also, have worries, concerns and stress. It is easier to celebrate the good things and to get through the bad things when we have friends, support and encouragement.

This group would meet twice a month to “share and care” with each other. Many groups such as this go on to do activities for the greater good of others, such as:

- Neighborhood Watch, to promote a safer community(which we have already started)
- Celebrations to share special meals together
- Fundraising ventures, such as making quilts, to set up “gifts/grants” for community needs