



ABOUT Cabin in the Woods is the only project in Maine that provides permanent housing for both male and female veterans. The property has 16 one-bedroom and five two-bedroom 550 square-foot cabins as well as a 700-square-foot two-bedroom cabin for office and community space. Special attention was given to maintaining a rustic, wooded private setting for each of the cabins. Though they are in a wooded setting, they are also within walking distance of health services at the Togus VA Medical Center campus. The land for the Cabin in the Woods development was acquired through the Department of Veterans Affairs Enhanced Use Lease Program, where the VA leases underutilized real estate to the private sector for the purpose of developing housing for homeless veterans.

LOCATION Cabin in the Wood is located on 11 acres of the 500-acre Togus VA Medical Center property at 810 Eastern Avenue in Augusta, Maine.

OUR PARTNERS Cabin in the Woods is a collaborative project led by Volunteers of America, with Bangor Savings Bank, Doree Taylor Charitable Fund, Home Depot Foundation, Housing Ministries of New England, Jane's Trust, Langford & Low, the Maine Department of Economical Development and Community Development, Maine State Housing Authority, Northern New England Housing Investment Fund, TD Charitable Foundation, US Department of Housing and Urban Development the US Department of Veterans Affairs, and VA Maine Healthcare System.

STATISTICS In 2016 there were a total of 116,782 Maine veterans, 9,074 of them were female, 188 of them were homeless. It is estimated that in 2020 that 12,336 of Maine veterans will be under the age of 40.

DONATION OPPORTUNITIES If you would like to donate to Cabin in the Woods or purchase a brick or bench please contact Michael Coon at Volunteers of America, 207-373-1140 x214.

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