Neighbors Helping Neighbors is a City of Shawnee volunteer program that helps eligible residents maintain and remain in their home. Neighbors Helping Neighbors connects volunteers, volunteer groups, and organizations with eligible Shawnee residents whose homes require maintenance and/or repair.

Please contact Volunteer Coordinator Elizabeth Griffith if you have question or would like more information about NHN.

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"Partnering the needs of some with the willing hands of others"
Type of Help NHN Provides

- Trash removal
- Yard maintenance
- Snow removal
- Lawn mowing
- Limited plumbing & electrical repair
- Exterior painting
- Raking leaves
- Trimming branches
- Changing light bulbs
- Changing smoke alarm batteries
- Turning mattresses
- Some city-issued codes

How does NHN Work?

All of the work done is completed by our amazing volunteers! Once an application is received and verified, a general description of the work and location is emailed to the volunteers. Typically, one person can complete outdoor requests, if small. If the request is an indoor one, at least two people are required to assist at the same time. All of the work is done voluntarily and therefore at no cost. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Elizabeth Griffith at 913.742.6244 or via email at egriffith@cityofshawnee.org.

Who does NHN Help?

Eligible residents are owner/occupants of a home within Shawnee city limits. They must have a physical limitation due to age (65 or older) OR disability; AND have a household income under $50,000 annually. Residents complete an application and send it to the Volunteer Coordinator at the City of Shawnee. Priority is given to residents who have nobody else to help them. If you know of someone who may need help please let them know about the program or contact us.