



SQUARE FOOT MINISTRY, INC.
APPLICATION FOR HOME PURCHASE

APPLICANT: _____
Last First Social Security number

CO APPLICANT: _____
Last First Social Security number

CURRENT ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____
Home Cell

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

MARITAL STATUS: _____ Single, _____ Married, _____ Divorced, _____ Widowed

OTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS:

Name	Relationship	Age	M/F

Do any of these members work, have income? Yes ____, No ____

INCOME:

Please list ALL monthly income for the entire household:

JOB _____ HOW LONG _____, SSI _____, DISABILITY _____,

CHILD SUPPORT _____ FOOD STAMPS _____, OTHER _____

TOTAL MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME:

Please list ALL income from all members of the Household: _____

TOTAL MONTHLY PAYMENTS: Please LIST ALL MONTHLY EXPENSES:

Rent _____ Car Loan _____ Credit Cards _____ Personal Loans _____

Child Care _____, Utilities _____ Medical Bills _____

Other (Please list and detail) _____

TOTAL MONTHLY PAYMENTS: _____.

Have you ever filed bankruptcy? _____, if yes has it been discharged? (Date) _____

List any Judgments (total amt.)_____
CHURCH HOME (Not required)_____.

Have you applied for the City of Griffin CHIPs Grant?_____
If so, were you approved?_____.

Based on the above do you feel that you or your family members could:
1 – Afford a mortgage of \$250 per month? Yes , No
2 – Work on the project or support the project? Yes , No
3 – Find other support for the project (labor or financial)? Yes , No _____

BELOW PLEASE GIVE YOUR CURRENT HOUSING SITUATION AND REASON(S) THAT OWNING A HOME WOULD MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO YOUR PERSONAL SITUATION:

This is a prescreening application, not a final approval for the purchase of a home through SQUARE FOOT MINISTRY, INC. This application is to help determine if the SFM program is right for you.
I hereby grant permission to SQUARE FOOT MINISTRY, INC. to obtain a credit report from the applicant and co applicant as means to verify credit and liabilities as stated on the application.

I understand that the income information provided above is subject to verification by SQUARE FOOT MINISTRY, INC. Let it also be known that this information will only be given to persons involved in the verification process and will not be given to any other persons, or organization, without a need to know.

I, the undersigned, do hereby swear that all the information contained on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Any false information on this application will render this application null and void and disqualify the applicant eligibility for the purchase of a home through SFM.

_____ Applicant Signature	_____ Date
_____ Co Applicant Signature	_____ Date

SQUARE FOOT MINISTRY, INC.
SELECTION CRITERIA FOR HOME PURCHASE
GRIFFIN, GA

Eligibility

- You must currently live in the general area of the new home project
- You must be a U.S. citizen or a legal, permanent resident
- Past bankruptcies will not be held against you, but they must be discharged before you apply

Homeowners are selected by our volunteer Family Selection Committee on the basis of three criteria:

1. Need
2. Ability to Pay
3. Willingness to Partner

Need

Partner families must demonstrate the need for better housing which may include:

Overcrowding

Paying a high percentage of you income on housing and utilities

Substandard conditions that pose a threat to your family's health such as a leaking roof, lead paint, mold, or pest infestation

Ability to Pay

Homeowners purchase their home with a zero-interest, zero-profit mortgage. If you are selected as a partner family, you will be responsible for making your monthly mortgage payment on your Square Foot Ministry home.

Square Foot Ministry strongly encourages anyone who is considering applying for homeownership to begin to reduce their debt. We do not expect perfect credit history, but we cannot accept applicants who have excessive debts that could be turned into liens against real estate property.

Willingness to Partner

Each able adult in the household must participate in the building of their home and homes for other applicants. This may include demanding physical work in various conditions. If you are disabled or have medical conditions that don't permit the standard construction hours, we will work on a plan based on what you can do. Family and friends are encouraged and expected to be involved.

Willingness to Partner also includes:

- Filling out applications correctly, truthfully and on time
- Meeting the schedule set for mortgage payments
- Maintaining a courteous demeanor and pleasant attitude when dealing with volunteers and staff at the construction site
- Maintaining your home in appropriate fashion