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Harkening back to the days of the pioneer, a Wyoming community came together in the spirit of an old-fashioned "barn-raising". With the compassion of true neighbors, volunteers travelled from nearby towns and cities to help the citizens of Cheyenne effect tremendous change in the life of a local family. In a truly astounding display of teamwork, these volunteers helped Carter Brothers Construction build a house – literally from the ground up – in less than a week.

While the true result of that labor of love has been the Miller family's new home for the past two months, the national documentation of that labor will hit the airwaves on Sunday, November 4. Tune in to ABC at 7:00 p.m. local time to see the first "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" build in the great state of Wyoming.

Carter Brothers Construction wishes to extend its profound gratitude to those who gave so selflessly of their time and resources to make our "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" build a resounding success.

"We were overwhelmed by the community's willingness to give unconditionally to a family most of us didn't personally know. From the sponsors and donors, to the tradespeople, to the volunteers from the general public – the sheer number of people willing to help was

positively inspiring to us. This just reaffirmed our long-standing feeling that we are part of one of the best communities in the nation," said Team Leader Chris Carter. "Cheyenne is a terrific place to live, and we feel that the response to this project says a lot about who we are as a society on a local basis."

More than 1,800 volunteers contributed their efforts to the build, while many more offered to help when the available spots were already filled. And the local tradespeople donated time and materials far beyond expectations.

Mitch Carter said, "We are humbled by the support the community of Cheyenne offered in the face of this almost insurmountable task."

"At the end of the day," says Mike Carter, "We could not have accomplished this feat without our volunteers and donors. There's no getting around it. We stand in awe of the people and corporations who gave – without question or qualification – to this project. The levels of generosity, by many of our supporters, simply boggle the mind."

The episode airs on ABC November 4, 7:00 p.m Mountain Time.

Monetary donations are still welcome at www.CarterBrosConstruction.com. All offerings will aid the Miller family.

The home's design was supplied by Mark Stewart Home Design, who has provided the finest in custom home design and stock plans for over 25 years – not only design expertise but over 12 years as a homebuilder – to the new construction market. The firm is recognized as one of the foremost residential design firms in North America and throughout the world.

Based in Oregon, Mark Stewart Home Designs can also be found in The Czech Republic, Japan, Russia, Switzerland, Africa, Malaysia and Germany.

The design team for this episode of "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition" will feature team leader Ty Pennington and designers Paige Hemmis, Eduardo Xol, John Littlefield and Rib Hillis.

The series is produced by Endemol USA, a division of Endemol Holding. It's executive-produced by Denise Cramsey. David Goldberg is the president of Endemol USA.

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