



Albany, Mo.

MCB Project Summary Outline

Community/Neighborhood: Albany

Name of Project: Albany Helping Hands

Project Coordinator: Rebecca Flaherty

Type of Project: Long-term (1-5 years) Short-term (up to 12 months)

Time Frame: Date began: June 25, 2009 Date completed: May 1, 2010

Number of volunteers? 40 Age range of volunteers: 10 to 86

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| Cost of Project: | Materials | Donated | \$ <u>250</u> |
| | | Purchased | \$ <u>0</u> |
| | Labor | Volunteer | \$ <u>1,500</u> |
| | | Paid | \$ <u>0</u> |
| | Total cost | | \$ <u>1,750</u> |

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The "Albany Helping Hands" project was initiated by a partnership of several organizations in Albany, Missouri which included the Albany Community Betterment Association. This project complemented the goals of the Association in making Albany a more livable, healthy, eye-appealing, and desirable place to live, work, and play.

Rebecca Flaherty of the N.W. Area Agency on Aging and the City of Albany volunteered to organize the 40 people into teams to proceed with the work on each of the 25 homes that were on the work list.

The only cost was the advertising of the project to notify citizens of the project. This was underwritten by the Visionary Partnership for a Rural community. Supplies used were furnished by each volunteer.