



Ed Schreyer Work Project

Every summer since 1994, the right Honourable Ed Schreyer, former Governor General of Canada, and his wife Lily, have headed up the Ed Schreyer Work Project (ESWP) in partnership with Habitat for Humanity Canada (HFHC). Usually a one- or two-week event, the project involves the Schreyers working with Habitat affiliates across Canada to build homes.

In July 1998, approximately 30 Dow employees and their customers joined 400 volunteers to build six houses in Regina, Saskatchewan – the fifth Ed Schreyer Work Project. Dow donated STYROFOAM* Brand Insulation to insulate all the homes.

Dow again participated in July 1999 and sent a team of about 30 employees and customers to Nova Scotia to work on the house sponsored jointly by Dow and Weyerhaeuser. Dow provided all of the insulation for this blitz build of ten homes, the largest to date for HFHC.

In 2000, Windsor, Ontario was the site for the Ed Schreyer Work Project. At the builds, Dow co-sponsored a house with Weyerhaeuser and donated STYROFOAM Brand Insulation for all ten homes. The Dow volunteers were there for the opening ceremonies on July 17, and then swung their hammers to build the Dow-Weyerhaeuser home by the end of the week.