



Rural Development • Single Family Housing • Home Repair Program

City of Snyder Partners with Rural Development to Repair Homes

Home repairs can be a burden to seniors living on a fixed income. Juan Carrillo of Snyder, TX was living in a home in need of many serious repairs. Unfortunately, he had no way to repair these items on his own. Rural Development worked with Mr. Carrillo to keep his payments reasonable and to identify the major work that had to be repaired. Through the program the contractor was able to patch the ceiling where the insulation and drywall had fallen through, fix the bathroom flooring, put in a new bathtub and repair windows, of which many were either cracked or broken and paint the exterior.



Mr. Carrillo (center) pictured with the contractors who repaired his home.

The City of Snyder has a vision to improve the lives of its citizens and to identify individuals like Mr. Carrillo that would benefit from this type of assistance. The city was instrumental in providing the roll-off container for this project. Since the completion of this project, the city has identified several more home owners with similar situations. The partnership formed between the city and USDA Rural Development will help many more homeowners in the future.

“I’m very happy because I could not afford this otherwise,” said an emotional Carrillo. “I’m satisfied with the job they did. Now, people kind of stop and look at my house. I appreciate everybody who did work. Now I can hopefully live here as long as God will let me.”



Before



After

Obligation Amount: \$7,499 Loan & \$7,451 Grant

Date of Obligation: March 11, 2016

Congressional District: Representative Neugebauer, 19 ; Senators Cornyn and Cruz

Partners: City of Snyder, Development Corporation of Snyder

Demographics: Snyder, Texas

Impact: Decent, Safe and Sanitary Housing