Dear Friends,

At Sarah’s Circle, women need your help to rebuild and secure permanent housing. By donating, sharing needed items, or volunteering your time, you can be the difference-maker for a woman in your community.

**Building Homes, Reducing Waste**

Demolition for Sarah’s Circle’s new property will begin this week! Thanks to the diligence of our construction partner, Skender, about 90% of the existing building materials will be recycled rather than being sent to a landfill. In fact, only the materials contaminated by asbestos are unable to be reused.

Additionally, Sarah’s Circle and Skender have meticulously removed the architectural Terra-cotta on the facade of the existing building so that it can be reinstalled on the new building.

Stay tuned for more building updates along the way!

**Save the Date - An Exceptional Beer Fest 2019**

We can hardly believe it, but it’s already time to mark your calendar for Beer Fest 2019!

**Friday, October 18th, 2019**

6:00 - 9:00 PM

Joe’s on Weed Street

940 W. Weed St.

We hope you will join us at our new venue, Joe’s on Weed Street, for an evening of great music and must-have prizes, all to benefit women in Chicago who need your help. Tickets will go on sale in September.

**40th Anniversary Special: Looking Back**

Where were you in 1979? A lot has changed since Sarah’s Circle founding year. Take a look back at some facts from 1979.

Without generosity like yours, Sarah’s Circle’s four decades of serving women would not have been possible.

Thank you for continuing to help Chicago’s most vulnerable women!

**In-Kind In Demand: Underwear**

Please donate new packages of underwear to support women’s health and comfort.

Larger sizes are preferred.

You can help right now with a few clicks - [use our Amazon Wish List](#)! Please just leave us a note so we can say thanks.

You can also see a full list of needed items [here](#). If you have questions or would like to donate, please contact Dakota Chisholm at dchisholm@sarahs-circle.org.

**Volunteer Spotlight: Edgewater Presbyterian Church**

Since 2015, a small but mighty group of volunteers from Edgewater Presbyterian Church (EPC) has provided monthly meals for the women at Sarah’s Circle almost 50 times.

EPC volunteer Mike Bryan says “EPC is a small congregation but is committed to having a maximum impact in our community. Serving the women at Sarah’s Circle is one way we fulfill that mission.”

Thank you to EPC for making a difference for your neighbors in need!

**Women in Chicago Need Your Help!**

Please offer support for Chicago’s most vulnerable women.

To learn how you can help end homelessness for women in Chicago, please see our [ways to help](#), or contact the Volunteer Coordinator, Dakota Chisholm at dchisholm@sarahs-circle.org or 773.751.7454.