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Community & Home Supports Launches First Annual Hustle for Homes 5K After Serving More Than 1,300 Metro Detroit Households in 2026



DETROIT, Mich., June 25, 2026 — Community & Home Supports, Inc. (CHS) invites runners, walkers, families, businesses, and community supporters to participate in the **First Annual Hustle for Homes 5K Run & Walk on Saturday, July 11, 2026**, at the Dequindre Cut Freight Yard in Detroit.

The family-friendly event will raise critical funds to help individuals and families experiencing housing instability throughout Detroit, Hamtramck, and Highland Park. In 2026 alone, Community & Home Supports has already served **more than 1,300 unique households**, helping individuals and families overcome barriers to stable housing through housing navigation, street outreach, diversion services, rapid rehousing, permanent supportive housing, and coordinated support services. Nearly half of those served this year are new participants seeking assistance.

Every registration helps fund the critical resources that often make the difference between housing instability and a fresh start, including security deposits, utility assistance, transportation, identification documents, household essentials, and ongoing case management that helps individuals and families achieve long-term stability.

Community & Home Supports, Inc. is a Detroit-based nonprofit organization committed to helping people move from housing crisis to housing stability. Through a comprehensive continuum of care, CHS works alongside individuals and families to remove barriers, connect them to housing opportunities, and provide the support needed to build brighter futures.



"Hustle for Homes is an opportunity for our community to come together around a shared purpose," said **John Stoyka, Executive Director of Community & Home Supports**. "Every day we meet individuals and families who simply need someone to help them navigate the path to stable housing. The support generated through Hustle for Homes allows us to provide not only housing assistance, but also the resources, relationships, and long-term support that help people remain successfully housed. Every participant is helping build stronger futures for our neighbors and our community."

The professionally timed 5K welcomes runners and walkers of all ages and experience levels. Participants who register by June 27 are guaranteed an official race T-shirt, and the first 250 finishers will receive a custom commemorative finisher medal.

"This event represents more than a fundraiser," said **Marcel Santiz, Chairman of the Board for Community & Home Supports**. "It is an opportunity for our community, business leaders, and families to invest in stronger neighborhoods. Every participant is helping someone take an important step toward stability, independence, and hope."

"As both a longtime board member and a corporate sponsor through Hudson Collective, I've had the privilege of watching Community & Home Supports transform lives for more than a decade," said **Nicole Hudson, Founder & CEO of Hudson Collective, Board Member, and Marketing & Fundraising Chair for Community & Home Supports**. "Housing stability is a cause that is deeply meaningful to me, and I've seen firsthand how a safe place to call home can change the course of someone's life. Hustle for Homes gives our business community, neighbors, and families the opportunity to come together for a common purpose while launching what we hope becomes a signature annual event for Detroit. We invite everyone to join us at the starting line."

Following the race, participants are encouraged to enjoy everything Detroit's riverfront district has to offer, including the Dequindre Cut, the Detroit Riverwalk, Eastern Market, local restaurants, and the Freight Yard gathering space.

EVENT DETAILS

Hustle for Homes 5K Run & Walk

Date: Saturday, July 11, 2026

Time: Race begins at 9:00 a.m.

Location: Dequindre Cut Freight Yard, 3019 Orleans Street, Detroit, MI 48207

REGISTRATION FEES

Early Registration: \$35 through June 27

Standard Registration: \$40 from June 28 through July 10

Race Day Registration: \$45 (online registration only)

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To register or learn more, visit <http://HustleForHomesRace.com>.

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ABOUT COMMUNITY & HOME SUPPORTS

Community & Home Supports, Inc. (CHS) is a Detroit-based nonprofit organization dedicated to helping individuals and families achieve housing stability through comprehensive housing services, including coordinated entry, housing navigation, diversion services, shelter navigation, street outreach, rapid rehousing, permanent supportive housing, youth housing programs, and community partnerships. CHS believes that housing is the foundation for health, opportunity, and long-term independence. In 2026, CHS has already served more than 1,300 unique households, including single adults, families with children, and young adults across Metro Detroit.

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