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# What is deconstruction?

Deconstruction is the systematic disassembly of a structure in the reverse order of construction in a manner that maximizes the preservation of building material for reuse and recycles purposes.



### WHAT ARE THE DECONSTRUCTION OPTIONS OFFERED BY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY NWHC

- Basic Selective Deconstruction
- Advanced Selective Deconstruction
- 50/50 Deconstruction/Demolition
- Complete Deconstruction



Twas the night before a demolition...



...so we just put the whole building on top of a truck and drove away



It's hard to tell the difference between a "wall raising" and a "wall lowering".



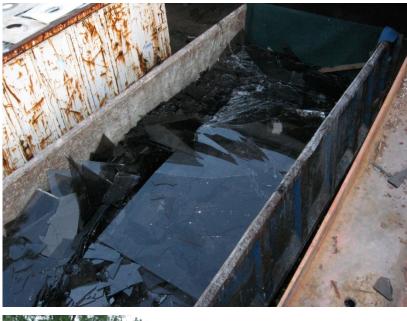
We do both!



"Ribbon cutting" marking the opening day of this commercial deconstruction.







This is 100,000 square feet office complex is a registered LEED project. Electrical wire was recovered, cabinets were saved and all of the glass was recycled.







Habitat for Humanity partnered with Armstrong Ceilings to recycle all of the ceiling tile. We removed it and put it on pallets and Armstrong provided a semi to transport it for recycling.









HABITAT FOR HUMANITY NWHC DECONSTRUCTION OFFERS A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY TO HELP FAMILIES IN NEED OF DECENT HOUSING WHILE ALSO PROTECTING OUR LOCAL ENVIRONMENT. WE APPRECIATE YOUR WILLINGNESS TO CONSIDER DECONSTRUCTION AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO TRADITIONAL DEMOLITION. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME REGARDING ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR DECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM OPTIONS. Carolyn Stevens Project Manager Habitat for Humanity NWHC Cell: 713-818-8595 Office: 281-820-2307 Fax: 281-820-2527 Habitatnwhc.org build4habitat@yahoo.com





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## Taking apart a house brick-by-brick!









## Arrival at the ReStore after deconstruction





## You never know what arrives at the ReStore!



## <u>Shop-donate-volunteer...</u> <u>Help families</u>



